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BeeBall

I am a softball and baseball fan my whole life, started playing when I was 10 years old.

I met my husband at my hometown baseball club, he also was a baseball player. We married and were blessed with 3 kids, they are still playing. My oldest son went to college in the USA, played for one year in the minor league for the Houston Astros and is a player for the Dutch national team. I am still a softball coach and I still love being on the field with my girls!

I worked for the Dutch Baseball and Softball federation for 12 years. My main tasks were developing the program for the Dutch baseball and softball youth.

I introduced BeeBall (played by kids 5-9 years old) in the Netherlands.

We also made the games more playable for the younger kids (under 15) by adapting some rules and that turned out nicely! It really helps the kids play with more fun!

I am a Little League DA for 10 years now and I love being in charge of the Little League program in the Netherlands.

Together with 200 enthusiastic volunteers we organize our big national championship with 56 little league teams every year.

I love to participate in growing the game in Europe and Africa. I think there is a lot of potential and I would love to be part of developing that!