



**Little League Baseball, Inc.
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Proudly Presents the

**2010 10-11 Year Old Softball
West Qualifier Tournament**

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Dear Manager,

Milton Little League and District 13 would like to take a moment to congratulate you on winning your District and Sectional softball tournament! Your Teams next step is to participate in the 2010 10-11 Year Old Softball West Qualifier Tournament, being held in Milton Pennsylvania. The 10-11 Year Old Softball West Qualifier Tournament is scheduled from July 30, 2010 thru August 1, 2010. Milton Little League would like to welcome you to our community and hopes to make your visit an enjoyable one. The information in this packet will help you organize your visit and will assist you during your participation in the tournament. Please review all information carefully and share with your coaches, team members and parents. If there is additional information needed or you have any questions, feel free to contact the tournament director, **Todd Fedder (570)875-9348**. Please remember, we are here to help and our goal is to make this tournament fun and exciting for all the girls, win or lose. Milton and District 13 are looking forward to your visit and wishes all teams the best of luck. The tournament is being held at Milton Little League, Mary F. Byers Sports Complex, Brown Avenue, Milton Pa. Directions to the field are enclosed in this information packet. Please make sure to contact us as soon as you can to keep the process running smoothly. **Upon qualifying for the 2010 10-11 Year Old Softball West Qualifier Tournament it is critical that all managers contact the Tournament Director, Todd Fedder @ (570) 875-9348 to inform him of your intention to attend the tournament, managers name, phone numbers, and email address.** Good Luck to all teams!

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RULES AND PROCEDURES HIGHLIGHTS:

1. The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by Little League Baseball shall be binding and strictly enforced.
2. Each manager must submit their eligibility affidavit, medical releases and all tournament eligibility information to the Tournament Director.
3. The team manager is responsible for uniforms and equipment (equipment will be checked by the Umpire-in-chief prior to each game). Players must be in uniform with the Little League approved patch. Managers and coaches shall dress neatly.
4. Only manager, coaches and players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or on the playing field.
5. All batting helmets must be NOCSAE approved with warning labels.
6. Catchers must wear a mask with approved helmet and throat guard.
7. Shoes with metal cleats or spikes shall not be worn by players, managers, coaches or umpires.
8. No jewelry will be allowed on the playing field regardless of the material. This includes earrings, necklaces, rings and watches. Medical alert items **ARE PERMITTED.**
9. **NO TOBACCO OF ANY KIND** permitted during the games.
10. No pets allowed at the complex.
11. Game balls will be supplied by the host league.
12. All pre-game practices will be assigned by the host league. A short infield/outfield warm-up may be allowed if conditions permit. This warm-up may or may not be on the game field.
13. Dugout Assignment: The team listed on the top of the official bracket will occupy the First Base Dugout. The team on the bottom of the official bracket will occupy the Third Base Dugout.
14. Home Team Selection: The game field is neutral for each game. A coin-Flip will determine home/visiting teams.
15. Fifteen minutes prior to the game start, managers, coaches, umpires and the game director will meet at home plate to conduct the coin-flip, review the ground rules, and answer any pre-game questions.
16. Both teams will line-up as directed by the Tournament Director when introduced and remain there for the National Anthem and the Little League Pledge.
17. Both Teams will meet at home plate immediately at the conclusion of the game and shake hands.

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FIRST ON YOUR LIST OF THINGS TO DO:

Again, as soon as your team advances to the 2010 10-11 Year Old Softball West Qualifier Tournament, it is critical that all managers contact the Tournament Director, Todd Fedder @ (570) 875-9348 to inform him of your intention to attend the tournament, managers name, phone numbers, and email address. After that, it is necessary to forward the following information to the Pennsylvania State Tournament Director via e-mail @ tfedder@gmail.com.

A complete team roster including players names, jersey numbers, and positions played. We also ask that you send along with this a good quality digital team photo. If no digital photo is available, a scan of a conventional photo will be fine. Please ensure all info is correct in regards to spelling and accuracy because this is the info that will be used for tournament.

REGISTRATION, EQUIPMENT INSPECTION:

Registration and Equipment inspection for the Pennsylvania State West Qualifier tournament will be held at the pavilion at the Milton Little League fields at the Mary F. Byers complex, Brown Avenue, Milton, Pa. on Friday, July 30 2010 @ 3:00.

At this time we will provide each manager with additional information regarding the tournament. Additionally, each team will be required to present their **official tournament affidavit**, complete with **residency verification, copies of birth certificates and medical release forms**. At the same time each team will need to have **all the teams and players equipment** on hand so the District 13 Umpire team can perform its necessary inspection.

MANAGER'S MEETING:

A meeting for all sections with the tournament officials will be held following registration @ 3:30 on Friday, July 30 2010 at the Brown Ave. sports complex. This is **mandatory meeting**, and all managers, coaches, and tournament directors must attend. This is to review fields and answer any questions

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE:

The 2010 10-11 Year Old Softball West Qualifier Tournament will be a pool play tournament with the pairings as follows.

Game 1 Sections 3-4 July 30, 2010 @ 5:30

Game 2 Sections 1-2 July 30, 2010 @ 7:30

Game 3 Sections 4-1 July 31, 2010 @ 11:00

Game 4 Sections 3-2 July 31, 2010 @ 1:00

Game 5 Sections 1-3 August 1, 2010 @ 11:00

Game 6 Sections 2-4 August 1, 2010 @ 1:00

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CONCESSIONS:

A concession stand will be available at all games, with a variety of food, drinks, and snacks. Milton Little League would like to provide a snack of a hot dog and drink for each girl following each game. League officials will make arrangements with each team prior to the start of the games.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Food and housing will **not** be provided for **teams, managers and coaches**. Teams will be responsible for any and all costs in these areas. See attached list for hotel accommodations. Team managers must report their location to the Tournament Director, **Todd Fedder @ (570)875-9348** once they are established. The hotels are approximately 10 - 25 minutes from the field.

EATING ESTABLISHMENTS

There is an abundance of eating establishments within the areas of all the hotels.

RADIO BROADCAST:

Any station wishing to broadcast the games must contact the Tournament Director, **Todd Fedder @ (570)875-9348** to make arrangements. Each station is responsible for their own hook-ups. A \$200 fee to Milton Little League must be paid prior to the start of the tournament.

SOUVENIRS:

There will be various items for sale including District 13 pins, and Milton Little League apparel.

FIELDS:

All fields are at the Mary F. Byers Memorial Sports Complex, off Brown Avenue, in Milton. See "Directions to ball fields" attached to this packet.

HANDICAPPED RESTROOM FACILITIES AND PARKING ARE AVAILABLE AT THE FIELDS.

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HOTEL INFORMATION:

When calling any of the below hotels, tell them you are with the **9-10 Year Old Pennsylvania West Qualifier Tournament**. If you have any problems call **Todd Fedder @ (570)875-9348**.

Best Western Inn - U.S. Rte. 15 Lewisburg, Pa. - 570-524-5500
Country Inn & Suites - U.S. Rte. 15 Lewisburg, Pa. - 570-524-6600
Comfort Inn - Rts. I-80 & U.S. 15 New Columbia, Pa. - 570-568-8000
Holiday Inn Express - Rts. I-80 & U.S. 15 New Columbia, Pa. - 570-568-1100
Econo Lodge - U.S. Rte 15 Lewisburg, Pa. - 570-523-1106
Days Inn - U.S. Rte 15 Lewisburg, Pa. - 570-523-1171
Hampton Inn - U.S. Rte. 15 Lewisburg, Pa. - 570-522-8500
Quality Inn - 15 Valley W Rd. Danville, Pa. - 570-275-5100
Hampton Inn - 97 Valley School Rd. Danville, Pa. - 570-271-2500
Red Roof Inn - 300 Red Roof Rd. Danville, Pa. - 570-275-7600
Key Motor Inn - 35 Sheraton Rd. Danville, Pa. - 570-275-4640
Genetti Hotel - 200 West 4th St. Williamsport, Pa. - 570-326-6600
Hampton Inn - 140 Via Bella St. Williamsport, Pa. - 570-323-6190
Econo Lodge - 2019 East 3rd St. Williamsport, Pa. - 570-326-1501
Quality Inn - 234 Rte. 15 Highway, South Williamsport - 570-323-9801

CAMPGROUND INFORMATION:

Nittany Mountain - 2751 Millers bottom Road, New Columbia - 570-568-5541
Yogi Bears On the Creek - 670 Hidden Paradise Rd, Milton - 570-534-4561
Fort Boone Campground - 8635 St Rt. 405, Milton - 570-742-9113
Splash Magic Campground and RV Resort - Northumberland - 570-473-8021

CHURCHES:

There are many churches in the Milton area. Please check the yellow pages in the local telephone directory.

HOSPITALS:

Evangelical Community Hospital
10 minutes from fields
Rte 15 South
Lewisburg, Pa. 17837
570-522-2000 - Information
570-522-2640 - Emergency Dept.

Geisinger Medical Center
20 minutes from field
100 N. Academy Avenue
Danville, Pa. 17821
570-271-6339 - Information
570-271-6401 - Directions

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POLICE:

Pennsylvania State Police Milton 570-524-2662
Milton Police 570-742-8757
All Emergencies - 911

DIRECTIONS TO BALL FIELDS:

Major Highways -5 Minute drive Approximately -2 Miles From Interstate 80

Exit 212 South Milton (Rte 147 South)
Exit onto Mahoning Street
Turn right at stop sign at end of exit ramp (Route 642 West)
Proceed approx 6 tenths of a mile (first Right after Milton High School)
Turn right onto Brown Avenue
Proceeds 5 tenths of a mile - at bottom of steep hill - make immediate right into complex. Mary F. Byers Memorial Sports Complex

Additional Directions -

From Route 15

Take West Milton exit
Turn right off exit
Cross 2 bridges (Susquehanna River)
Go straight through 3 red lights. After 3rd red light. (will pass Weis markets on left) turn left onto Brown Avenue.
Proceed 5 tenths of a mile - at bottom of steep hill - make immediate right into complex.
Mary F. Byers Memorial Sports Complex