



JGFA Coaches Training Guide 2018

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To provide a safe, fun, educational, and challenging softball playing experience for athletes allowing players to grow socially, personally, physically, and emotionally. Preparing them for competitive play at the JPS level.

In addition to this above: Coaches determine playing time based on level of play of each players as they develop them.

Fair playing time should be established but, not guaranteed.

We ask that coaches build and play competitive teams during key times such as tournaments, qualifiers, and state!



Certification & Requirements

- **Background Check Through Community Ed (Head Coach) JGFA will pay for.**
- **Ace Certification 40 minutes on site which includes background check (Asst. Coach) \$25.00 cost JGFA will reimburse fee.**
- **First Aid/CPR Training tie in with baseball to get best rate if available.**
- **Attend National Sports Clinic held at Marriot in Hopkins Jan. featured speakers NCAA coaches from around the the country JGFA registers and pays fees.**
- **Attend all 5 Sunday's of the Gustavus clinic including the pitcher catcher sessions. (1/14, 1/21, 1/28, 2/11, 2/18)**
- **CDC Heads Up Concussion Certification (all coaches)**
- **Positive Coaching Alliance (Jordan High School will offer this once a year free of charge)**
- **Attend/Assist in tryouts last weekend in Feb.2018**



Training Site Info



Minnesota State High School League
2100 Freeway Boulevard, Brooklyn Center, MN 55430-1735 (763) 560-2262

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Free Concussion Training Course

Get prepared for the new season.

HEADS UP Concussion in Youth Sports is a free, online course available to coaches, parents, and others helping to keep athletes safe from concussion.

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<https://www.cdc.gov/headsup/youthsports/coach.html>



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The ACE (Aspire, Challenge, Encourage) Coach Education Program is a coaching program, developed and designed to provide softball coaches of all levels – from beginning coaches to experienced veterans – an opportunity to be educated at

<https://www.teamusa.org/usa-softball/play-usa-softball/youth/ace-coach-education-program>



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The Positive Sports Parent focuses on life lessons through sports, leaving concerns about results in competition to coaches and athletes.

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<https://www.positivecoach.org/>



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2018 National Softball Coaches Clinic

MINNEAPOLIS

JANUARY 19-20, 2018

CLINIC SITE

Hilton Minneapolis/St. Paul Airport
3800 American Blvd. East
Bloomington, MN 55425
(952) 854-2100

Our lineup of speakers for the Minneapolis clinic. . .



2018 MINNEAPOLIS CLINIC PROGRAM

[Download Clinic Brochure Here](#)

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 2018
SESSION I

SATURDAY, JANUARY 20, 2018
SESSION III

11:30-1:00 Registration & Exhibitor Display
1:00-2:00!
2:00-3:00
3:00-3:30 Exhibitor Display & Break
3:30-4:30
4:30-5:30
5:30-7:00 Dinner (on your own)

8:00 - 8:45
8:45 - 9:30
9:30 - 10:15
10:15 - 10:30 Exhibitor Display — Break
10:30 - 11:15
11:15 - 12:00
12:00 - 1:15 Lunch (on your own)

SESSION II

SESSION IV

7:00 - 7:45
7:45 - 8:30
8:30 - 9:15
9:15 - 11:00 Coaches Social Hour — Exhibitor Display

1:15 - 2:00
2:00 - 2:45
2:45 - 3:30



Managing a Team

Pick your tournaments up to two. The Jordan Tourney is your 3rd. Once you select a tournament get with the association treasurer with an email of the tournament registration filled out and he/she will send entry fee in

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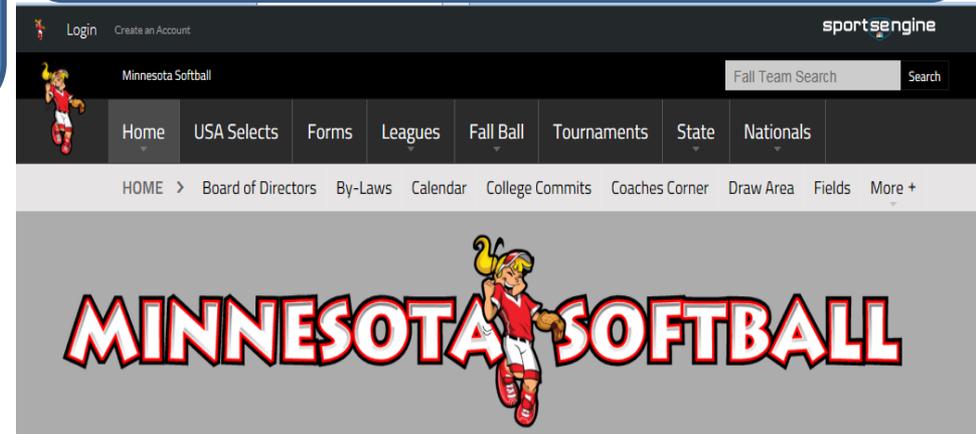
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<http://fastsports.com/>

We will hold a draft for fields for all practices and games with the baseball organization. Once finalized all fields for your games and practices will be given to Community Ed to load onto their site. Changes after that work with the site calendar.

Manage your team on this site. Rosters, schedules and game reporting. Also announcements such as qualifier and state information.



<http://fastpitch.mnsoftball.com/home>

You will need to attend you team meeting up in Medina to create your league/weekly game schedules with other teams. 1st Wed. in April is 10' & 12's and 2nd Wed. in April is 14's & 16's. Try to schedule as many home games in May as fields get tough to come by in June! Umpires will be scheduled once you turn in your home game schedules. Any changes to home schedules must notify assigned umpire.



Equipment-Keys To Fields

- **Keys will be provided for Holzer 1&2 and Holzer #3. Also if a key is needed for the Den/Field #1 and use of the pitching machine request that as well. Reserve the batting cages as well on field #1 The Den as another practice place and or option.**
- **We will have all the necessary equipment for your needs and if we do not have please request.**
- **We will have a checklist provided and you can utilize that and we will assign a time and place for pick up.**
- **Game balls will be provided for your home games and tournaments.**

Again any additional expenses and or fees keep your receipts to get reimbursed. If a large piece of equipment is needed please run it by a board member first for approval. Expense's not to exceed \$100.00.



Questions & Answers

Q: Can I assign duties and what are those duties?

A: Yes it is a good idea to spread some of the responsibilities to parents that want to help such as; prepping fields on game day, bench coach keeping the score book, team manager to help manage the JO softball Site, communications manager email/team snap on all practices, games and tournament updates.