



Welcome to the 2018 Softball Season

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Softball Saskatchewan Annual General Meeting

The AGM will be held in Regina on April 28th at the Ramada Hotel.

There will be an info session from 9am - 12pm. The AGM will begin at 12pm.

There are 3 motions for Bylaw Amendments to be voted on at the AGM. Visit our website to see those motions.

We will also be unveiling our new Provincial Championship banners.

If you are planning to attend, please contact Melissa by April 20 at (306) 780-9235 or email info@softball.sk.ca.

Everyone in attendance will receive a gift just for coming!!!

Upcoming Deadlines

- * **May 15 - Provincial Entry deadline for categories 'A' leading to a Canadian Championship**
- * **June 1**
 - * **Affiliation Deadline**
 - * **Provincial Championship entry deadline for all other categories**
 - * **Minor category roster deadline**
- * **June 15 - Adult Provincial Roster deadline**
- * **September 1 - Hall of Fame Nomination Deadline**
- * **October 1 - Awards Program nomination deadline**
- * **October 20 - Semi Annual Meeting & Awards Luncheon**



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Special points of interest:

- * **Rule Change:**
2018 Rule Change for U14, U16 and U19 B Boys ONLY (Applies to Minor Boys Provincials leading to Western Canadians); U14, U16 & U19 B Boys teams be allowed to have a maximum of 2 overage players per team. These players may not participate in the pitching position. Furthermore, these players must be players who are one year advanced from the current playing category of the team in question.

2018 Annual General Meeting Information

AGM Information Session Topics

The info session will begin at 9:00am

1. North Central Boys Softball League
 2. Saskatchewan Minor Girls Softball League
 3. 2018 Jr. Mens World's Update
 4. Highlight/Promote Softball Sask Awards Program
 5. Player Release/District Transfer/Concession Rules
 6. Marketing/Promotions Presentation
- Open Discussion

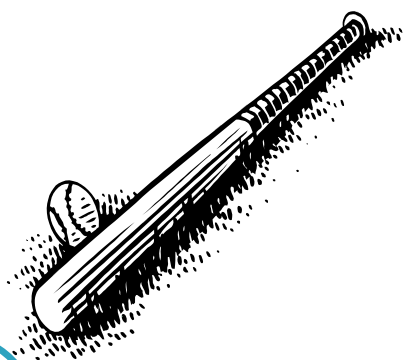
AGM Agenda

The AGM will begin at 12:00pm

1. Call to Order
2. Opening Remarks - President Gary MacDonald
3. Adoption of Agenda
4. Adoption of the 2017 AGM Minutes
5. Business arising out of the 2017 AGM Minutes
6. Financial Report (2016/7 Audit)
7. 2018 Annual Report
8. Bylaw Amendments
 - Section 5.3f & g Nomination & Election Procedures-Districts
 - Section 5.8 President
9. New Business
10. Approve 2018 Auditor (Priority Accounting Services CPA P.C)
11. Elections (Nominations Received as of April 1st)
 - District 2 Director (Susan Gowans)
 - District 4 Director (Brent Zimmer)
 - District 6 Director (Garry Burns)
 - District 8 Director (Ian Litzenberger)
12. Closing Remarks
13. Adjournment

2018 AFFILIATION INFORMATION

Applications for membership will be accepted from League Executives and Umpire Associations. Approved applicants will receive a membership in the Association by paying the annually set affiliation fees and submitting the required information. This year all information will be collected online. To be covered by the Softball Saskatchewan Insurance & Benefits Program, players, coaches and managers must be affiliated with Softball Saskatchewan. Information must be submitted to Melissa on or before June 1, 2018. Check our website for more details about the new affiliation process.



League/Association Fee	\$50.00
Under 10: U6, U8, U10	\$12.00
Under 19: U12, U14, U16, U19	\$17.00
19+: U23, Senior, Masters	\$17.00
Coaches, Managers, League Executives, Umpire Executives	\$12.00
Slo-Pitch Fee (Includes ALL players, coaches & managers)	\$175.00

PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Provincial Entry Form Deadline is **May 15th, 2018** for categories leading to a Canadian Championship **at 4:00pm**

Provincial Entry Form Deadline is **June 1st, 2018** for all other categories **at 4:00pm**

Faxed or emailed forms **not** accepted.

All players and coaches must be affiliated with Softball Saskatchewan by June 1, 2018 to be eligible to enter in a Provincial Championship.

Minor Provincial Roster Deadline - June 1st, 2018 by 4:00pm

Adult Provincial Roster Deadline - June 15th, 2018 by 4:00pm

Coaching Requirements

Provincial Championship that leads to a Western/Canadian Championship

Minimum one Coach with the Competition Introduction Certification

OR

One Softball Level 2 Certified Coach plus the MED (Making Ethical Decision) online exam.

Exception - Masters - Require One Community Softball Coach **OR** One Softball Level 1 Certified Coach **OR** One coach who has completed Competition Introduction Weekend 1 & 2

All other Provincial Championships

One Community Softball Coach

OR

One Coach who has completed Competition Introduction Weekend 1 & 2

OR

One Softball Level 1 Certified Coach plus the MED (Making Ethical Decision) online exam.

Provincial Dates and Locations

MINOR

<u>CATAGORIES</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
U19 "A" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Regina
U19 "B" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Regina
U19 "C" Girls	July 20th - 22nd	OPEN for BID
U16 "A" Girls	July 13th - 15th	Regina
U16 "B" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U16 "C" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Langenburg
U14 "A" Girls	July 13th - 15th	Saskatoon
U14 "B" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Regina
U14 "C" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Swift Current
U12 "A" Girls	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U12 "B" Girls	July 13th - 15th	Regina
U12 "C" Girls - North	July 6th - 8th	OPEN for BID
U12 "C" Girls - South	July 6th - 8th	Moosomin
U19 "A" Boys	July 20th - 22nd	Saskatoon
U19 "B" Boys	July 20th - 22nd	Saskatoon
U16 "A" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U16 "B" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U14 "A" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U14 "B" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U12 "A" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U12 "B" Boys	July 6th - 8th	Saskatoon
U10 Co-ed Festival - North	June 8th - 10th	Saskatoon
U10 Co-ed Festival - South	June 1st - 3rd	Regina

<u>CATEGORIES</u>	<u>DATES</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
U23 "B" Women's	July 13th - 15th	Saskatoon
Women's "A"	July 13th - 15th	Saskatoon
Women's "B"	July 20th - 22nd	Carnduff
Women's "C"	July 27th - 29th	Moose Jaw
U23 "A" Men's	July 8th - 9th	Saskatoon
Men's "A"	July 20th - 22nd	Saskatoon
Men's "B"	July 20th - 22nd	Saskatoon
Men's "C"	July 27th - 29th	Earl Grey
Master Men's	July 20th - 22nd	Saskatoon
Men's Slo-pitch	June 2nd - 3rd	Saskatoon
Women's Slo-pitch	June 2nd - 3rd	Saskatoon

ADULT

Western and Canadian Championships

2018 Western Canadian Championships

U14 Boys & Girls	August 3rd - 6th	Edmonton, AB
U16 Boys & Girls	August 9th - 12th	Kelowna, BC
U19 Boys & Girls	August 3rd - 6th	Unity, SK
U23 Women's	August 3rd - 6th	Unity, SK
Men's & Women's B	Aug. 3rd - 6th	Manitoba



2018 Canadian Championships

U14 Girls	August 15th - 19th	Montreal, QC
U16 Girls	August 15th - 19th	Winnipeg, MB
U19 Girls	August 6th - 12th	Surrey, BC
U23 Women's	No Canadian Championship	
Women's A	August 15th - 19th	Saskatoon, SK
U14 Boys	August 8th - 12th	Stouffville, ON
U16 Boys	August 1st - 5th	Innerkip, ON
U19 Boys	August 14th - 19th	Napanee, ON
U23 Men's	July 31st - Aug. 5th	St-Leonard-d'Aston, QC
Men's A	August 29th - Sept. 2nd	St. Croix, NS
Master Men's	August 29th - Sept. 2nd	St. Croix, NS
Men's Slo-Pitch	August 12th - 18th	Lethbridge, AB
Women's Slo-Pitch	Aug. 12th - 18th	Lethbridge, AB

**FOR MORE CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION PLEASE VISIT
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OR CONTACT OUR OFFICE

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Learn to Play Orientation

For parents and coaches only!

Please bring a ball glove and indoor shoes as we will be teaching you how to teach each softball skill.

Location	Date & Time	Contact
Watrous, Watrous Elementary School	April 11 6pm - 9pm	Ole Anderson 306-946-3578 koplumbingandheating@sasktel.net
Regina, Martin Collegiate	April 11 & 12 6pm - 8:30pm	Kristina Kenny 306-552-6944 rmsl@sasktel.net
Martensville, Martensville Athletic Pavillion	April 12 6pm - 9pm	Tegan Johnson 306-370-4884 teaganjohnson@sasktel.net
Humboldt, Humboldt Collegiate Institute	April 16 6pm - 9pm	Shawna Welder 306-682-5931 Shawna.welder@cibc.com
Warman, Legends Centre	April 16 6:30pm - 9:30pm	Heidi Carl 306-281-5525 Heidi.carl@sasktel.net
Naicam, Naicam School	April 23 6:30pm - 9:30pm	Rena Grigo 306-921-0179 rgrigo3@icloud.com
Melfort, Covenant Church	April 23 5:30pm - 8:30pm	Kim Burgis 306-921-9907 cuppagold@live.com
Pilot Butte, Pilot Butte School	April 23 6pm - 9pm	Leigh Fuessel 306-539-5602 stormsoftball3@gmail.com
Kindersley, Kindersley Curling Rink	April 24 6pm - 9pm	Chris Dunn 306-460-9634 cc.dunn@hotmail.com



Athlete Skill Clinics

One Day Clinics

Clinic	Location	Date	Contact
Hitting	Humboldt	April 15	Jennifer Winkel 306-682-2791 jenn.mark@sasktel.net
Pitching	Rouleau	April 18	Carla Nyhus 306-530-4290 rouleauball@gmail.com
Pitch/Catch/Hit	Hague	April 21	Dana Bergen hagueminorball@hotmail.com
Pitching	Kindersley	April 21	Chris Dunn 306-460-9634 skillscoordinator@kmsports.ca
Pitching	Paradise Hill	April 28	Crystal Schaan 306-821-2232 crystal_schaan@hotmail.com
Pitching	Esterhazy	April 29	Brenda Lomenda 306-745-6446 dandblomenda@sasktel.net
Hit/Catch	Watrous	May 5	Alana Armstrong 306-946-7259 alanaarmstrong@sasktel.net
Pitching	Esterhazy	May 6	Brenda Lomenda 306-745-6446 dandblomenda@sasktel.net
Basic Skills	Kindersley	May 6	Chris Dunn 306-460-9634 skillscoordinator@kmsports.ca
Basic Skills	Watrous	May 6	Alana Armstrong 306-946-7259 alanaarmstrong@sasktel.net
Basic Skills	Gravelbourg	May 13	Leanne Nichol 306-650-7710 Leanne_nichol@outlook.com

Softball Fever

For all Softball Fever Camps, see our website (under Athletes) for registration forms, or contact the office for more information.

Location	Date
Weyburn	May 5
Esterhazy	May 6
Battleford	May 12
Swift Current	May 12
Nipawin	May 13



COACHING CLINICS

2018 Community Softball Coaching Clinics

Location	Date	Contact
Moose Jaw	April 13-14	Darren Newberry 306-381-5003 dlnewberry@swf.sk.ca
Weyburn	April 20-21	Jim Swryda 306-861-5053 jim.swryda@secpd.ca
Saskatoon	April 21-22	Barb Corney 306-374-5155 smsl@sasktel.net
Regina	April 27-28	Kristina Kenny 306-552-6944 rmsl@sasktel.net
Yorkton	May 4-5	Clorice Kuzek 306-641-6381 kuzekcl@hotmail.com
Nipawin	May 11-12	Nicole Moore 306-812-8929 curtis.nicole@hotmail.com
Buffalo Narrows	June 2-3	Holly Petite 306-235-7444 holly.petit@sasktel.net

Umpire Clinics

District	Location	Date	Start Time	Contact
1	Carlyle Elementary School Library	April 8	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Shelbey McNair 306-575-7513
6	Saskatoon (Advanced) Gordie Howe Park	April 15	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Darryl Bergeron 306-717-7003
2	Regina (Adv. & Comm) Martin Collegiate	April 15	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Ian Bowers 306-530-5977
4	Esterhazy Hight School	April 15	10:00am Reg at 9:30am	John Vanderhulst 306-745-2406
8	Prince Albert King George Public School	April 15	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Jim Flynn 306-961-0113
6	Saskatoon Gordie Howe Park	April 21	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Darryl Bergeron 306-717-7003
1	Moosomin Communiplex Lobby	April 22	10:00am Reg at 9:30am	Kate Glass 306-434-0245
3	Moose Jaw St. Margaret School	April 22	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Wayne Miller 306-631-4310
7	Unity High School	April 22	10:00am Reg at 9:30am	Marilyn O'Driscoll 306-937-3998
8	Melfort Kerry Vickers Centre	April 22	9:00am	Mike Cole 306-921-5252
4	Yorkton Kinsmen Arena, Blue Room	April 29	10:00am Reg at 9:30am	Clorice Kuzek 306-641-6381
1	Estevan Southeast Training Institute	April 29	9:00am Reg at 8:30am	Wade St. Onge 306-370-9873
1	Ochapowace FN Chief Denton George Multiplex	May 5	10:00am	Andrew Daniels 306-696-2000



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