## 2018

# Mon County Girls Softball Fall Fast Pitch League

League Fees and roster: Due Aug 17th League Fees---\$480.00

SEASON – Sunday afternoons starting September 9<sup>th</sup> through October 21st Rain date – October 28th.

Please send all rosters and money to:

MCGSA PO Box 258 Granville, WV 26534

## For more information contact:

MCGSA President: MEIGHEN LEHOSIT

Phone: (919) 244-4771

E-mail: Mcgsa.president@gmail.com

League Director & Scheduler:

**Gordon Shilling** 304-826-0519

#### LEAGUE ORGANIZATION

## **Girl's Leagues**:

## <u>High School age (14 and up – 18U an older are all in one division)</u>

12 Games x \$40 = \$480

### Middle School age 14U

12 Games x \$40 = \$480

## <u>12U</u>

12 Games x \$40 = \$480

### **10U** (Must have 4 teams)

12 Games x \$40 = \$480

## There may also be an 8U league if there is enough interest. Cost is TBD

Any players can play up 1 age bracket.

The attached packet represents information for teams interested in competing in the softball league competition sponsored by NSA Softball. This information applies to both the girl's and women's fast-softball leagues.

Tuesday September 4th: The completed team APPLICATION FORM and TEAM ROSTER must be submitted to Meighen Lehosit by e-mail or postal mail on or before September 4th along with the \$480.00 LEAGUE FEE if received by August 27th the total price will be \$30.00 less (\$450.00). Groups with a single sponsor for 3 or more teams can pay {\$450-.00} each!

The consent form must be turned in prior to your first game.

If you have not paid by your start date you will not be able to play. Make all checks payable to MCGSA.

Mail to:

MCGSA PO Box 258 Granville, WV 26534

Please make sure you register with Rainedout.com to keep updated on the game cancellations.

- LOCAL RULES: Due to the large number of teams and local prevailing conditions, it is essential that local rules be established. To ensure that each team understands the manner in which the local league operates, it is essential that all persons be familiar with the local rules and understands them. These should be discussed with each member of the team by the team manager. I call particular attention to Attachments to the Local Rules, which relates to policies of MCGSA fall softball pursuant to roster restrictions, eligibility requirements for participants, and policy for unsportsmanlike conduct. Team managers will be held accountable for the actions of their players.
- Team Application for Admission in Fast-Pitch Softball League.

  This application must be completed and turned in with the fee and roster on September 4, 2018
- Official Softball Team Roster: A completed roster of at least ten (10) players along with the fee and registration form must be completed and turned in to Meighen Lehosit on or before Tuesday, September 4, 2018. A roster with less than 10 players will not be accepted. It is suggested that teams consider having a full roster of 20 players so that absences on the part of an individual player will not result in a forfeit of a scheduled game. Teams may add players to their roster or transfer players from one team to another after the registration date, Tuesday September 4, 2018. However, once a player has participated in a game for one team he/she may not transfer to another team.

E-MAIL: AT LEAST ONE E-MAIL ADDRESS WILL BE REQUIRED ON EACH ROSTER. IF MANAGER OR ASSISTANT MANAGER DOES NOT HAS E-MAIL, ONE OF A RESPONSIBLE ROSTERED PLAYER IS PERMITTED. THIS IS REQUIRED TO PROPERLY NOTIFY TEAMS AS TO CHANGES, RAIN MAKE-UPS, ETC.

AGE FOR FALL PLAYERS: The intent of the fall league is to give players an opportunity to hone their softball skills as well as prepare for softball in the spring. As such, player age cut off is 31 July 2019. The player's age on this date will be used to determine the appropriate age group for the fall league. As an example, if the player is 9 on 31 December 2018, she would play in the 10U age division next year and thus should be playing in the 10U age division this fall. All players' ages will be based on next school's age bracket for the fall. High School & Adult leagues are combined!

**Insurance:** It is to be understood that engaging in activities such as softball results in an assumption of some degree of risk on the part of the person participating and as such there exists likelihood for injury incidental to the playing of the game.

Teams must carry participation accidental insurance or NSA insurance because many of the participants on the teams elect to have such coverage on their own, and secondly, to do so would only result in higher fees of the teams playing in the league. It is for these reasons we encourage each team to secure insurance on their own through a local insurance agent. It is understood that local insurance agents may undertake the writing of an insurance policy for teams or individual participants thereof at the discretion of the individuals involved.

**Participation Costs:** Costs per team include only those actual game expenses and do not include all game costs for field maintenance personnel. The cost as assessed to the teams includes umpires, employment taxes, balls, grooming equipment materials, bases, lighting and league director fees. Per game cost is @\$40.00 per game for girl's league fees totals \$480.00.

**Schedules:** Fall schedules will be given to each team manager, and is the duty of the individual team manager to contact his/her team concerning times and dates of games. Gordon will release scheduling information over the phone or email.

• All games will be played on Sunday afternoons

- All teams will play a double-header the day that play
- All teams will be schedule for a 12 game season
- Due to limited room in the league the first teams to pay will be in the league.
- All age groups must have at least 4 teams to have a season
- If you cannot play on certain weekends, please note that date.
- There will be no games on Labor Day Weekend

#### **RULE 1 – PLAYERS AND SUBSTITUTES**

#### Sec. #1

Each fast-pitch team shall be permitted a maximum of twenty (20) eligible players on a roster. The team manager or assistant manager is not counted unless they are an active participant.

#### Sec. #2

Starting lineup with positions must be turned in to the scorekeeper and umpire prior to the scheduled start of the game.

#### Sec. #3

All players under the age of 18 must have a consent form signed by a parent.

#### Sec. #4

All players can bat in the lineup!

No inning should start after 65 minutes into the game.

5 Run limit per inning except the last inning!

#### **RULE 2 – UMPIRES**

#### Sec. #1

The umpires shall be assigned by the League Director or Site Directors and shall have complete control of the game.

#### Sec. #2

All games will have 2 umpires <u>scheduled</u> for 18/16U/14U - 12U -10U & 8U There is at least one umpire required for all fast-pitch games.

#### **RULE 3 – UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT**

#### Sec. #1

Any player, manager, or team representative shall be suspended from league competition under the following conditions:

1. Continued unsportsmanlike behavior, such as, but not limited to, profanity, harassment of game

- officials, failure to comply with instructions of league director, or other acts which disrupt the orderly and sportsmanlike operation of the game. (Minimum suspension of one to three games; reinstatement thereafter by decision of the Director of NSA).
- 2. Striking, shoving, or any physical contact directed toward a league official, or initiating or continuing aggressive physical contact toward another player beyond that action incidental to the game shall result in the immediate suspension for a period of at least (1) year, and thereafter, until the Board by majority vote resins the suspension.

#### Sec. #2

The WV Assistant Director shall have authority to impose reasonable conditions for reinstatement for those persons suspended under the above conditions, after the minimal suspension period is completed.

#### Sec. #3

A person suspended from any sport for action under Sec. #1above may not participate in any NSA sponsored league during the suspension period.

## <u>RULE 4 – ZERO TOLERANCE UNSPORTSMANLIKE CO</u>NDUCT

In light of increased profane and unsportsmanlike behavior directed toward umpires, the following rule will be implemented by the NSA In the event of profanity, obscene gestures, and/or other unsportsmanlike conduct directed toward the umpires, opponents, teammates, or fans game officials will invoke the following procedure:

- 1. Umpire may deliver a verbal warning for the action (s).
- 2. If the action(s) are extreme, loud or abusive or they continue, there will be an immediate ejection of the player or players in question.
- 3. If unsportsmanlike behavior still continues, player or players may be suspended <u>one to three games</u> in accordance with the unsportsmanlike conduct policy set forth above.
- 4. In the event of suspension, reinstatement will be determined by the NSA Director and Softball League Director.

#### **RULE 5- LEAGUE FORM AND SEASON**

All Fast-Pitch teams will play NSA rules and will play a 12 game season starting September 9 – October 28, 2018.

\*Games will be played at White Park, Granville Fields and Mylan Turf Fields\*

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## **ROSTER**

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Minimum of 10 and maximum of 20 players allowed on girl's/women fast-pitch roster. ALL ROSTERS MUST BE COMPLETELY FILLED OUT WITH PROPER ADDRESSES (NOT P.O. BOX) AND PHONE NUMBERS.

Address	Phone	Age
	Address	Address Phone

I hereby certify that all knowledge.	names, ages and addresses contained on this roster are correct to the best of my
Date	_Team
Manager Signature	

## MCGSA/NSA PROGRAM/ACTIVITY CONSENT FORM

#### PLEASE PRINT

Print Signature Name and Relationship to Participant

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