

CSL Behring



ANNOUNCING THE  
2024 GETTIN' IN THE GAME<sup>SM</sup>  
JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

September 20 — 22, 2024  
Henderson, Nevada



## Congratulations!

Your child has been nominated by your local chapter to participate in the 22nd Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship hosted by CSL Behring in Henderson, Nevada, September 20-22, 2024. Please register early to get your preferred sport.



## How to Register:

### Finalizing Your Plans:

Now that your child has been nominated, please read the following information on how to confirm your registration and coordinate travel for the Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship.

### Please Complete the Following Steps:

1. You will be receiving an e-mail from East West Connection (event agency) with a link to our online travel registration form for you and your nominee.
2. Please complete the online travel registration form immediately after you receive the link to officially register for this program. Once registered, a representative from AMEX will contact you to make the necessary travel arrangements.
3. All online travel registration forms must be completed by **Monday, August 19, 2024.**

**CSL Behring will sponsor you and your child and will cover costs directly associated with this program. If you have any questions, please contact East West Connection (event agency) at 908-323-5574.**

## Friendly Reminders:

Please consult with your healthcare professional before engaging in any type of physical activity or regarding any questions or additional concerns that you have prior to leaving for your trip.

Each chapter nominee **MUST** be accompanied at the event by one adult 25 years of age or older.

Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship will teach you and your child the importance of physical fitness, but this program is also a competition, so don't forget to practice!



We look forward  
to seeing you in  
Henderson, Nevada!

## PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Developed by CSL Behring, the Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship (JNC) was the first and is currently the only national sports competition designed specifically for the bleeding disorders community. The JNC features accomplished Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Athletes who themselves have been diagnosed with a bleeding disorder.

During the program nominees will have the opportunity to:

- **Take part in baseball, basketball, golf, or swimming activities to learn the fundamentals and enhance their skills in that sport.**
- **Learn about the importance of physical fitness in managing a bleeding disorder and receive instructions on proper stretching techniques and good athletic form.**
- **Show off their baseball, basketball, golf, or swimming abilities in a national competition with fellow nominees from around the country.**
- **Connect and build relationships with fellow members of the bleeding disorders community by sharing their personal experiences with one another.**

If you have any questions regarding the program, please contact East West Connection (event agency) at 908-323-5574, or email [events@eastwestconnection.com](mailto:events@eastwestconnection.com).

**For more information about the JNC, visit [www.cslnjc.com](http://www.cslnjc.com).**



# Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship

September 20 – 22, 2024 • Henderson, Nevada

## Travel Arrangements\*:

CSL Behring will sponsor each chapter nominee and one accompanying caregiver to participate in the program. This sponsorship will include the coordination and cost of airfare, ground transportation in Henderson, Nevada, and hotel arrangements (attendees will be responsible for transportation to/from their hometown airport).

- **Nominees are asked to arrive by 11 AM on Friday September 20, 2024.**
- **Nominees are free to depart any time on Sunday September 22, 2024.**

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR ATTENDEES TRAVELING WITHIN THE EASTERN TIME ZONE, HAWAII, OR ALASKA

Attendees who reside within the Eastern Time Zone, Hawaii, or Alaska will be provided with an option to arrive in Henderson on Thursday, September 19, in order to accommodate the travel constraints that occur as a result of flying across multiple time zones. If you are an attendee traveling from one of these areas and would prefer to arrive on Thursday, September 19, please select this option on the JNC Online Travel Registration Form.

## Hotel Accommodations and Meals\*:

- Attendees will stay at the Hilton Lake Las Vegas, 1610 Lake Las Vegas Pkwy, Henderson, NV 89011.
- CSL Behring will cover the cost of one hotel room per chapter family. Scheduled meals will be provided on site for registered attendees only.

## Educational Sessions:

- Throughout the weekend, attendees will have the opportunity to attend educational sessions to learn more about relevant topics within the bleeding disorders community.
- Attendees will learn the fundamentals of their sport, proper stretching techniques, and the importance of physical fitness and healthy lifestyles.

**CAREGIVERS MUST ACCOMPANY THEIR CHILD TO ALL EVENTS, INCLUDING THE CLINIC AND COMPETITION.**



## Sports Clinics:

- **Baseball:** Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> athlete, Jesse Schrader, will host a series of skill-building activities, such as pitching, hitting, and fielding, at Heritage Park.
- **Basketball:** Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> athlete, Pete Dyson, will host a series of skill-building activities, such as dribbling, passing, and shooting at Black Mountain Recreation Center.
- **Golf:** Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> athlete, Perry Parker, will host a series of skill-building activities, such as putting, chipping, and driving, at the Wildhorse Golf Club.
- **Swim:** Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> athlete, Tim Grams, will host a series of skill-building activities, such as power and efficiency, sprint, controlled breathing activities, and streamline at Heritage Park Aquatics Complex.

## Sports Competitions:

- **Baseball nominees** will compete at Acacia Park and demonstrate their abilities in pitching, hitting, and fielding.
- **Basketball nominees** will compete at Black Mountain Recreation Center and demonstrate their abilities in dribbling, passing, and shooting.
- **Golf nominees** will play at the Wildhorse Golf Club, where they will participate in a shotgun-start competition consisting of 9 holes.
- **Swim nominees** will compete at Heritage Park Aquatics Complex and demonstrate their abilities in power and efficiency, sprinting, controlled breathing activities, and streamlining.

\*All travel for the program will be limited to September 20-22, 2024 (except attendees from the Eastern time zone, Hawaii, or Alaska, who may choose to travel on September 19). CSL Behring will cover only those costs directly associated with the program. All additional incidentals will be the responsibility of the attendees (ie, travel insurance, room service, baggage fees, hotel movies, nonprogram-related meals, and any other costs that do not fall within the logistics of the program). All travel accommodations will be managed through East West Connection (event agency) and AMEX. This event is limited to the nominee and one caregiver only. Unfortunately, due to strict hotel and conference space limitations, we regret that we are unable to accommodate additional family members at any JNC related events. Due to state and federal laws, we regret that we are unable to permit healthcare professionals to attend. We discourage direct industry competitors from attending.<sup>1</sup>

**Before engaging in any type of physical activity, always consult with a healthcare professional to make sure that the activity is right for you.**

An awards ceremony will be hosted by CSL Behring on Saturday, September 21, 2024, to honor all chapter nominees for their participation and to announce the 2024 Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Champions. All chapter nominees have the chance to win and, more important, to learn about life beyond a bleeding disorder. A prize medal will be awarded to each chapter nominee for his/her participation in the program.

The scores of all chapter nominees will be tallied by the Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> athletes at the conclusion of the competitions to determine the Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Champions. Scoring is adjusted based on age groups.



### Prizes to be awarded include:

- **Junior National Baseball Champion:** the nominee with the highest overall baseball score.
- **Junior National Basketball Champion:** the nominee with the highest overall basketball score.
- **Junior National Swim Champion:** the nominee with the highest overall swim score.
- **Junior National Golf Champion:** the nominee with the lowest overall golf score.
- **Prizes**
  - **Trophy:** all Junior National Champions will receive a trophy to commemorate their accomplishment of winning the 2024 Gettin' in the Game<sup>SM</sup> Junior National Championship.
  - **Sporting Equipment:** to encourage each of our Junior National Champions to continue to stay in the game after the program concludes, CSL Behring will present each National Champion with sporting equipment.
  - **Chapter Donation:** CSL Behring shows our commitment to the lives of patients in the bleeding disorders community both on and off the field through continued education. CSL Behring will make a charitable donation to the sponsoring chapter in honor of each National Champion in support of their education and outreach initiatives.

### There Are Many More Opportunities to Be Recognized:

- **Junior National Raffle Winner:** a raffle winner will be selected from among all nominees.
- **Second- and Third-Place Awards:** nominees in each competition will be recognized for second- and third-place scores. CSL Behring will make a charitable donation to the sponsoring chapter on behalf of the winner.
- **Junior National Good Sportsmanship Awards:** one sportsmanship award for each sport will be presented.



## Q: Will CSL Behring provide sporting equipment?

**A:** We encourage all nominees to bring their own sports equipment; however, if you would like to use CSL Behring sporting equipment at the event, please specify this on the registration form where applicable.

## Q: Do the hotel rooms all have refrigerators?

**A:** All hotel guest rooms have a mini-bar sized refrigerator.

## Q: Will I have problems getting my factor through airport security?

**A:** We hope not, but every situation is different. It is very important that you keep your factor with you at all times during your flight (do not put it in your checked luggage). Here are some tips to help with airport security:

- Get a travel letter from your HTC/hematologist that includes your diagnosis, medication, and provider information.
- Make sure the factor boxes have a prescription label on them.
- Put infusion supplies in clear Ziploc bags so the contents are clearly visible if they need to be removed from your bag.

**Note:** If you have any questions about how to travel with your factor, please contact your local chapter.

## Q: What if I have a medical emergency while attending the program?

**A:** Information will be provided to you upon registration; however, should a medical emergency arise, please contact a staff member at 908-323-5574 immediately so we can expedite assistance. EMTs will be available onsite throughout the clinic/competition activities.



## Q: What do the Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) do on-site?

**A:** The EMTs are on-site for first aid, they are not permitted to infuse factor medication.

## Q: Why do I have to provide a personal credit or debit card when I check-in?

**A:** The hotel needs a credit or debit card in case of incidentals (room service, movie rentals, etc). CSL Behring is not responsible for such charges. Keep in mind that the hotel will place a "hold" on your account if you use a debit card.

## Q: Who is considered a Healthcare Professional (HCP)?

**A:** Individuals authorized to prescribe, purchase, supply, administer or dispense medicines or medical devices in the course of his/her professional activities.

