



HAMBURG AREA GIRLS ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION YOUTH SOFTBALL REGISTRATION - SPRING 2024

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FACEBOOK PAGE: <https://www.facebook.com/hamburggirlssoftball>

Hamburg Area Youth Softball is open to any child in the Hamburg Area School District who is 5-12 years old as of January 1, 2024. Teams will be divided into 3 age groups: 8U, 10U and 12U. Registration fee is \$45 for 8U and \$70 for 10U and 12U. *Try-outs for players interested in playing up will be held if there are openings on the 10U and 12U teams.*

For players who are 13 & 14 years old, we are going to have registration for a 14U Summer Team. Keep an eye out on our Facebook page for more information regarding the 14U season.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Throughout the season players will learn the fundamentals of softball. Each team will practice 2 to 3 days a week and play games against other youth softball teams within the Berks County Girls Softball League (BCGSL). We will be holding indoor practices once a week beginning in January. Indoor practices will run through March or until the weather allows us to get outside. Details regarding indoor practice will be posted on our Facebook page. The regular Spring season will begin in April and run through early June.

TO REGISTER:

- Print a **Mail-in registration** form from our website and mail the form, payment, and a copy of your child's birth certificate (first year players only) to our P.O. Box.
- **Complete the online Google Form** by using the QR Code (payment and a copy of a birth certificate, for first year players, must be received by end of registration for your daughter to be registered – NO EXCEPTIONS)
- **In-person Registration located at the Hamburg Middle School Cafeteria**
 - December 9, 2023 - 10:00 to 11:30
 - January 11, 2024 & January 24, 2024 - 6:00 to 7:30



(Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate if this is the first year playing).

Deadline to register is January 31, 2024.

UNIFORM: Players are required to wear a team jersey, black baseball/softball pants and red knee-high socks. The team jersey must be purchased through HAGAA, pants and socks can be purchased through HAGAA or any retailer.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: All players will need a softball glove, fielding facemask, batting helmet with faceguard and chinstrap, a softball bat (fastpitch), and cleats. *Coaches will have access to limited equipment for the team.*

Parents/guardians who are interested in coaching or volunteering in any capacity please reach out to Lisa Phillips for more information. A Child Abuse Clearance and a Criminal Background Clearance is required for anyone interested in coaching.

Contact Lisa Phillips at hagaasoftball@gmail.com or 610-750-4263 (call/text) with any questions.

"Hamburg Area Girls Athletic Association is an organization dedicated to introducing the game of softball to the young ladies in our community and allowing them to experience the enriching experience of competition and being part of a team."