



Capo Girls Softball
2019 All Star Application & Commitment Form
Due Sunday, April 21, 2019

The completion of this form should not in any way be construed as a selection to an All Star team, but only as to complete the eligibility requirement to be included in the All Star Pool for selection to the All Star Team.

Application Instructions:

1. FORM COMPLETION: All interested **8U, 10U and 12U players** are to read the information on this form **with their parents**, sign, and email back to Angela Ebner at adimattio@yahoo.com no later than Sunday, April 21st. You can scan the form to email or simply take a picture of the signature page of this document and email it. Forms must be received by April 21st in order to be considered for selection to an All Star Team.
2. **Parents** must read and understand the commitment required from them and their child to participate on an All Star team and indicate agreement by having at least one parent or legal guardian sign the form.
3. **You should not apply or attend the 8U All Star Nomination Showcase if you cannot meet the requirements of attendance as outlined in the form below.** Questions are welcomed prior to evaluations.
4. Please review the 2019 All Star Nomination_SelectionProcess for detailed information about how All Star players are selected for all divisions.

AGREEMENT

This agreement is entered into for the purpose of explaining All Star team participation and defining the terms and conditions of player/parents. In consideration of the mutual promise of all players to play to the best of their ability, the parents to support the player positively, the manager and coaches to supervise all team activities responsibly and the Board of Directors of Capo Girls Softball to sponsor the tournament team, all parties understand and agree as follows:

1. **ALL STAR PROCEDURE & ELIGIBILITY-** All Stars is a separate team and tournaments from the regular softball season and comes under separate tournament rules and guidelines as defined in the USA Official Regulations & Rules. All Stars is considered post-season tournament play and the emphasis is on fielding players to win tournaments. We are in a "B" division so we will have tournament play, district play, and may advance to state and national play. **Players are selected based on commitment, eligibility (age), availability, playing skills, sportsmanship, and attitude. A player must also have participated in at least 75% of their regular season games to be eligible. Any player considered for All Stars must not have played for any Travel team or select team after March 31st.**
2. **TEAM SELECTION-** All registered players who meet the requirements of attendance and fees are eligible to apply and to be rated/voted on by the managers and coaches in their division as defined by the Capo Girls All Star policy.
3. **CONDITIONS OF ACCEPTING NOMINATION TO ALL STARS-** This agreement contains the conditions of participation for each player and her parent(s) or guardian(s). Each must understand and agree to abide by these terms and conditions. Failure to do so will result in disciplinary action taken against the violating party, could result in suspension or dismissal from the team this year, and exclusion from All Star play next year, as approved by the Board of Directors.
 - a. **PLAYER COMMITMENT-**Your managers and coaches are honoring you as a regular season player for your commitment to excellence and as a potential member of the tournament team. Your selection as an All Star is not a right, but a privilege. You are expected to play fair and strive to win, but win or lose you will always do your best. You will be positive and motivational to your fellow players, respectful of the coaching staff, all parents, tournament officials, umpires, and everyone you encounter. You represent the Capo Girls Softball League and our tradition and reputation of excellence in tournament play. You are expected to uphold this tradition and reputation.
 - b. **PLAYER PARTICIPATION-**No guarantees are made to anyone as to a specific amount of playing time, if any. The manager and coaches of the team will make that determination. You are expected to be part of the team for the duration of tournament play. Your position on the field and in the batting order, if any, will be earned through hard work, skills, ability, a positive mental attitude, and specific needs of the team in a given game situation as determined by the manager and coaches of the team. You will attend all practices and tournament games and are expected to be part of the team for the duration of tournament play, regardless of your playing time.



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- c. PRACTICES-Practices will be held according to the schedule established by the coaching staff. Each team's practices generally start right after tryouts. Multiple practices may be held on selected days. Each player will commit to participate in all practices unless prior notice and permission is obtained from the manager or coach. Depending on the division there may be less than two weeks allowed for preparation before play begins.
- d. ABSENCES-The CGS Board of Directors suggests that only 2 excused absences may occur during the practice time and none during the tournaments. Any absences must be approved in advanced by the coaching staff and Board of Directors. **No unexcused absences are allowed and you may be removed from the team following an unexcused absence. ANY and ALL conflicts must be noted in the "Events/Dates" section on the signature page of this form. If an absence is not noted in the "Events/Dates" section of this form, it will be considered an "unexcused practice" and the Board of Directors may dismiss the player from the team.**
- e. DISMISSAL-The CGS Board of Directors reserves the right to dismiss any player or parent for violation of the above referenced rules regarding attendance and participation. The coaching staff and Board will deal with circumstances beyond the control of the player such as illness, injury, or family emergency in an appropriate manner. Any player or parent dismissed for any reason deemed justifiable by the Board will be replaced. The Board also reserves the right to limit participation or dismiss any player, manager, or parent for actions that the Board deems inappropriate or unbecoming of an All Star player, parent, manager, or coach.
- f. PARENTAL COMMITMENT-Each parent is made a party of this commitment agreement along with the players, manger, coach, and Board of Directors for the purpose of enlisting the common support of everyone involved in All Star Tournament play. **All parents agree to adopt the provisions of the Commitment Agreement for the support of team members, coaching staff, all other parents, the Board of Directors of Capo Girls Softball and anyone else involved in All Star play.**
- g. ALL-STAR PARTICIPATION COSTS:
- a. Registration: Registration will be \$350.00 per player selected onto a Gold team and \$300.00 per player selected onto a Silver team. This covers the cost of tournament entry fees through the District tournament, complete uniform consisting of two (2) jerseys, one (1) pair of pants and socks and the USA ID card/fee.
 - b. Equipment: New All-Stars will also be required to purchase an All-Star helmet and bag through the League's selected provider. Helmet with backpack will be an additional \$100.00 OR helmet with catcher's bag will be \$115.00. NOTE: Returning players wishing to replace their helmet and/or bag can purchase such items at cost.
 - c. Travel: All travel expenses, including but not limited to lodging, meals and transportation are the full responsibility of the player and player's parents. Note: There is currently one tournament scheduled through Districts that will require a 2 night hotel stay.
 - d. Tournaments beyond District: If a team or teams advance to State and National tournaments, players on those teams will incur additional costs and those costs must be paid by participating players and/or team fundraising efforts.
- h. **A minimum 6 hours of volunteer work per family will be required to help Rancho Trabuco host the May 17-19 tournament. A \$150 check will be collected from each family and returned upon completion of hours. This tournament will be played at Rancho Trabuco fields in Rancho Santa Margarita AND at our Cooks Fields in San Juan Capistrano.**



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These are the tournaments for this All Star Season:

Events (subject to change)	Dates	Location (subject to change)	Players Notes
8U All Star Nomination Showcase	Sun, April 28 @ 9:30	Cooks Fields, San Juan	*Only 8U Players
Softball Practices	Wed, May 1 – Sat, June 23	Cooks	*Dates could extend depending on results
Rancho Trabuco	May 17-19	Santa Margarita/Cooks	
San Clemente	May 24-27	San Clemente	B Gold Teams
Scripps Ranch	May 31-June 2	Scripps Ranch	*Hotel stay
Irvine Summer Classic	June 7-9	Irvine	
“C” Districts (Silver teams)	June 14-16	Orange County	*For ALL Silver Teams
Laguna Niguel Tourney	June 14-16	Laguna Niguel	*For ALL Gold Teams
“B” Districts (Gold Teams)	June 21-23	Orange County	*For ALL Gold Teams
“C” State Championships	June 28-30	Lancaster	*Silver Teams Must Qualify
“B” State Championships	July 5-7	Lancaster	*Gold Teams Must Qualify
USA Pacific Coast Region Championship	July 12-14	San Diego	*Must Qualify-C Teams only (Silver)
USA B Western National Championship	July 29-August 4	Camarillo, Ca.	*Must Qualify-10U and 12U only (Gold)



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Player Name _____

Parent Name _____

Parent Email _____ Parent Phone _____

DIVISION: 8U 10U 12U 14U

PLAYER AGREEMENT

As a player, I agree to all the requirements outlined on this form. I fully understand and agree to be available to attend practice sessions as defined by the All Star Team Manager and participate fully in tournaments. I also understand that all planned absences must be brought to the attention of the board and team manager and must be approved in advance as an "excused" absence. I understand no unexcused absences are allowed and may result in removal from the team. **I also understand that I may be asked to play in different positions than I played during the regular season and there is no guarantee of any play time during all star tournament play.** I understand that collectively we will strive for the common goal of our best effort and performance as a team.

Player Signature _____ Date _____

PARENT AGREEMENT

As a parent of the applicant player, I agree to all the conditions of participation as outlined in this form. I understand and agree to support the time commitment and involvement of my child in the All Star Season, if my child is selected to the All Star Team. I also understand that my daughter may not receive tournament playing time and I, as a part, agree to keep a positive attitude towards the team, coaches, and players and not negatively discuss any player or coaches' decisions or I will be suspended from practices and games as determined by the Board of Directors. I also understand the volunteer commitment for the Rancho Trabuco Tournament on May 17-19th.

Parent Signature _____ Date _____

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Parent Comments :