



Little League Girls Softball Spring 2006

We hope you will take this opportunity to register your daughter for a truly unique team sport opportunity this Spring. **San Francisco Little League** Girls' Softball Division is accepting new registrants through January 10, 2006.

In order to register, please visit <http://www.sfll.org>.

SFLL offers five different levels of play for different age/skill groups. We do our best to place girls at the level in which they will be most likely to enjoy success. We are currently accepting registration for all divisions.

- Farm** - Beginning level. Coach-pitch. Developmental league for ages 6 to 8 (Kindergarten through 2nd grade). Group registration permitted.
- Rookies** – Introductory kid-pitch, competitive level. Ages 8-9 (2nd, 3rd & 4th grade).
- Minors** – Appropriately competitive, kid-pitch, more advanced skill development. Ages 10-11 (4th & 5th grade).
- Majors** – Competitive. Age/Level of Little League World Series players. Ages 11-12 (5th, 6th & 7th grade).
- Seniors** - Ages 13 -14. These girls are strong softball players and usually plan to play high school softball.

Player Placement

Skills Evaluation Sessions (SES) will be held in late January to ensure we have the girls playing at the correct level for their skills. These sessions are run by coaches and involve various drills on hitting, fielding, throwing, running and pitching. Teams are formed in early February, with a focus on achieving a competitive balance.

Season

The season runs from mid-March to early June. It opens with the Little League Parade in March and ends with season ending playoffs and a Family-oriented Jamboree. We try to minimize Saturday games so that girls playing basketball or soccer can avoid conflicts.

Clinics

In addition to the Skills Evaluation Sessions, we offer the girls the opportunity to further develop their skills through a series of Softball Clinics. These informal sessions allow the girls to prepare for the season ahead, and focus on hitting, fielding, throwing and pitching. This is an excellent venue in which to learn the fine art of softball pitching. A series of clinics will be held for pitchers throughout the season. Clinics are conducted by the coaches with the assistance of special instructors from area high school and college softball programs.

Our mission is to provide a positive softball and personal development experience for every single one of our players. We hope you will be part of our spring season and look forward to seeing you at the pre-season clinics and skills sessions.

Cordially,

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