



GUELPH ROYALS BASEBALL CLUB

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Managing Partner, Jim Rooney of the Guelph Royals Baseball Club announced that he has accepted the resignation of General Manager and Field Manager Kevin Hinton.

In his letter of resignation, Kevin stated: *“At the end of June this year my wife and I made a decision to move closer to our places of employment to enhance our quality of life. In the month of July and the first week of August, I experienced great difficulty with the amount of travel I now faced in making games in Guelph. Baseball has always been a very important to me, but obviously my family and employment will not supersede this passion, and made this decision necessary.”*

He continued, *“More than half my life has been spent in a Guelph Royals uniform and I have cherished every moment.”*

The Royals extend its sincere thanks to Kevin for his 23 years to Royals Baseball in Guelph. His role as manager was highlighted by leading the club to back to back IBL Championships in 2003 and 2004.

Kevin Hinton is a well respected member of the IBL baseball community. His contributions to Royals baseball are many and have earned him an enormous debt of gratitude.

The Royals wish to Kevin and his wife Lil in all future endeavors. The Royals plan to honour Kevin during the 2011 season.