



# North Providence Girls Fastpitch Softball

## FAQ's

### When is registration?

Registration is open now and will close on 3/15/24. Please use the online portal to register. From the NPGFS home page click on the "register" button on the top right corner.

### What age group will my daughter be in?

Divisional placement is determined by age as of September 1st, 2023.

<b>Instructional Division (coach pitch)</b>	<b>Age as of Jan 1, 2023</b>	<b>Birth Years</b>
6U	4, 5, & 6 yrs old	2018, 2019, 2020
8U	7 & 8 yrs old	2017, 2016
<b>Fastpitch Division (player pitch)</b>	<b>Age as of Jan 1, 2023</b>	<b>Birth Years</b>
10U	9 & 10 yrs old	2014, 2015
12U	11 & 12 yrs old	2013, 2012
14U	13 & 14 yrs old	2011, 2010

### How much does it cost to register?

6U & 8U \$95  
10U, 12U, and 14U - \$108



There is a \$10 discount for 1st sibling, \$20 discount for 2nd sibling that will automatically be applied when you register.

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### **When does the season start?**

The town of North Providence allows us to use fields starting on April 1<sup>st</sup>. We typically take the first couple weeks in April to practice, then we start working in games. The season ends in mid/late June for 10U, 12U, and 17U. The season ends in late June for 6U and 8U.

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### **Where is the field?**

We have use the fields at the bottom of Captain Stephen Olney Memorial Park, 180 Smithfield Rd, North Providence, RI 02904

The softball field at Governor Notte Park may occasionally be used by the older age groups.

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### **Do we need to live in North Providence to play?**

Players from North Providence and surrounding areas are welcome to join our organization.

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### **What days and times will my daughter have practices and games?**

Practice and game schedules will be created near the end of registration and sent to everyone who has signed up. Generally practices and games are held at approximately 6:00 pm on weeknights, and 9:00 am – 12:00 pm on Saturdays.

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### **What is included with the uniform?**

The uniform will be a t-shirt, softball pants and softball socks.

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### **Does my daughter need to try out?**



No, a player does not need to try-out for recreation softball. All skills levels and abilities are welcome.

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### **How can I get involved in the league?**

We are looking for coaches in all age groups. You do not need to have to be a softball expert to help coach. All teams need extra hands to help set up equipment for drills, line the fields for games, keep the batting order in the dugout, etc.

Volunteers are needed to help run the snack bar, perform field maintenance, and to participate on the NPGFS Board.

Please indicate on the registration form if you are interested in coaching or volunteering.

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### **What is Velocity?**

Velocity is our successful Travel organization. This is for girls who are serious about softball and are looking to take their skills to the next level and compete against other towns and softball organizations. Please see your coach for further questions.

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### **When is Opening Day?**

Opening Day will be held on Saturday, April 27, 2024.

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