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## 2021 SOFTBALLNATION RICHMOND FAST PITCH TOURNAMENTS



**SoftballNation's 2021 Fast Pitch Nationals: July 22-25 (Richmond, Va): 5 Game Format.**

**(Every Player gets a Free Pass to Kings Dominion for Player Day: July 22<sup>nd</sup>)**

**10u, 12u, 14u, 16u, 18u, 23u:** The SoftballNation Fast Pitch Nationals will be held in Richmond, VA Teams must be qualified to participate in this event. Entry information is available on [www.softballnation.com](http://www.softballnation.com).

**Team Registration:** All teams must be registered with SoftballNation for the 2021 season. Your Roster and Team Registration must be completed online at [www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation](http://www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation) The 2021 Team registration fee is \$40.

**Team Insurance:** Each team must have team insurance to participate in a SoftballNation event. You can get team insurance through our agency, Chappell Insurance. You can visit them on the web at [www.chappellinsurance.com](http://www.chappellinsurance.com)

### **Featured Events:**

**Memorial Day Shootout:** May 29-30. All Age Groups. Gold Champions receive a ***Paid Entry to the Queen of The Hill.***

**The Queen of The Hill (Mid-Atlantic Championship):** July 3-4-5. It's a 7 game format event with an entry fee of \$650. This is an automatic qualifier for the Fast Pitch Nationals and it's a well-attended event with some great competition at every age level.

**TO PARTICIPATE IN A TOURNAMENT:** All teams participating in a SoftballNation Sanctioned event must be registered for the 2021 season. You must register your team online at [www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation](http://www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation) (\$40). Your Team must have proof of team insurance and completed rosters with photocopied birth certificates available to EACH tournament director. Team Insurance Information: [www.chappellinsurance.com](http://www.chappellinsurance.com)

**Age Cutoff Date:** Age Cut-off date is Dec. 31 (Whatever age the player is on Jan. 1st 2021 is the age at which she may compete in 2021).

### **Qualifying for the Fast Pitch Nationals:**

The Fast Pitch Nationals will be held July 22-25 in Richmond, VA. While many teams may qualify, we may be limited in the overall number of teams we take to ensure each team has an enjoyable experience. To make sure your team is confirmed, we urge you to enter early. You may enter prior to your team qualifying and if your team fails to qualify, your entry fee will be returned.

**To Enter A Tournament:** The process of entering a tournament is simple. In many cases, you can enter a tournament online, either by email or by an online entry form. However, you should always contact the Tournament Director and speak to him/her personally to confirm your team's entry. No entry is considered official until the entry fee is received.

**Tournament Entry Policy/Entry Deadline:** The official Entry Deadline for a tournament is 7 Days Prior to the event. Teams with questions may contact their respective tournament director. All Entry Fees must be sent in advance unless prior approval is made by your SoftballNation director. The Official Entry Deadline is 7 days before the tournament. Any request for entry after the deadline is not guaranteed and will only be accepted on a space-available basis. Withdrawal after the deadline is automatic forfeiture of entry fee.

**Withdrawal Policy:** Any team that withdraws from a tournament after the entry deadline will forfeit their entry fee. Returned or cancelled checks will result in the immediate suspension of a team and that team will not be allowed to play in any tournament until the matter is settled. NO SHOWS who fail to pay the entry fee will be immediately suspended and assessed a \$100 fine in addition to the tournament entry fee.

**Returned or Canceled Checks** will be assessed a \$50 penalty and the team will be considered suspended until payment is made.

**Illegal withdrawal, tournament no shows and canceled checks will result in forfeiture of all berths awarded.**

**WEATHER REFUND POLICY:** If a tournament is cancelled due to weather or other circumstances out of the control of the tournament director, partial refunds or credits may be awarded based on number of games completed. Please refer to the Official Rule Book for details on the Entry Fee Refund Policy.

### **Teams may qualify for the Fast Pitch Nationals by one of the following ways:**

- \*\* Participate in Three (3) SoftballNation Sanctioned tournaments prior to the Fast Pitch Nationals.
- \*\* Win a SoftballNation Sanctioned Tournament with 8 or more teams in your respective age group.
- \*\* Be the Highest Finishing Team from your respective state in a SoftballNation Designated NIT event
- \*\* Participate in the SoftballNation Mid-Atlantic Championship (Queen of The Hill) Tournament
- \*\* Teams outside Virginia may participate in the Mid-Atlantic Championship (2021 Queen of The Hill) Scholarship Event



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Date	Youth Fast Pitch Tournaments	Location	Games	Age Groups	Fee	Director
Mar 6	Early Bird Shootout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10,12,14	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 7	Varsity Series 1 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 13	St Patrick's Day Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 14	Varsity Series 2 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 20	Spring Opener (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 27	Spring Breakout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
Mar 28	Varsity Series 3 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Apr 3	Easter Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
Apr 10	Spring Kickoff Classic (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14	325	Butch Tiller
Apr 11	Varsity Series 4 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Apr 17	Mizuno Madness (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14	425	Butch Tiller
April 18	Varsity Series 5 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16, 18	325	Butch Tiller
Apr 24	Cap City Shootout (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10, 12, 14	425	Butch Tiller
Apr 25	Varsity Series 6 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16, 18	325	Butch Tiller
May 1	The Dirty Dozens (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10, 12, 14	425	Butch Tiller
May 2	Varsity Series 7 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
May 8	Mother's Day Classic (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
May 15	May Day Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
May 16	Varsity Series 8 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16, 18	325	Butch Tiller
May 22	Hit N Run Challenge (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	325	Butch Tiller
May 29	Memorial Day Shootout (Sat./Sun) <i>(Paid Queen Entry to Gold Champions)</i>	Richmond, VA	4	10,12,14,16,18	450	Butch Tiller
Jun 5	June Jamboree (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
Jun 12	The Rock & Fire (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
June 19	Schools Out All-Nighter (Begins 6pm Sat)	Richmond, VA	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
June 26	Summer One Day (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
July 3,4,5	The Queen of The Hill (Sat,Sun,Mon) <i>(Winning Gold Teams Receive Paid Nationals Entry)</i>	Richmond, Va	7 4	12,14,16,18,23 10u:	650 550	Butch Tiller
July 10	The Nitty Gritty (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
July 17	Nationals Warm Up (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
July 22-25	SBN Fast Pitch Nationals (5 Games) Games Played: Fri, Sat, Sun <i>Sponsored By Kings Dominion (Free Pass: Thurs)</i>	Richmond, Va	5 4	12,14,16,18, 23 10	750 550	Butch Tiller
July 31	Bring The Heat (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
Aug 7	Dog Days Open (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Aug 21	Back To School All-Nighter <i>(Begins 6pm) (Sat)</i>	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller

## Fall Tournaments are Considered Open Roster Events

Sept 4	Labor Day Scramble (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Sept 11	Fall Opener (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Sept 12	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Sept 19	Varsity Blues (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Sept 25	September Shootout (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Sept 26	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 2	Fall Fast Pitch Festival (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 3	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16, 18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 9	Fast Pitch Palooza (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 10	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 16	Fall Finale (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 17	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 23	Mizuno Super Shootout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Oct 30	Halloween Cup (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	450	Butch Tiller
Nov 6	Fall Shootout (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Nov 20	Turkey Bowl (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Nov 27	The Leftovers (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller
Dec 4	Winter Welcome (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	325	Butch Tiller

***To Enter any of these tournaments, contact Butch Tiller: 804-378-2285 or email: [tilcomm@aol.com](mailto:tilcomm@aol.com)***



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