

NOR-CAL USA SOFTBALL MEMORANDUM

To: Nor-Cal “C” JO Championships Team Managers
From: Vince DeFriese, Nor-Cal Tournament Director
Subject: 2023 Nor-Cal JO “C” Association Championship Tournament
Date: March 8, 2023

I would like to take this opportunity to invite you and your team to the 2023 Nor-Cal “C” Junior Olympic Championship Tournaments being hosted this year in Sunnyvale, California.

QUALIFICATION

All 8U, 10U & 12U teams must have played in one USA Softball Association approved qualifying tournament prior to the tournament date.

TOURNAMENT SITE

The 8U age division will be played at the Salinas Sports Complex, while the 10U & 12U age divisions will be played at Twin Creeks. Twin Creeks has converted all fields to artificial all-purpose turf and metal cleats of any kind will not be permitted. Turf shoes and rubber molded shoes will be allowed.

COMPETITION DATES

The 8U age division games will be played on June 10-11, while the 10U & 12U age division games will be held on June 23-25. The entry form and payment must be received by June 9 for each of the tournaments. There is a three-game guarantee for each of the tournaments.

HOTEL INFORMATION

For your convenience, a discounted rate is available at the Santa Clara Marriott and the Aloft 510 America Center Court in San Jose. Interested parties should contact Sandy Scott at sscott@norcalusasoftball.org.

SAFESPORT/ACE COACHING CERTIFICATION

It is mandatory that all travel team managers and coaches have completed their SafeSport and ACE Coaching Certification with background check. Along with the tournament entry form and tournament fee, a copy of the ACE Certification Card and the concussion certificate is required.

PLAYER PHOTO IDENTIFICATION

It is mandatory that each player provide a photo identification card for championship play, which can include a DMV license or identification card, passport (within two years) or a photo ID card though www.registerusasoftball.com. A purchased ID card in the previous year is acceptable for age identification if the player is competing in the same age classification this season, but the player would still need to register individually as a USA Softball member for the 2023 season.

ENTRY FORM

The entry form and tournament fact sheet are available on the Nor-Cal website at www.norcalusasoftball.org. The entry fee is \$795 for 8U and the deadline for submission is May 26, 2023 and the entry fee is \$850 for 10U & 12U with a deadline for submission of June 9, 2023. You must register your team at www.tournamentusasoftball.com and can also pay your entry fee online. You may also mail in the Nor-Cal USA entry form with payment to: NOR-CAL USA Softball, PO Box 2829, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. Overnight mail can be sent to Sandy Scott, 5332 Divot Circle, Fair Oaks, CA 95628. For more information regarding registration please contact Sandy Scott at sscott@norcalusasoftball.org or (916) 962-1631.

TOURNAMENT PHOTOGRAPHY

Nor-Cal USA Softball may have an approved professional photographer at the tournament and on the field.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

For any questions regarding the tournament, please contact Tournament Director Nick Schapiro at nschapiro@norcalusasoftball.com or Vince DeFriese at vdefriese@norcalusasoftball.org.