

## Before the Game

- The welcome event is a ticketed baseball game. The Chicago planning team has purchased tickets and due to the size of our group there are several sections of seats.
- In order to receive your ticket, you must download the [MLB Ballpark App](#) using the same email you used to register for the conference with. If you need assistance or have questions, we will have a baseball desk next to the main registration to help you download the app.
- Tickets will be assigned to you AFTER you check in and receive your badge for the conference. All tickets will show up in your app by 3:00 PM local time on game day 4/23 as long as you have checked in for the conference.
  - If you are no longer arriving in time to attend the welcome event, please let [events@cw3.co](mailto:events@cw3.co) know so we can release your ticket to our waiting list
- Please join us on Wednesday at 3:15PM in the Great Lakes Foyer, for a pre-drinks reception before we head to the game. There you will receive a wrist band which will give you access to the busses to and from the game.
  - In order to board the bus you need your app downloaded, ticket accepted and wristband on.
  - Groups will line up and leave 50 at a time and the first bus will leave at **3:30PM** and the final bus will depart at **4:45PM. First pitch is 6:00PM**
- There is a walk from the bus drop off location to Wrigley Field. If you are unable to walk distances over half a mile (800m), please reach out Lauren Allen at [lauren.allen@conferencedirect.com](mailto:lauren.allen@conferencedirect.com) and you will receive instructions from there. There will be guides with the Chicago IPBA logo showing you the way to the stadium once you depart busses
- Bring a Jacket as the evening will get a bit chilly
- Leave your conference badge in your room, your wristband will be your identification for the game
- If you plan to go right to the game before checking in due to late arrival, please email [events@cw3.co](mailto:events@cw3.co) to ensure you keep your ticket reserved.

## During the Game

- The Chicago planning team has purchased tickets and due to the size of our group there are several sections of seats all seats are located in the lower level of the stadium
- There is a \$30 food and beverage voucher included with your game ticket. To access this, you go into the Cubs icon at the bottom of the [MLB Ballpark app](#). Go to the Food and Beverage Section and click on Mobile Wallet. Click on Cubs Value to View the QR code. The Cubs Value can be used at touch screen ordering or grab and go options at fixed concession stands built into the concourse. For issues with the value, call the fan services team at +1 773-388-8270
- Please note the following bag restrictions are in place at Wrigley Field. Backpacks (including clear backpacks), hard-sided coolers (regardless of size) and bags larger than 16 x 16 x 8 inches are **NOT** permitted at Wrigley Field. Other bags (such as wallets, purses, drawstring bags, fanny packs, lunch bags, briefcases, and soft-sided coolers) smaller than 16 x 16 x 8 inches in size are permitted. If you violate this policy, you will not gain entry to the game with your things. See List of [Prohibited Items](#) inside of Wrigley Field.

### After the game

- Look for staff with IPBA Chicago Logo Signs to help you back to the busses
- If for some reason you cannot find the guides after the game, the buses will be parked on Irving Park road. Follow the IPBA Chicago Logo Signs and you will find your way to the buses.
- If you decide you are going elsewhere and not back on the buses, please inform anyone you see with a flag so they know not to count you on the buses.
- Please depart the stadium out of the Marquee/Main Gate
- **THE FINAL BUS LEAVES 30 minutes after the game concludes**

[Bag Policy](#)

[Cubs Value Instructions](#)