

Cape League TV On Air Talent

The Cape Cod Baseball League/Cape League TV is seeking a dynamic, knowledgeable, and highly motivated Sideline Reporter & Correspondent to join our broadcast team. The ideal candidate will have a deep understanding of baseball, exceptional on-air presence, and a proven ability to deliver accurate, compelling, and timely information from the field. This role involves reporting live from the sidelines of CCBL games, conducting interviews, and providing in-depth analysis and feature stories for our various platforms.

The optimal candidates will need to be aligned with League initiatives and priorities and be able to represent the brand values of the Cape Cod Baseball League. This internship runs from the date of acceptance through September 1, 2026. This role includes remote work in a fast-paced environment with high volume of work and tight deadlines. Hours includes nights and weekends. Stipend commensurate with experience.

Reports to: Executive Director Cape League TV

Key Responsibilities:

- Live Reporting: Deliver live reports from the field, dugout, and stands during games, including injury updates, player insights, and breaking news.
- Player and Coach Interviews: Conduct pre-game, in-game, and post-game interviews with players, coaches, and team personnel.
- **Feature Stories and Content Creation:** Develop and produce original stories, features, and segments that offer unique insights into the CCBL, game, players, and teams.
- Breaking News Coverage: Act as a primary source for breaking news and major developments related to the CCBL.
- **Communication:** Work closely with the broadcast team, including play-by-play announcers, color analysts, and producers, to ensure a seamless and informative broadcast.
- **Research:** Conduct thorough research on teams, players, and historical data to provide accurate and insightful commentary.
- Travel: Travel to cover games at various CCBL fields as required.
- Social Media: Engage with audiences on social media platforms to promote content and provide additional
 updates.

Qualifications:

- Education: Working towards Bachelor (JR or SR) or Master's degree in Journalism, Communications, or a related field preferred.
- Experience: Minimum of 2 years of experience as a sports reporter, preferably with a focus on baseball.
- Knowledge: Comprehensive knowledge of baseball rules, statistics, and current events in NCAA baseball and MLB
- On-Air Skills: Polished on-air presence with strong public speaking and improvisational skills.
- Writing and Storytelling: Excellent writing and storytelling abilities with a keen eye for compelling narratives.
- **Interpersonal Skills:** Exceptional communication and interpersonal skills, with the ability to build rapport with athletes, coaches, and colleagues.
- Adaptability: Ability to thrive in a fast-paced, high-pressure, and often unpredictable live broadcast environment.
- **Technical Skills:** Familiarity with broadcast equipment and an understanding of the production process is a plus.
- Flexibility: Willingness to work nights, weekends, and holidays as dictated by the baseball season schedule.

Personal Attributes:

- **Passion for Baseball:** You must have a genuine and infectious enthusiasm for the sport that comes through in your reporting.
- Curiosity & Storytelling: A natural curiosity and the ability to find and tell compelling stories that go beyond the game itself.
- **Poise Under Pressure:** The ability to remain calm, confident, and articulate while reporting live in a fast-paced and unpredictable environment.
- Interpersonal Savvy: Excellent people skills, capable of building rapport and trust with players, coaches, and fans.
- Resilience: The ability to handle constructive criticism and adapt quickly to changing situations.
- **Professionalism:** You are reliable, punctual, and maintain a professional demeanor at all times, both on and off-camera.

Note: This job description is intended to provide a general overview of the position and its responsibilities. It is not an exhaustive list of all duties and requirements.

To apply: Applicants should email their resume, cover letter, two references, and access to your portfolio to internships@capecodbaseball.org. Please put your name and the position you are applying for in the subject line.