

# QUAD CITY LADY A's

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| Player's FULL Name   |
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| Age DOB  |
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| Address  |
| Parents Name(s)  |
| Parent's phone number  |
| Parent's Email   |
| Does your child have any medical conditions, allergies or other special needs? If YES, please explain: |
| CIRCLE ONE   |
| What team are you trying out for?<br>7U/8U 9U 10U 11U 12U  |
| What school are you attending? Jordan Our Lady of Grace Seton or Other                                 |
| Interested/experience in pitching? yes no Interested/experience in catching? yes no                    |
| Are you interested in coaching or volunteering to help on a team? Yes No                               |
| PLAYING EXPERIENCE   |
| Team Name  |
| Positions Played   |
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#### WHAT TO EXPECT AND WHAT IS EXPECTED

First and foremost, welcome to the 2023 softball tryouts. The reason for tryouts is simple; we want to start a softball program that promotes learning the fundamentals, and understanding teamwork. While this will lead to a strong foundation of future Pioneers at Alleman High School, tryouts are open to all girls. If you do not make the team and want to play, DON'T get discouraged. KEEP PLAYING!! The Quad Cities offers several youth softball opportunities.

# What are we looking for:

#1 ATTITUDE: Our coaching and playing philosophies puts attitude as the key ingredient for having a successful team. We would rather work with a player with a good work ethic and attitude than a person with exceptional skills that demonstrates poor sportsmanship and is not willing to learn.

#2 ABILITY: There are five key areas that you will be rated on They are:
Running, Catching, Throwing, Hitting, and Knowledge of the Game

#3 POTENTIAL: Athletes develop at different rates. Some players demonstrate marginal abilities but have exceptional talent. We will be looking at potential for future school teams. This category, however, will not count as much as attitude and abilities.

# ABOUT THE QUAD CITY LADY A'S

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The Quad City A's strive to offer competitive softball experiences for girls ages 7 thru 12 who are considering attending Alleman High School. Our hope is that this program will continue to grow year after year. The Alleman Softball Complex, Moline IL is our home field; we take pride in contributing to its continued maintenance and complex improvements that enhance the development of players and enjoyment for all in the organization.

Our team schedule consists of local leagues games and local and out of town tournaments held throughout the Midwest. For specific information regarding a particular team please speak with the manager/coach of that team.

I/we attest that we have read both the front and back of this form. I/we give approval for this candidate to participate in any and all Quad City Lady A's activities. I/we attest that the information given in this application is correct to the best of my/our knowledge and agree to provide a certified birth certificate for the above applicant when required by the Board of Directors. I/we knowing that participation in softball can result in injury even when using protective equipment, do hereby waive, release, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Quad City Lady A's and all related entities or persons, including persons transporting my/our child to and from activities, for any claim arising out of an injury to my/our child, except to the extent and in the amount covered by our own accident or liability insurance and/or that of the Quad City Lady A's, if any, and/or provided under protection of law. I/we authorize any adult in charge to seek medical treatment for this applicant, as deemed necessary, in the absence of a parent, without liability.

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| Parent/Guardian signature   | Date     |
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# PLAYER SELECTION

Players that have been awarded a position on a Quad City Lady A's team will be notified by the Coach/Manager no later than 7 days following your tryout. Teams will be posted on the Quad City A's website no later than August 31st.

# PLAYER FEES

Player fees for 7U Coach Pitch is \$135.00 which includes two dri-fit tops and a hat and is due within 10 days of being notified of acceptance to the team. Player fees for those playing on the 8U team is \$210.00. Player fees for those playing on the 9U team is \$390.00. Player fees for those playing on the 10U and 11U teams are \$440.00. Player fees for those playing on the 12U through 14U teams are \$490.00. Uniform fees will be an additional cost of approximately \$200 to include two jersey tops, two pairs of pants and socks. For 8U thru 14U players, \$160 is due within 10 days of being notified of acceptance to the team. The remaining balance is due by November 1<sup>st</sup>. Player fees are tentative and subject to change. If your daughter chooses to leave the Quad City Lady A's organization, or is dismissed from the team due to rule violations or disciplinary reasons, these fees are non-refundable.

In the past, we have had some players tryout for the Quad City Lady A's that decided not to play for the team they were selected for. This causes many issues for the Quad City A's as well as other players and parents that are committed to the Organization. Therefore the \$160 payment due within 10 days of being accepted to a team is also considered a non-refundable commitment fee. However, this \$160 will go toward the total due for the player.

### PLAYING TIME

Playing time is the most common source of dissatisfaction, disagreement, and problems for any team. It must be clearly understood that players are not guaranteed equal playing time. Playing time will be at the sole discretion of the Coach/Manager. It is critical that each player understands that he has an important role to play, even when playing time is not equal.

#### MANDATORY PARENT VOLUNTEER SERVICE

The Quad City A's organization relies on a successful tournament each year. For this reason, it is mandatory that each player's family give (4) four hours of volunteer service to the tournament weekend. If you cannot commit to your required four hours a \$100.00 mandatory fee will be due before the tournament weekend. In addition, ALL players are responsible for securing one table of 8 people for trivia night. If you choose not to have a table, a \$150.00 buyout fee is due by trivia night. These organizational fundraisers can be substituted with similar events and the obligations will be of equal time and value.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS PLEASE ASK A REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT AT TRYOUTS.