

News Release Joe Baca, Jr. Supervisor, Fifth District www.SBCounty.gov

For Immediate Release

CONTACT: Amanda Fakhoury, Communications Advisor, Amanda.Fakhoury@bos.sbcounty.gov

March 8, 2022

Bloomington Little League Kicks Off Their Baseball Season with an Opening Day Ceremony.

Bloomington, CA. – Supervisor Joe Baca, Jr. helped kick off the beginning of the baseball season by participating in the Opening Day Ceremonies for the Bloomington Little League at Kessler Park. All Little League teams were present, and they were able to join in on the games and giveaways. The highlight of the opening was seeing two 1981 World Series Dodger Champions and co-MVPs, 3rd baseman Ron Cey and catcher, Steve Yeager in attendance. The event was supported by the Department of San Bernardino County Sheriffs, the San Bernardino County Fire Department, the California Highway Patrol (CHP), and the Bloomington Municipal Advisory Council (MAC).

"The Opening Day Ceremony for the Bloomington Little League began on a good note as the community gathered together at Kessler Park to start off the baseball season. The event was well attended, and a lot of community support was present for the little leaguers. The Bloomington Little League members had a blast seeing baseball legends Ron Cey and Steve Yeager attend the event. The Dodger Alumni gave the children an inspirational speech. These 1981 World Series Champions' presence at the opening was very special to the Little League. Some of the lucky players left the event with autographed baseballs and cards. I look forward to attending Bloomington Little League games this season and am looking forward to the rest of baseball season!" -Supervisor Joe Baca, Jr.