The Great Depression of the 1930s hit hard in the many new and older, but revitalized, poor black neighborhoods of naturalized families, where working men and women could not find employment. As baseball games provided by 1931, both the Negro National and American leagues began to attract the black baseball population. In 1932, the Negro National League comprised two new leagues, the second Negro National League and the Negro American League. Forming in 1932 and 1933, respectively, Negro National League baseball was one of the most influential black baseball leagues. One of this league’s best-known players, and a name of note, was the black baseball player who paved the way for major league integration.

Night Games

The Negro National League played its first night game on June 8, 1935, in Chicago. The game took place at Comiskey Park, home of the Chicago White Sox. The game was played on a Sunday night, and the crowd was estimated at around 20,000 people. The game was a close one, with the Homestead Grays winning 2-1. The Grays had the edge in batting and pitching, and their victory was celebrated by the fans. This game was the first ever night game played in the Negro National League, and it set a precedent for the future of night baseball games.

The Latin Beat

The Latin Beat was a popular black baseball team in the 1930s, and they were known for their fast and aggressive style of play. They were also known for their loud and enthusiastic fans, who would follow the team all over the country. The Latin Beat was one of the most successful black baseball teams of the time, and they were a favorite of many black baseball fans.

The Homestead Grays

The Homestead Grays were a popular black baseball team in the 1930s, and they were known for their powerful batting and pitching. They were also known for their loud and enthusiastic fans, who would follow the team all over the country. The Homestead Grays were one of the most successful black baseball teams of the time, and they were a favorite of many black baseball fans.

League Champions

The Negro National League was one of the most successful black baseball leagues in the 1930s. They were known for their powerful batting and pitching, and their fans were some of the most enthusiastic of any baseball league. They were also known for their great overall performance, and they were a favorite of many black baseball fans.