

2009 ADULT RECREATIONAL REGISTRATION

Amateur Softball Association



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OF SOFTBALL**

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RECREATIONAL LEAGUE REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete the *2009 Adult Recreational League Registration Invoice* form providing the information as requested. Please select your registration fee option. Please return that form along with the appropriate payment to the address noted above as soon as possible. Please make your check payable to ***SOUTH FLORIDA ASA***.

RECREATIONAL LEAGUE REGISTRATION FEE OPTIONS

Team Registration - \$25.00 per new team per recreational season

- The league submits the name of each new team and coach on the *ASA Adult and Junior Olympic Team Registration Form*. This form can be downloaded from the *South Florida ASA* website.
- No team insurance provided. The teams, at their option, are responsible for purchasing their own team insurance. Team insurance may be purchased from *Bollinger Insurance* at www.bollingerasa.com.

OR

Individual Player Registration - \$20.00 per player for calendar year

- The league submits the name of each player on each team on the *2009 Adult Recreational Player Registration Form*.
- Each player is provided with \$500.00 excess accident medical insurance deductible and \$2 million liability insurance.
- 100% participation is required. All players **MUST** participate in this registration option. Otherwise, use the ***Team Registration*** option.

Recreational league teams ARE eligible for Championship Play. However, in order to play in tournaments, the recreational league team will have to register as a Championship Play team and follow the procedures as established for those teams. In addition, the recreational roster used during 2009 will also have to be provided when registering as a Championship Play team.

COST COMPARISON FOR INSURANCE

In order to utilize softball fields, a recreational league organizing group must provide proof of insurance (unless that group already owns the fields). That means you must purchase, at a minimum, liability insurance for each team.

Let's assume you organize a softball league with 4 teams (the minimum number of teams required for an ASA recognized softball league). The field owner requires you to provide proof of insurance for each team. What are the costs involved?

Team Registration with only Liability Insurance:

- Team Registration of \$25 per team for 4 teams = \$100.00
- Liability Insurance of \$151 per team for 4 teams = \$604.00
- **Total Cost = \$704.00**

Team Registration with Liability and \$500 Medical Deductible:

- Team Registration of \$25 per team for 4 teams = \$100.00
- Liability/Medical Insurance of \$281 per team for 4 teams = \$1,124.00
- **Total Cost = \$1,224.00**

Individual Player Registration which includes Liability and \$500 Medical Deductible:

- Average 13 players per team at \$20 per player for 4 teams = \$1,040.00
- **Total Cost = \$1,040.00**

Benefits of Individual Player Registration versus Team Registration:

- With Individual Registration, the registration fee is valid for the entire year and follows the player within the recreational league. The player is allowed to change to a different team the next softball season (within the same calendar year) and not be required to register again. The league does not register again. However, as new players enter the league during the year, each new player ***MUST*** individually register.
- With Team Registration, you must register each new team per softball season (within the same calendar year). With each new team, you will also need to purchase team insurance. Therefore, if you have 2 softball seasons within a calendar year, and for each softball season every player forms a new team, then your **total cost for the calendar year is \$1,408.00 (2 times \$704.00) for just team registration and liability insurance.**

Therefore, you decide:

- Team Registration?
- Individual Registration?

FIELD OWNERS' INSURANCE INFORMATION

Field Owners Insurance (\$200.00 option)

- The league maintains a roster with waiver language on the form for each team that plays.
- The league must have 100% of the players signing the roster with waiver language.
- This roster form is to be maintained for at least three (3) years.
- This insurance protects the field owners, not the players or umpires.
- Go to *Bollinger Insurance* at www.bollingerasa.com for information on the insurance.
- If 200 or more recreational teams register per calendar year, *South Florida ASA* will pay this premium the following calendar year.

Field Owners Insurance (\$1,000.00 option)

- The league maintains a roster with NO waiver language on the form for each team that plays.
- The roster form is to be maintained for at least three (3) years.
- This insurance protects the field owners, not the players or umpires.
- Go to *Bollinger Insurance* at www.bollingerasa.com for information on this insurance.
- If 200 or more teams register for a year, *South Florida ASA* will contribute \$200 for your premium the following calendar year. You will be responsible for the remaining \$800 and must pay this amount to *South Florida ASA* prior to the request for the insurance.

RECREATIONAL PARK ASA SANCTIONED INVITATIONAL TOURNAMENTS

Tournament Sanctioning Fee

- Your recreational park runs the tournament, collects the fees, and pays the sanctioning fees and other costs.
- Your recreational park must enter into a sanctioning agreement with *South Florida ASA*.
- Your recreational park establishes its own park ground rules.
- ASA certified umpires must be used. You pay the umpires.
- Your recreational park must secure tournament liability insurance from *Bollinger Insurance* at www.bollingerasa.com. You must make *South Florida ASA* as an additional insured.
- No team insurance provided. The team is responsible for their team insurance. Team insurance may be purchased from *Bollinger Insurance* at www.bollingerasa.com.



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For Leagues Starting January 1st, 2009 – December 31st, 2009

Please complete this form and return it to the address shown above, along with a check payable to **SOUTH FLORIDA ASA**. Each new team will receive the *Official Rules of Softball* and *Scorebook* upon returning the completed *ASA Adult and Junior Olympic Team Registration Form* or *2009 Adult Recreational Player Registration Form*. These forms can be downloaded from the *South Florida ASA* website.

Team Registration Option

Number of teams _____ x \$25.00 per team = \$_____.

OR

Individual Player Registration

Individual Registration (\$500 Deductible): \$20.00 per player for the calendar year. 100% participation required. Each player will receive one (1) non-photo ID card.

<u>Description</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Cost</u>	<u>Total</u>
Players		\$20.00	\$_____ .00

Please Print or Type Clearly

League Name:	
Coordinator's Name:	
Address:	
City, Zip:	
Work Phone:	
Fax:	
Cellular:	
Email:	

REGISTRATION CODES

Check one: Men's: Women's: Coed:

Pitch (Check one): Slow: Fast: Modified:

Recreational teams registered are eligible for championship play. However, they must also register as a Championship Play team and follow the procedures as established for registering as a Championship Play team.

Please make your check payable to **SOUTH FLORIDA ASA**. Please mail your check along with this form to the address noted above.

I hereby acknowledge both my receipt and understanding of the registration process. The registration instructions can be downloaded from the *South Florida ASA* website.

Coordinator's Signature: _____ Date: _____



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2009 ADULT RECREATIONAL PLAYER REGISTRATION FORM

League Name: _____

Team Name: _____

#	<u>First Name</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Street Address</u>	<u>City, State</u>	<u>Zip</u>	<u>DOB</u>
1						__/__/__
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PLEASE use this form only if you are using individual registration.

PLEASE use a different page for each team of individually registered players.

The number of players on this form should total the number of "Players" being registered as shown on the *2009 Adult Recreational League Registration Invoice*.