



2009 All-Stars

Bonita Valley ASA softball will be conducting All-Star tryouts at Discovery Park on Sunday, May 3, 2009. Girls eligible for 14U and 12U will tryout at 9:00 A.M. at Discovery Fields 1, and 2, respectively. Check in at 8:30 A.M. Girls eligible for 10U and 8U will tryout at 1:00 P.M. at Discovery Fields 1 and 2, respectively. Check in at 12:30 P.M. **This signed letter must be brought to the tryout and turned in at check-in.**

2009 All-Star Eligibility and Participation Rules

1. Teams shall not have any players who have participated on a travel-type team **after January 31, 2009**. "Participation" includes a try-out, practice, practice game, scheduled game or tournament.
2. A player must have participated in **at least 75%** of their Bonita Valley Recreation team games. Participation will be validated by team Managers utilizing game scorebooks.
3. Players and Parents must be in good standing with Bonita Valley ASA Softball League.
4. ASA and All Star division age eligibility cut-off is **January 1, 2009**.

If your daughter has been participating on any other team(s) after January 31, 2009, please be advised that this may affect whether your daughter is eligible to tryout.

Bonita Valley All-Star Policy

All Star managers are chosen by the All-Star Selection Committee.

2009 All-Star managers are:

8U	Mike Gross
10U	Chris Oden
12U	Johnny Jamison
14U	Mary Lou Flippen

Any player meeting the eligibility and participation rules may try out for an All-Star team. Players can only tryout for one age division. All-Star teams are chosen by the All-Star manager for the particular age division and are subject to final approval by the Bonita Valley ASA Executive Board.

Any player may choose to tryout for a higher age division. Any player fitting within the ASA age rules may also tryout for their proper age All-Star team. A decision to tryout at an age division is final.

**** Player selection to an All-Star team does not guarantee playing time. Playing time and assignment of positions is at the discretion of the All-Star manager.****

Conduct

All-Star managers, players and parents will be representing the Communities of Chula Vista and Bonita. All actions should reflect integrity and respect. Any misrepresentation will be brought to the Bonita Valley ASA Executive Board and appropriate action will be taken. Severe or repeated misconduct may lead to removal of the manager and or player from the team. The Bonita Valley ASA Executive Board will determine all actions.

Finances

Each year Bonita Valley ASA spends \$10,000-\$12,000 in support of its All-Star teams. Please be aware that each All-Star Manager will request an additional payment per player to help fund team start-up costs and tournament fees not paid for by the league. This amount may be as high as \$500. The amount requested is left to the discretion of each team manager and is not governed by the league. Parents can expect to incur additional expenses such as cost of travel, lodging and food for tournaments as well as additional uniform items and equipment agreed to by the All-Star Team Manager and parents.

Bonita Valley ASA will cover the registration costs for 3 tournaments as well as the South San Diego District Qualifier. Bonita Valley ASA will also cover State and National tournament fees. The individual teams will pay for any additional tournaments scheduled as well as all other costs incurred by the team.

Parental Participation

All players (and their parents) chosen for All-Stars are required to participate in fund raising. Specific fundraising activities will be up to the individual teams.

Every year Bonita Valley hosts tournaments that we may or may not be participating in but are required to help run (i.e. fields and snack bar). It is the teams' (Managers, Coaches, Players, and Parents) responsibility to help with the set-up and maintain the fields and the snack bar. Times for specific tasks are usually divided among the teams that are working the tournaments. This year Bonita Valley will host the District Championship tournament on June 26, 27, and 28, 2009. Parents from the Gold teams will be REQUIRED to work a minimum of 10 hours during each tournament. This is how we help pay for the All Star Program, so please mark your calendars if your daughter is selected to a team.

Silver Teams

Any player who tried out for a Gold team and was NOT selected, can try out for the silver team at the same age level as the gold team tryout attended. If the player was trying out for a gold team at a higher age level than her age appropriate level, she will be allowed to try out for the silver team at her age level only if there is no silver team at the age level she chose to try out for initially. Only players who tried out for the All-Star Team and were **not** selected are eligible to tryout for the Silver team. A player chosen for the Gold All-Star Team cannot decline and then tryout for the Silver Team for that year. The Executive Board will determine if a silver team is appropriate at each age level after the gold team selections are made.

I understand and agree to follow the above Rules and Policies:

Daughter's Name

Parent Signature

Date

Parent Signature

Date