



SOUTHERN PARKLAND YOUTH ASSOCIATION



"Athletic Programs for Youth Development"
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S.P.Y.A. SPRING SIGN-UPS

BASEBALL, FIELD HOCKEY, LACROSSE, RUGBY, SOCCER AND SOFTBALL

Thursday, Jan. 26, 2012
6:00-9:00PM

Saturday, Jan. 28, 2012
9:00AM-12:00PM

at Springhouse Middle School Cafeteria
(Cash or Check only for in-person registrations)

On-line registration is available for Baseball, Kindersoccer, Soccer and Softball (1/7/12-2/26/12) - late fee will be added starting 2/27/12. There is an additional processing fee for online registrations. **Payments are by credit card only.** Field Hockey, Lacrosse and Rugby will only be doing walk-in registration because of the limited number of participants they are taking this year.

Warehouse registration will be available from 6:00 to 8:00PM on the following Sundays: February 12, 19 and 26 (cash or check only). The SPYA warehouse is located next to Wegmans on Tilghman St. behind Nativity Lutheran Church.

For fees, please see the information on the following pages. A late fee of \$20 will be imposed for any registration after the dates specified above.

Go To: WWW.SPYA.ORG

For more info about each sport, to register on-line, or to contact SPYA with any questions.

We are also on Facebook as South Parkland Youth Association.  us on Facebook to receive updates!

SPYA receives United Way funds. Any family qualifying for financial assistance is encouraged to apply.

Baseball Boys & Girls - \$80 (except for Blastball which will be \$60)

Commissioner email address: baseball@spya.org

Blastball: Co-ed, 4 year olds, Pre-K, the registration fee is \$60
T-Ball (144 Limit): Co-ed, 5 and 6 year olds as of May 1, 2012
Prep (144 Limit): Coach Pitch League, 7 and 8 year olds as of May 1, 2012
Upper/Lower Mac: A (9-10 year olds, cannot be 11), AA (11-12 year olds, cannot be 13)
AAA (13-15 year olds, cannot be 16), Majors (16-18 year olds, cannot be 19)
Age is as of May 1, 2012

Lehigh Valley League: Bidy (9-10), Midget (11-12), Knee-Hi (13-14), age is as of May 1, 2012

Junior Legion: 14-15 year olds, age is as of May 1, 2012

Connie Mack: 15-16 year olds, age is as of May 1, 2012

Legion: 16-18 year olds, age is as of January 1, 2012

Baseball Volunteers

Head and Assistant Coaches (Blastball, T-Ball, Prep, Upper/Lower Mac League), Blastball, T-Ball and Prep Coordinators, T-Ball and Prep Field Liners, Team Parents

Field Hockey: Boys & Girls - \$120

Commissioner email address: fieldhockey@spya.org

Field Hockey continues to grow and as such registration is limited to 80 children. All children must be age 6 by July 31. The Field Hockey Spring training season will run from March 24 through June 12. The registration fee includes indoor practices, outdoor turf time, as well as a T-Shirt and Ball. The Spring season will focus on skill-based learning as well as the basic field hockey fundamentals: hitting, passing, running, positions, and scoring. We accomplish this through a variety of drills and inter-team scrimmage play. Children will be separated by grade level for age appropriate skills and competitive play.

Parents are required to provide a stick, shin guards, and mouth guard for their child. We will practice Saturdays starting in March and then in April, we add an extra week night of practice. Field and Times to be announced.

Field Hockey Volunteers

If you have experience playing the sport, are willing to become certified, and would like to coach, please let us know fieldhockey@spya.org.

Lacrosse: Boys and Girls - \$70

Commissioner email address: lacrosse@spya.org

Lacrosse is open to any boy or girl who is 5 years of age by March 15, 2012 and up to age 9 by September 1, 2012. The Kinder Lacrosse program will be for children in grades K and 1 and will have an unlimited number of players. The Youth Lacrosse program will be for children in grades 2 and 3 and will be limited to the first 20 registrations.

The season for both programs will begin March 19 and practices will be held at Grange Road Park. Kinder Lacrosse will practice on Wednesdays for 1 1/2 hours and Saturdays for 2 hours; youth lacrosse will practice Tuesdays and Thursdays for 1 1/2 hours and Saturdays for 2 hours.

Players will need the following equipment to play Lacrosse: mouth guard, athletic supporter with cup, cleats, black shorts (kinder only), rib pads (optional for U9 players) and a stick (U9 players only).

Lacrosse Volunteers

Coaches and assistant coaches (must have training and required coaching license), team parents, etc.

Rugby: Boys and Girls - \$70

Commissioner email address: rugby@spya.org

Registration is limited to 100 boys and girls - grades K-9 (U-15) only!

****An effort is being made to organize a Girls High School U-19 team. Please contact rugby@spya.org for more information.****

The rugby season will run from April 2012-August 2012 depending on level played; 3 levels of Rugby will be offered this year:

ROOKIE (Flag) RUGBY (co-ed) will be offered for our younger players. Rookie Rugby focus will be on skills-based learning as well as fundamental rugby skills including passing, catching, running, scoring and conditioning using a touch rugby format.

Touch Rugby (co-ed) will be offered again this year. This is 7-a-side Rugby and is fast and fun! No experience necessary.

U-15 Girls & Boys Tackle Rugby Travel Teams. Travel will be to teams and tournaments in and around the Philadelphia Metro area. Initially, this program may be 7's-a-side Rugby (depending on interest levels).

U-15 Girls & Boys Rugby will be playing in the Eastern Pennsylvania Rugby Union (EPRU)

Rookie Rugby will be intra-SPYA

Touch Rugby (co-ed) will be intra-SPYA

Rugby Volunteers

Assistant Coaches, Web Page Manager, Picture Day Coordinator, Field Maintenance, Field Preparation, Fundraising Coordinator (apparel sales), Referee Coordinator

Spring Soccer: Boys & Girls - \$70

Commissioner email address: soccer@spya.org

Kindersoccer (120 Limit) Boys & Girls: (ages 4-5 and the registration fee is \$60),

In-house: Boys & Girls: U-7 (4v4 plus Goal-Keepers)

Intramural: Boys & Girls: NVYSL - U-8, U-10, U-12, U-14, U-16, U-19

Travel: All Fall travel teams must sign up if they are playing with their team in the Spring. There may be travel opportunities for the Spring, please ask at registration. All soccer players register for the same age group that they played in Fall 2011.

Soccer Volunteers

Head Coach, Assistant Coach, Age Level Coordinators, Field Coordinator, Field Lining Coordinator, Field Lining, Registrations, League Reps, Referee Coordinators, Ind. Team Coordinators, Summer Camp Coordinators, Time-keeper, Field Marshall, Photo day coordinator

Softball: Girls - \$70

Commissioner email address: softball@spya.org

Blastball & T-Ball: Co-ed - see info in Baseball section above

Prep Ball: Born in 2003 & 2004 **14U** Born in 1997 & 1998

10U Born in 2001 & 2002 **16U** Born in 1995 & 1996

12U Born in 1999 & 2000 **18U** Born in 1993 & 1994

Softball Volunteers

Head and Assistant Coaches, Picture Day Coordinator, Field Maintenance, Field Preparation, Fundraising Coordinator (apparel sales, etc.)

SPYA INFORMATIONAL OPEN HOUSE

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 2012

6:00-8:00PM

Springhouse Middle School Cafeteria

All sports offered by SPYA will have information about each of their sports including how long the season is, what does "travel" mean, what leagues does each sport belong to (e.g. ULMK for baseball, NVYSL for soccer, etc.), what is included in the fee that you pay, how you can get involved with your child's youth association and much more!