

FOREST LAKE AREA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION (F.L.A.A.A.)

GIRLS SOFTBALL SIGNUP – Monday, March 3rd, 2008

at Forest Lake High School, 7:30 – 9:00 p.m.

Signup deadline by mail is March 21st, 2008, Gr. K-6

All signups after March 21st will be charged a late fee of \$25.00

We will not consider a team preference on any late signups!

Late signups will be placed on a waiting list and/or another area team/grade subject to coach availability. We will be limiting the number of players on each team!

Make checks payable to "FLAAA YOUTH SOFTBALL"

FLAAA PHONE LINE: 651-464-3695 FLAAA WEBSITE: www.flaaa.org

The Softball Season starts the week of April 28th, 2008 (ends July 3, 2008)

Grade Level	Game Day	Time	Cost
Kindergarten/1 st Gr T-Ball	Wednesday	6:30 pm	\$40.00
2 nd Grade Coach-Pitch	Thursday	6:30 pm	\$40.00
3 rd Grade Modified-Pitch	Monday	6:30 pm	\$50.00
4 th Grade Modified-Pitch	Tuesday	6:30 pm	\$50.00
5 th Grade Modified-Pitch	Monday	6:30 pm	\$50.00
6 th Grade Modified-Pitch	Thursday	6:30 pm	\$50.00

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Player's Name (print) _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

School: _____ Present Grade: _____ (must be in K-6) DOB _____

Parent's/Guardian's Name(s)
(print) _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature: _____

Coaches are needed. If interested, fill in the information below. Head Coaches will be reimbursed for one child's fee.

Name (print) _____ Home Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Check one: _____ Head Coach _____ Assistant Coach _____ Umpire

****Coaches' clinic is Saturday, April 12th at 9:00 am at the Forest Lake VFW (Head Coach MUST attend; Assistant Coaches welcome). ALL COACHES WILL HAVE BACKGROUND CHECKS DONE.**

You will receive rules & regulations, rosters, game schedules, and equipment at this meeting.

Umpire's clinics are Tuesday, April 23th @ 7:00 pm or Sat. April 26th @ 9:00 am at FL VFW-MUST attend to get paid!

Please check one: _____ I do _____ I do not _____ have medical coverage.

Name of Insurance Carrier: _____ Policy or Group # _____

Doctor's Name: _____ Clinic Name: _____

I understand that the coaches, coordinators, and directors are not liable for any injuries incurred while playing, practicing or watching softball. In case of an emergency, this is an authorization for the Head Coach and/or Assistant Coach to get medical assistance for my child.

**BRING THIS FORM COMPLETED TO SIGNUP NIGHT, MARCH 3rd
OR MAIL IT TO: FLAAA Youth Softball, PO Box 21, Forest Lake, MN 55025
(Note: please read second page of this form)**

FOREST LAKE AREA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION YOUTH ATHLETIC PROGRAM

Our Mission

"Supporting and participating in the positive development of Youth."

Our Philosophy

The general philosophy of FLAAA is to support all organized, approved youth activities in a positive environment. The primary activities are athletics that are activities operating under the umbrella of FLAAA. The primary areas of support are the communities included in the boundaries of Independent School District #831.

The goal of FLAAA is to encourage positive learning from coaches and role models and to develop good citizenship now and in the future for the betterment of the individual and its communities. FLAAA also supports: other youth activities that are non-athletic activities, humanitarian needs, community events, schools and requests on an individual basis as approved by the Board of Directors

Purpose

1. Enable youth to have FUN and enjoy the sport.
2. Develop sportsmanship and teamwork
3. Teach the Fundamentals of the sport.
4. Provide youth with an organized athletic experience.

Volunteers

1. Volunteers are an important and necessary part of our athletic program.
2. F.L.A.A. programs include over 200 volunteers.

Volunteer coach rules

1. Give all participants an opportunity to play a fair amount in games.
2. Let players experience all positions (within reason and safely) especially in practice.
3. Stress the fundamentals.
4. Be positive
5. Set a good example for your players. Be accepting of referees decisions and polite in your dealings With opposing teams. Insist upon good sportsmanship from your team.
6. Be in control of your players at practices and games. Supervise your players and make sure they treat the facilities with respect.
7. Players are to be supervised by the coach before and after practice until the parents pick them up.
8. There will be no swearing by coaches or players. No drinking or smoking at FLAAA games/events. Never show up with alcohol on your breath.
9. NO physical or verbal abuse will be tolerated.

Participant ratio

1. Our goal is to have a low ratio of participants per team to enable our philosophy to be accomplished.

FLAAA Area Sports Directors:

Softball Sports Directors: Jim Mendoza (Gr. K-6) 651-433-4202 Mike Schmitz (Gr. 7-12), 651-982-2867
Columbus - Coordinator - Brian Whitson 651-982-0080
Forest Lake - Coordinator - Rich Soye 651-982-1645
Lino Lakes—Coordinator - Gary Jorgensen 651-783-0521
Linwood—Coordinator - Jeff Thobe 651-408-0409
Scandia - Coordinator - Jim Mendoza 651-433-4202
Wyoming - Coordinator - Deb Healy 651-464-1411