



City of Rockville  
Department of Recreation and Parks  
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## Player Agreement — League Softball

### I understand:

- 1) There are inherent dangers involved in participation in the sport of softball.
- 2) I must be aware of the risks and hazards associated with participation in league softball, including but not limited to:
  - a) Injuries caused by a hit or thrown ball, or a swinging or thrown bat.
  - b) Collisions with other players or immovable objects, such as fences, signs, water fountains, etc.
  - c) Slips and falls, either on wet turf, over bases, or for other reasons.
  - d) Weather-related injuries caused by hot and humid conditions, and severe weather such as lightning storms.
  - e) Various other athletic injuries related to sports and play.
- 3) The rules and regulations that govern participation in league softball, as available to all players and teams in written form and/or as explained by City staff.
- 4) The possible consequence of participating in these activities include the possibility of serious injury or even death.

### I agree:

- 1) To obey the rules and regulations that govern participation in City of Rockville league softball play.
- 2) To examine the field and facilities prior to the beginning of each game or practice, and inform a staff member of any dangerous or potentially hazardous situations I observe.
- 3) To use common sense in determining my physical abilities and stamina, and keep my level of play within sensible limits.

### RELEASE

I know that participation in league softball play is a potentially hazardous activity and I should not participate unless I am medically able and properly trained. I assume all risks associated with participation in league softball including, but not limited to: falls, sprains, fractures and other athletic injuries; contact with other participants, bats and balls, fences or other immovable objects that comprise part of the playing field; effects of weather, including heat and humidity, all such risks being known and appreciated by me. I agree to abide by the rules that govern league softball participation, and by the decision of City officials relative to my participation in league softball. Having read this Player Agreement and fully understanding all the risks, rules and requirements pertaining to league softball play, and in consideration of the City of Rockville's acceptance of my registration in the league softball program, I do hereby, on behalf of my self, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, **assume all risks** associated with the participation in such a program. I do further **release, hold harmless** and **indemnify** the Mayor and Council of Rockville, and all of its agents, officers, officials and employees from any and all claims for injuries or loss to any person or property, including but not limited to my own, which may arise out of or result from my participation in the league softball program.

*Please sign your name on the reverse side of this form to indicate you understand and agree to the provisions and conditions of the foregoing Player Agreement and Release.*

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_

Sport \_\_\_\_\_

Division \_\_\_\_\_

Night(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Season \_\_\_\_\_

Year \_\_\_\_\_



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Coach's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home # \_\_\_\_\_

Work # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

**Player Roster, Agreement and Release**

In signing this Roster, I acknowledge that I have read, understand, and agree to all of the provisions and conditions set forth in the Player Agreement and Release set forth on the reverse side of this page.

NAME ( <i>print legibly</i> )	ADDRESS (STREET, CITY, ZIP)	EMERGENCY CONTACT AND PHONE #	SIGNATURE OF PLAYER
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