

Little League Baseball, Inc.
United States Eastern Region

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Presents the

2010
JUNIOR LEAGUE GIRLS SOFTBALL
PENNSYLVANIA SECTION 8
CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT

Tournament Director

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Revision 1 – 7/3/2010

Host: PA Section: **8** District: **27**

Site: **Upper Providence Little League**
Firehouse Fields, Oaks, PA

Tournament Dates: **July 22, 2010 – July 25, 2010**

Web Site – <http://www.padistrict27.org/Schedules/Section8/Section8.htm>

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July 22, 2010

Dear Manager,

Congratulations to you, your coaches, and players on winning your Little League PA District Championship. PA District 27 looks forward to hosting you in the PA Section 8 Junior League Girls Softball Tournament.

Enclosed are:

1. Team Manager – Communication Form
Please contact me as soon as possible via e-mail (JoeNartowicz@PADistrict27.org) or phone (610-716-4990) and forward the contact information to me as soon as you can. You can e-mail the list or fax to me at 443-267-0143.
2. PA Section 8 Junior League Girls Softball Tournament Schedule (as approved by the Section 8 DAs)
3. PA Section 8 Junior League Girls Softball Tournament Bracket (as approved by the Section 8 DAs)
4. PA Section 8 Tournament Rules & Procedures Highlights
5. Map to the Host League Fields located at Firehouse Fields, Oaks, PA

If you have any questions concerning this packet of information or how this tournament will be conducted, please do not hesitate to call me.

The PA Section 8 District Administrators have agreed that no team will be permitted to compete without first submitting all documentation (properly completed affidavit, boundary map, residency documentation, and any necessary waivers) for review and approval by the Tournament Director. Please see your District Administrator immediately if you are unclear on any matters relating to the required documentation.

PA Section 8 believes strongly that all games should be decided on the field by the players according to the Little League Official Regulations and Playing Rules. In particular, rule XIV(a) – Field Decorum will be strictly enforced:

(a) The actions of players, managers, coaches, umpires and league officials must be above reproach. Any player, manager, coach, umpire or league representative who is involved in a verbal or physical altercation, or an incident of unsportsmanlike conduct at the game site or any other Little League activity is subject to disciplinary action by the Local League Board or Directors (or by the district, if the Big League is administered as a district operation).

Any unsportsmanlike action by players, manager, coaches, or fans from the opposing team to disrupt the play of any player, especially the pitcher, will be dealt with immediately. PA Section 8 expects the manager and coaches to control their fans.

Thank you.

Joe Nartowicz
PA District 27 Administrator

FAX: (443) 267-0143

TEAM MANAGER - COMMUNICATION

For your information, results and scores of all games during this tournament will be posted on the PA Section 8 website that can be located at:

<http://www.PADistrict27.org/Schedules/Section8/Section8.htm>

Please complete the following information and either e-mail (JoeNartowicz@PADistrict27.org) or fax (443-267-0143) to me. I must have this information prior to your arrival at the field.

LEAGUE NAME: _____

PROGRAM (CIRCLE ONE):	BASEBALL	GIRLS SOFTBALL			
DIVISION (CIRCLE ONE):	9-10	10-11	LL	JR	SR
DISTRICT (CIRCLE ONE):	19	21	22	27	

MANAGER'S NAME: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOME PHONE #: _____

CELL PHONE #: _____

COACH'S NAME: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOME PHONE #: _____

CELL PHONE #: _____

COACH'S NAME: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOME PHONE #: _____

CELL PHONE #: _____

LEAGUE PRESIDENT'S NAME: _____

E-MAIL: _____

HOME PHONE #: _____

CELL PHONE #: _____

Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Joe Nartowicz
PA District 27 Administrator



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2010 PENNSYLVANIA SECTION 8 JUNIOR LEAGUE GIRLS SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE REVISION 1 – 7/3/2010

PA District 27 and Upper Providence Little League are pleased to host the 2010 Pennsylvania Section 8 Junior League Girls Softball International Tournament. The games will be played from July 22, 2010 through July 25, 2010 at the Firehouse Fields located off Route 422 in Oaks, PA (Map Attached). The fields are equipped with the Musco Lighting system and night games may be played. The following facilities are available: Batting Cages; Infield Practice Field; Snack Bar; Port-a-Potties; and Spectator Areas. Below is the schedule:

<u>G #</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>		<u>Teams</u>
1	THU	22-Jul	6:00 PM	District 22	vs District 27
2	FRI	23-Jul	6:00 PM	WG-1	vs District 21
3	SAT	24-Jul	2:00 PM	LG-1	vs LG-2
4	SUN	25-Jul	2:00 PM	WG-2	vs WG-3
5	SUN	25-Jul	4:00 PM	WG-4	vs LG-4 (if necessary)

NOTE:

This schedule is subject to change. The District Administrator reserves the right to cancel the loser's bracket at any time if deemed necessary. Pennsylvania Junior League Girls Softball State Tournament is scheduled to begin on or about Thursday, July 29th, hosted by Corry Little League (PA District 3, Section 1) in Columbus, PA

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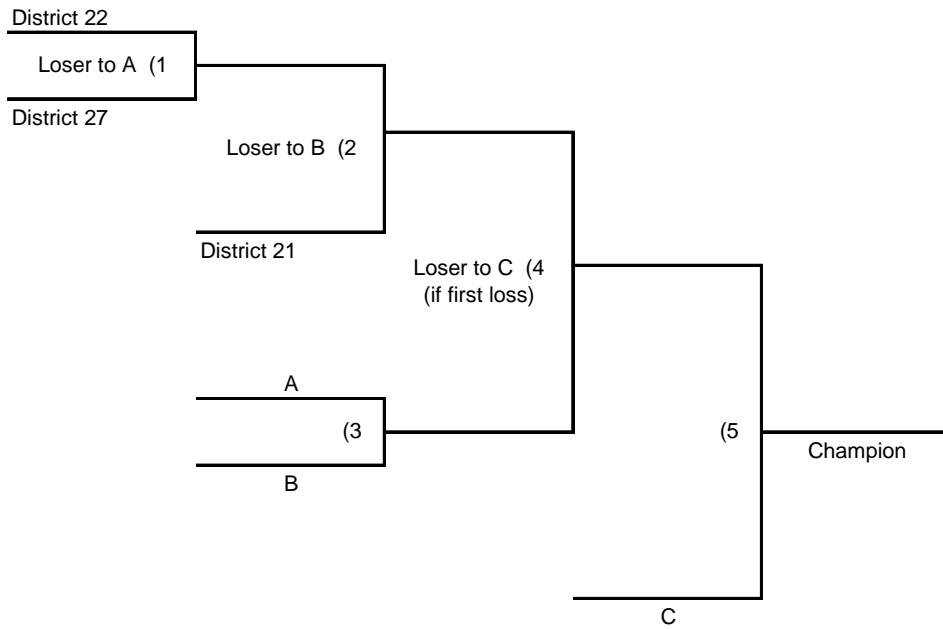
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2010 PENNSYLVANIA SECTION 8 JUNIOR LEAGUE GIRLS SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT BRACKET REVISION 1 – 7/3/2010





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PA SECTION 8 TOURNAMENT RULES AND PROCEDURES HIGHLIGHTS

**“GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP IS THE HALLMARK OF ALL SUCCESSFUL
LITTLE LEAGUE TOURNAMENTS”**

1. The Tournament Rules and Regulations as published by Little League Baseball shall be binding, abided by and strictly enforced.
2. All teams will submit their **eligibility affidavits** to the Tournament Director prior to each game. These affidavits must be verified **immediately** (and signed) after each game and returned to the respective teams.
3. Each manager is encouraged to have, in his or her possession, a **medical release** signed by the parent/legal guardian for each player listed on the eligibility affidavits.
4. Players, managers, and coaches that become involved in any **misconduct**, on or off the field, or at their lodging, may be dismissed from the tournament. The activity and person will be reported to the Little League Headquarters Tournament Committee, the parent league District Administrator and the League President.
5. The team manager is responsible for **uniforms and equipment**. All players must be in uniform, with the Little League approved patch.
6. Only Manager, Coaches, and Players listed on the official tournament eligibility affidavit are permitted in the dugout or playing field.
7. All **batting helmets** must be NOCSAE approved with the warning labels.
8. **Catchers** must wear a mask with approved helmet (skullcap type not permitted) and throat guard.
9. Shoes with **metal cleats** or spikes shall not be worn by players, managers, coaches, or umpires. (Exception: Metal cleats or spikes permitted in JR, SR & Big League Baseball ONLY)
10. 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**.
11. **Tobacco/Tobacco** products shall not be allowed in the dugouts or playing field.



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12. Game balls will be supplied by the host District.
13. All **pregame practices** will be on your home field. A short infield/outfield warm-up may be allowed on the game field prior to the game if conditions permit. This warm-up may or may not be on the game field.
14. **Dugout Assignment:** The schedules distributed show two teams for each game. The team listed in the left column (or on the top of the official bracket) will occupy the First Base Dugout. The second column (or on the bottom of the official bracket) team will occupy the Third Base Dugout.
15. **Home Team Selection:** The game field is neutral for each game. A coin-flip will determine home/visiting teams. The team traveling the longest distance will call the coin-flip.
16. 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 pregame questions.
17. 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.
18. Both teams will meet at the home plate area immediately at the conclusion of the game and shake hands.
19. **Complimentary refreshments** will be served to both teams after the game.
20. At the conclusion of the tournament, the Section 8 Winning Team will be awarded a championship flag. Section pins will be awarded to each participant of the Champion and runner-up teams.

REMEMBER: GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP AT ALL TIMES – GOOD LUCK!

Upper Providence Little League, Firehouse Fields Oaks, PA

From North

Take US 422E towards King of Prussia. Take the Oaks Exit from US 422E and turn LEFT at the bottom of the ramp onto Egypt Road. Take Egypt Road to Green Tree Road. You will pass the Oaks Post Office on the right. There is a cemetery on the left and a church on the right at the Green Tree Road intersection. Turn RIGHT onto Green Tree Road. The field is on the right just before a fire station.

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From South

Take any venue to US 202N. As you approach King of Prussia, take US 422W towards Pottstown. Continue on US 422W and take the Oaks exit. Turn LEFT at the bottom of the ramp onto Egypt Road. Take Egypt Road to Green Tree Road. You will pass the Oaks Post Office on the right. There is a cemetery on the left and a church on the right at the Green Tree Road intersection. Turn RIGHT onto Green Tree Road. The field is on the right just before a fire station.