Leduc Minor Softball Association 2017 Softball Season

Registration is now available online at www.leducminorsoftball.ca

- > Registering your child after March 15th will result in a **\$50** late fee.
- If a player drops out on or before April 15th, the registration fee minus a \$50 administrative fee will be refunded.
- > There will be no refunds for players who drop out on or after April 16th.
- Once a team has 13 players, any other players signing up will be put on a standby list. If enough additional players sign up, a second team will be formed.
- Learn To Play games on Tuesdays and Thursdays
- > **U10 Mites** will play their games on **Mondays and Wednesdays**
- > U12 Squirts will play their games on Mondays and Wednesdays
- > **U14 Pee Wee** will play their games on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**
- > U16 Bantam will play their games on Monday and Wednesdays
- > **U19 Midget** will play their games on **Tuesdays and Thursdays**

Fundraising Fees and Volunteer Commitment

At the time of registration, a **\$100.00 FUNDRAISING FEE** will be charged for each player. At the start of the season, each player will get two books of raffle tickets. When you sell the raffle tickets you keep the money. There will be a maximum of 4 books of raffle tickets assigned to families with multiple children signed up for softball. A **\$250 VOLUNTEER DEPOSIT CHEQUE** will be required at registration, and will not be cashed unless hours are not completed. Each family is required to commit to 4 hours of volunteer work per child. Volunteer hours can be completed throughout the season by helping at practices, games, and various other ways. Families will not be required to complete more than 8 hours volunteer work per season.

Fundraising Fees and Volunteer Commitment will not be required if

- o A parent signs up to be on the executive or
- A parent is the head coach of a team

NOTE: Registration fees and fundraising fees will be deposited on 1 April 2018 NOTE: Financial assistance from the Canadian Tire Jumpstart program is available. Ask us about it.

Uniform Deposit

Leduc Minor Softball will provide your child with a uniform. A **\$100 uniform deposit** will be required as a separate cheque. If your child does not return their uniform at the end of the season, Leduc Minor Softball will deposit the cheque.

There is no uniform deposit for the Learn To Play players and they get to keep their jerseys.

Additional Information

- All teams will be "House" teams. A "House" team is a team whose skill level is between a recreational team's skill level and a competitive team's skill level.
- Indoor practices will start in April and will move outside as soon as weather permits. Players are required to have indoor shoes for the indoor practices. There are absolutely NO outdoor shoes allowed in the gymnasiums.
- All players must have the following: glove, outdoor runners, groin protector, water bottle, sun screen and bug spray.
- Players at U12 level and higher will need to have their own helmet with facemask and chin strap.
- Pitchers will need to wear a face guard when they are pitching. Pitchers will have to provide their own face guard.
- > U12 and higher players will wear groin protection whenever they are playing.
- > Players can use their own bats as long as they have "Official Softball" printed on them.
- An equipment or "bat" bag is a handy thing for players to carry their equipment in but it is not mandatory.
- > The Learn to Play program will be taking place in Leduc.
- The U10 Mites will be playing in a local league against teams from Camrose and Wetaskiwin. Travel to those diamonds will be required.
- The U12, U14, U16 and U19 teams will be playing in an Edmonton league against teams from within and around Edmonton. Travel to those diamonds will be required.
- > There will be a league tournament for each age group at the end of the season.
- Teams may go to additional tournaments including the provincial tournament. The coaches will discuss this with the players during the season.
- > Evolution Spots is offering a discount for all purchases for softball just mention our name.

Additional Training

We will be posting on our website any additional training camps and clinics that we will be hosting. Sign up for some events will be limited and will be on a first come first served basis.

For information on additional training camps and clinics for players, coaching certification courses and umpire clinics, visit the Softball Alberta website at www.softballalberta.ca

Coaches will schedule practices with the team before and throughout the season. Players are expected to attend these practices.

We still need people to help out as part of the softball executive and as coaches. Remember you don't have to pay the fundraising fee and volunteer commitment if you are on the executive or a coach.

You can contact us anytime at leducsoftball@gmail.com

LEDUC MINOR SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

2018 REGISTRATION FORM

Please PRINT all information clearly.

Player's Name:			Male / Female			
Date of Birth: Day	Month	Year				
Address:		City:	Postal Code:			
Health conditions (if any):						
Parent #1:			Home #:			
Parent #1 E-mail:			Cell #:			
Parent #2:			Home #:			
Parent #2 E-mail:			Cell #:			
Emergency Contact:			Phone #:			

FEES & DEPOSITS

Notes: All registrations are subject to team availability.

CATEGORY	Birth Year	League Fee	Fundraising	Total	Uniform Deposit	Volunteer Deposit		
Learn to Play (U7)	2011 – 2012 - 2013	\$80.00	\$100.00		None	\$250.00		
Mite (U10)	2008 – 2009 - 2010	\$140.00	\$100.00		\$100.00	\$250.00		
Squirt (U12)	2006 – 2007	\$170.00	\$100.00		\$100.00	\$250.00		
Pee Wee (U14)	2004 – 2005	\$190.00	\$100.00		\$100.00	\$250.00		
Bantam (U16)	2002 - 2003	\$230.00	\$100.00		\$100.00	\$250.00		
Midget (U19)	1999 – 2000 - 2001	\$230.00	\$100.00		\$100.00	\$250.00		
League fee and Fundraising cheques will be deposited 1 April 2018								
SEPARATE cheques are required for Uniform Deposit and Volunteer Deposit								

Consent:

I consent to my child's photo appearing on any advertising/promotions for Leduc Minor Softball Association (Brochures, website, local newspaper, etc.). I understand that my child will wear safety equipment (batting helmet, groin protection and face guard) as required.

Receipt #:_____

REGISTRATION CHECKLIST

Please bring the following items to registration:

- Registration Form
- Jumpstart Application (If Applicable)
- Registration Fee
- Fundraising Fee
- Volunteer Commitment Deposit
- Uniform Deposit (N/A for Learn to Play)

Registration and Fundraising Fees may be on one cheque, however the Volunteer Commitment Deposit and Uniform Deposit must EACH be on their own cheque.

Registration and fundraising fees can also be paid by EMT to <u>leducsoftballtreasurer@gmail.com</u>. If you choose to pay this way, please use the password SOFTBALL and put your child's name in the notes. Please note – you will still be required to leave a deposit cheque for Uniforms and one for Volunteer Deposit.

INCOMPLETE REGISTRATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED – ALL FEES MUST BE PAID IN FULL AND DEPOSITS RECEIVED BY MARCH 15 TO AVOID LATE FEES, AND BY MARCH 31 TO GUARANTEE YOUR SPOT ON THE TEAM.

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