



# *2014 Sycamore Girls' Softball Softball Moms Rock Tournament*

**May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014 - 8am to 8pm**

**10U, 12U, and 14U**

**Strictly "C" Level Teams**

**(All players must be registered with their in-house teams)**

**All games played at the Sycamore Sports Complex.**

**Route 64 and Airport Road, Sycamore, IL 60178**

**Fields 9, 10, 11, and 12**

## Tournament Details

- Four team round robin with 1<sup>st</sup> vs 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> vs 4<sup>th</sup> game at the end of the day.
- 4 game guarantee
- 10U, 12U, and 14U levels (age as of January 1<sup>st</sup> 2014)
- Seeding criteria: W-L record, Head to head record, run differential, coin flip.

## Awards

- 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 4<sup>th</sup> place team trophies
- 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place medals
- MVP awards for every game

## Miscellaneous

- IHSA rules will be followed except for specific exemptions and modifications (see attached "Tournament Rules")
- Each team will provide a scorekeeper for their team. Scores will be verified and turned in by the umpire.
- Each game will be officiated by one patched umpire.
- There is no admission fee for spectators
- Concessions will be available. Coolers are permitted. Alcohol is prohibited.
- A tournament T-shirt will be available for purchase.

## Questions

Please direct your questions to the tournament director, Dave Torson: [dtorson@topshelfservice.com](mailto:dtorson@topshelfservice.com) or 630.853.5040.

## **Sycamore Girls' Softball "Softball Moms Rock" Rules**

- A. Conduct: Sportsmanship will be paramount throughout the day. Coaches are responsible for their players and fans. The tournament committee has the right to remove any coach, parent, or player who is not demonstrating appropriate conduct. Repeated violations will result in the offending team forfeiting their game(s).
- B. Complete game:
  - a. 10U - 6 innings
  - b. 12U & 14U - 7 innings.
- C. Time Limit: No new inning will start after 1 hour and 30 minutes.
- D. Run Ahead Rule: 10 runs after 5 innings.
- E. Run Limit:
  - a. 10U – 4 runs per inning / 10 runs in the 6th
  - b. 12U – 5 runs per inning / unlimited in the 7th
  - c. 14U – 6 runs per inning / unlimited in the 7th
- F. Pitching: ASA rules will be followed. Both feet must be in contact with the rubber prior to the forward step. A pitcher may pitch a maximum of 4 innings per game.
- G. Batting Order: A continuous batting order will be used for all levels.
- H. Substitutions:
  - a. Unlimited substitutions for all defensive positions.
  - b. Courtesy runners allowed for pitchers and catchers.
- I. Fake bunting (slashing) is not allowed for all levels.
- J. Stealing home is not allowed at the 10U level. One base per pitch on all other steals.
- K. Dropped Third Strike:
  - a. 10U – Not in effect
  - b. 12U & 14U - In effect.
- L. Continuous Walk:
  - a. 10U & 12U – Not in effect
  - b. 14U – In effect.
- M. Sliding: Offensive player must slide or avoid contact. Defensive player may only block the base when in possession of the ball.
- N. Ties: Tie games are permitted in the first three games. The fourth game will be played until the tie is broken. Tie breaker innings will use the international tie breaker rule. The last out of the previous inning will start on 2<sup>nd</sup> base.



**Sycamore Girls' Softball**  
**Softball Moms Rock Tournament**

**Application**

**Team Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Age level:** 10U 12U 14U (Circle one)

**Coach Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Telephone Number:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Regular Season Program Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that all the players I bring to this tournament are regular season players with our program. I also certify that I am a representative of the program authorized to make such a claim.

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Printed Name	Signature	Title
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Please return this form along with the tournament fee of \$250 to Sycamore Girls' Softball, PO Box 383, Sycamore, IL 60178. Applications are taken on a first come first entered basis.

Please bring the following completed waiver and copies of all players birth certificates to the tournament.

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**I hereby assume all risks and hazards incidental to my participation in this tournament and do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless Sycamore Girls' Softball, The Sycamore Park District, their employees, and their representatives from any liability whatsoever, whether the result of negligence or any other cause.**

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