



**"People ask me what I do in winter when there's no baseball. I'll tell you what I do. I stare out the window and wait for spring."**  
~Rogers Hornsby



Opening Day  
Greater Wildwood Little League  
April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2010... Batter Up!

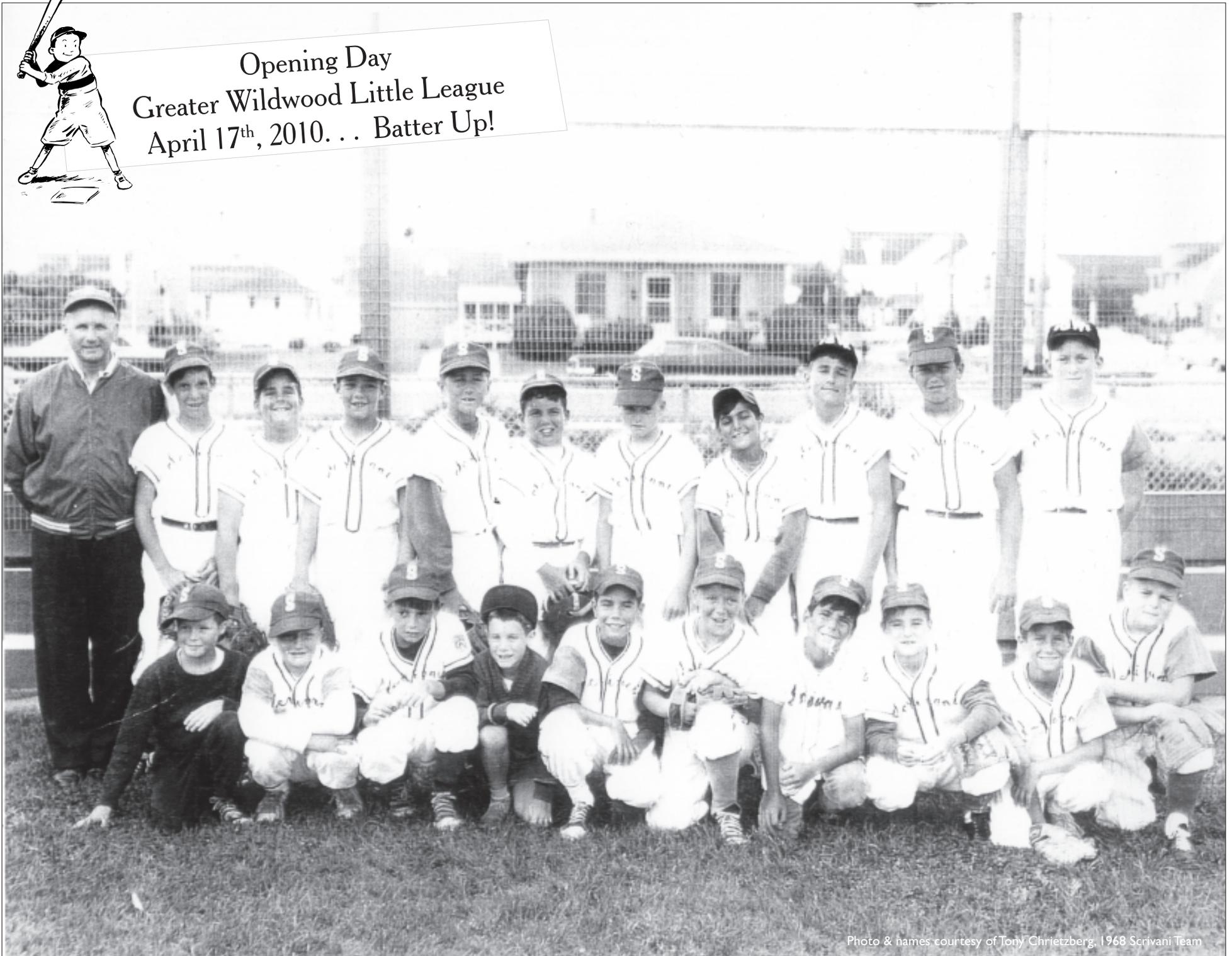


Photo & names courtesy of Tony Chrietzberg, 1968 Scrivani Team

**Coach Tom Jorgensen's 1968 Wildwood Little League Baseball Team Champions ~ Scrivani Buick**

**Top Row (standing) L-R:** Mr. J (Coach Tom Jorgensen), Stanley Delcorio, Bruce Sicilia, Wally Carty, Woody Hall, Mike Nardi, Joe Diehl, Tony Chrietzberg, Michael John, Tom Nazaro, Hank Korzeniowski **Front Row L-R:** Unknown Bat Boy, Don Long, Tim Shoffler, Bat Boy, Unknown, Tom Bradley, Lou Suppa, John Barret, Mark Sicilia, Mike Diehl

A 90th surprise birthday party was held on Saturday, January 16th for much-loved baseball coach Tom Jorgensen. Proud team member Tony Chrietzberg (1965-1969) presented "Mr. J." with a framed print of his Championship 1968 Scrivani Buick Little League Baseball team. Tony fondly remembers, "there were no super all-stars, it was just that we all played really well together." Most of the players, all of whom Mr. J. personally remembered by name, played for four years under his expert care. He was a dedicated coach who taught his players what it meant to be a part of a team and how to play the game with heart. From Mr. J. they learned the true meaning of sportsmanship. Tony believes it was Mr. J.'s influence that enabled him to become a successful tennis coach. With the opening of baseball season, we here at the SUN by-the-sea would like to take a moment away from sand and surf to say, "Let the Games Begin!"