

## Township of Upper Moreland Department of Parks and Recreation

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To: All Interested Spring Coed Softball Coaches

From: Katie Kollar, Program Coordinator Re: 2022 Coed Spring Softball Season

1. Number of teams – the league will accept a maximum of 13 teams for the spring season.

2. <u>Residency requirements</u>— a <u>Resident</u> team is defined as a team with 50% of its players living in Upper Moreland Township <u>or</u> a team that has a sponsor based in Upper Moreland Township. Anything else will be considered a Non-Resident team.

3. <u>Team fees</u> – these fees include: field maintenance, US Softball team registration, lighting fees, game balls, equipment fees, park attendants, administrative fees, officials fees for the playoff finals, and an \$80 forfeit fee (returnable if you do not forfeit any games). We anticipate a **12** game season, approximately 2 games/week.

Resident Team Fee: \$500.00 Non-Resident Team Fee: \$750.00

NOTE: Your team will receive an \$80 refund at the end of the season if you do not forfeit any games.

Visit <a href="www.uppermorelandrec.com">www.uppermorelandrec.com</a> and create/log into your account. You may pay the deposit or pay in full via credit card OR you may pay via check or cash. (payable to "Upper Moreland Township.") 50% due upon registration by Friday, March 25. **Balance due by Monday, April 11.** Your team will NOT be able to participate in any scheduled games until the league fee is paid in full. Officials fees and playoff fees (with exception of the finals) are not included in league fee.

- 4. Officials fees each team is required to pay the official \$20.00 in cash, at each game, prior to the start of the game. For 2022, teams can expect to play a 12 game season, x \$20/game for a total of \$240.00. Teams must pay the official fees for Rounds One & Two of the playoffs; the department pays the officials for the finals. If a game is started and canceled before completion, the department pays for the makeup game.
- 5. <u>Adult League Registration</u> You may register online at <a href="www.uppermorelandrec.com">www.uppermorelandrec.com</a>. You may either make payment online with a credit card (there will be a 2.45% convenience fee) OR you can complete the registration form without payment and send in or drop off a check. This is a new procedure from the past, please contact Katie at <a href="kkollar@uppermoreland.org">kkollar@uppermoreland.org</a> OR (215) 659-3100 x1039 if you have any questions. No team will be allowed to compete until the entire league fee is paid.
- 6. <u>Games</u> are played at Masons Mill Park, North Willow Grove and/or Terwood. The season begins on Tuesday, April 12. Games are played on Tuesday and Thursday evenings (depending on number of teams) as per the schedule. Games begin at 6:30PM, 7:45PM or 9:00PM. Make-Ups will be scheduled as time and field space permits.
- 7. **Rosters** are due prior to the first game of the season to the Parks and Recreation office or at Masons Mill Park. The rosters must have all the team members' signatures or it will be rejected. Additions to the roster may be made throughout the entire season; however players may not change teams after Monday, May 10.
- 8. <u>Coach's organizational meeting</u> is scheduled for Tuesday, April 6 at 7:00PM, at the UM Township Building. We have mandated the officials be in attendance to discuss our rules and questions any teams may have. One team representative must attend the meeting or your team requests will NOT be honored.