

BAY STATE GIRLS SOFTBALL
10 OPEN ASA TOURNAMENT
12 Open ASA TOURNAMENT
May 29- May 31, 2015

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:
(Type or print please)

Team Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____
(This number will be used to contact team during tournaments)

E-Mail Address: _____
(Confirmations & schedules will be sent to this e-mail address)

Entry Fee: \$400.00 (10U), \$425.00 (12U)

TOURNAMENT: Please circle choice above

Deadline to Register: April 15th, 2015. Space is limited \$200.00 deposit with application will secure spot. Final payment due 3 weeks prior to tournament. Deposit of \$200.00 is non-refundable. See refund policy.

Checks Payable to: Bay State Girls Softball League

Mail to: PO Box 30162, Acushnet, MA 02743

Director: U10/U12: Rich Conceicao

Team Manager's Signature: _____

By signing this application, you indicate that your team has read the attached rules and will abide by them during the tournament.

CHECK IN

Teams are required to check in at the Bay State Girls Softball League Concession Stand at least 1 hour prior to your first scheduled game. You must present the following to the tournament director:

- Official Roster
- Birth Certificates or player ID cards
- Proof of Insurance

INFIELD PRACTICE

Teams will be allowed 5 minutes of infield practice prior to their first game of the tournament only. Pitchers are requested to warm up in the stone dust infield. Portable hitting nets can be used, but away from all game areas.

JEWELRY & HELMETS

No jewelry is allowed during this tournament. Jewelry cannot be taped over. Medical bracelets may be worn, but must be taped to the body. Players must wear helmets with approved faceguards and chin straps. ASA does not allow other association patches to be worn during this tournament.

GAME FORMAT

This tournament is using the ASA 3 game minimum bracket. This will then seat you for single elimination. Time limit will be one hour, thirty minutes (1:30). No new inning will start after this point. The tiebreaker rule will be used if the score is tied after 7 innings or is tied after the time limit regardless of inning. Game time will be posted on the official schedule unless changed by the tournament director. Teams must be ready to play up to 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start time. Line ups are to be handed to the official scorer a minimum of 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time. The game clock will start at the conclusion of the ground rules. Home team will be determined by a double coin flip until the championship game, when the winner's bracket champion will be home team. **GAME FORMAT SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO NUMBER OF TEAMS PARTICIPATING. FORMAT WILL BE ATTACHED TO BRACKETS WHEN FINALIZED.**

WEATHER ISSUES

At any time during the tournament with the unanimous agreement of the tournament director, ASA Rep and the tournament UIC, abbreviated procedures may be initiated to allow the tournament to continue to completion. This includes reducing game times to 1 hour, reducing games to 5 innings, or reducing pool play. Teams are asked to provide the tournament director with a cell phone number and contact in order to communicate delays or changes to the tournament. See weather policy link.

REFUNDS

If the tournament is shortened due to weather, teams will be entitled to a partial refund based on number of games each team plays. Teams will be notified by e-mail if this occurs. For example, if no games are played the team will be refunded entire fee minus \$50.00; if one game is played, the refund will be 50%; 2 games played, no refund will be made. Teams that drop out prior to the deadline will be entitled to a refund less non-refundable deposit of \$200.00. Teams that drop out after the deadline will not be entitled to a refund.

CONCESSION STAND

Our complex in New Bedford has a full concession stand and bathrooms. Board of Health regulations prohibits the use of outdoor grills at our softball fields by softball teams. Please make sure your dugout is clean after your game.

IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH TEAM TO CHECK THE OFFICIAL BRACKET BOARD LOCATED AT THE CONCESSION STAND FOR ANY SCHEDULE CHANGES DURING THE TOURNAMENT.