



# SCP Softball Membership Application – Spring 2024

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE FOR SPRING SEASON: SATURDAY, 2/10/2024 @ 6:00 PM**

**ALL INFO (Including Current Code of Ethics & Payment) MUST BE COMPLETED FOR YOUR APPLICATION TO BE ACCEPTED**

## MEMBER INFO

Name: (PRINT) \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M F

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME / NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

**ISTILL WORK** (Please check if applicable)  Work schedule: \_\_\_\_\_

**In addition to basic membership, I will participate in the Softball Club in the following capacity:**  
(Check as many options as desired)

- PLAYER     MANAGER     ASSISTANT     MEMBER ONLY  
 UMPIRE     SCOREBOARD     SCOREKEEPER     OTHER \_\_\_\_\_

**NEW Members:** DOB \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ (to confirm eligibility)      Verified by Board member (initial) \_\_\_\_\_  
(never joined the SCP Softball Club before)

The SCP Softball Association is an approved SCP Charter Club and as a club member you are entitled to participate in all club functions and meetings. As a member of the SCP Softball Club, by signing and dating below you have read, understood, and agree to the following:

- I am healthy enough to participate in the association and assume the risk of any injury which may occur.
- The association has my permission to use game and/or team photographs containing my image on the Club website.
- I am or will be a **resident** of SCP by the start of the season in order to play.

I have reviewed, signed, and returned the Current Code of Ethics along with this registration.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2024 DUES

- \$10** 2024 Annual dues for ALL members, plus...  
**\$15** 2024 Spring Player registration for all players, team managers, assistant managers  
**\$5** 2024 Spring CORT players

Make checks payable to “SCP Softball Association.”

AMOUNT ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  Check# \_\_\_\_\_ -or-  Cash.

Put the completed **SIGNED AND DATED** form, the **SIGNED** Code of Ethics, and payment in an envelope clearly marked “SCP Softball Association” and drop it off at the SCP Amenity Center Softball mailbox **-OR-** provide to one of the club officers below.

**Mark Rettig – President | Triffy Pacitti – Vice President | Mike Smith – Corresponding Secretary**  
**Steve Heck – Recording Secretary | Tom Restaino - Treasurer**



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**NOTE: The Spring 2024 Season starts 3-30-2024 and ends 6-1-2024**

**IMPORTANT:** List dates you will **NOT** be available: \_\_\_\_\_

**All New Members:** we comply with the SCP Community Association request to check IDs to verify all **New** member's DOB and SCP residency. You must be a SCP Community Association resident member in good standing to participate in the SCP Softball Club and at least **50 years old (by the start of the season)** to play. Have your **SCP ID and Driver's License** ready when asked by a Board member for this information.

**ALL NEW PLAYERS, those that did not play in 2023, or those returning from a significant health issue or surgery, MUST ATTEND at least one New Player Evaluation session in order to play. Those sessions are currently scheduled for:**

**LADIES NEW PLAYER EVALUATIONS:**

Saturday February 17: 11:00am -1:00pm & Saturday February 24: 1:00pm - 3:00pm

**MEN'S NEW PLAYER EVALUATIONS:**

Saturday February 17: 1:00pm - 3:00pm & Saturday February 24: 11:00am - 1:00pm

**IMPORTANT: ALL Registered League Players**

Our competitive leagues, ML-A & B, and LL have implemented a player cap to ensure that all teams contain the same number of players. **Any player not drafted** will be afforded the opportunity to play in our CORT program. NOTE: The Board has the discretion to REJECT a request if it is not in the best interest of the selected league and will contact you if that decision is necessary.

**LADIES:**

- I would like to **PLAY** in the **LADIES League**
- I would like to **SUB ONLY** in the **LADIES League** (does **NOT** guarantee that you will play!)

**MEN (check ONE box below):**

- I will **PLAY** in **EITHER LEAGUE** (based on my skills evaluation & where I am selected in the player draft)
- I would like to **PLAY** in the **Men's B-League**

**CORT ('Co-Ed Recreational Team')**

- I will play in **the 'Co-Ed Recreational Team' (CORT)** if not drafted or prefer to play in the **CORT ONLY**.



**SCP SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION  
CODE OF ETHICS  
CONDUCT / SPORTSMANSHIP STANDARDS**

**Objective:** To ensure that while striving for the best in competition, the Membership (players, managers, umpires, and other support people) adhere to good sportsman intentions and behavior.

**Expectations:**

1. Players, managers & umpires will play the game fairly, and will treat each other with respect.
2. Cheating or manipulation of rules of any sort will not be tolerated.
3. Players will compete with full effort and will do all they can to ensure the safety of their teammates, as well as their opponents.
4. Players are expected to play hard, but remember this is a game, and that the games are played in front of spectators of all ages. Use of inappropriate language MUST be controlled. Also, verbal abuse of other players, managers, and umpires will not be tolerated of Members, whether on the field as players or off the field as spectators.

**Actions:** The SCP Softball Protest & Conduct Committee (PCC) is charged with investigating and understanding any complaints filed, as stated below, concerning bad sportsmanship observed. A Member of the Board will attend all games played, either as a player, umpire, or interested spectator.

**Process:**

1. Any player, manager, umpire, or spectator may file a complaint to the Board, league coordinator, the head umpire at a game, any team manager, or any Member of the PCC by supplying the details of the event in writing.
2. The PCC will assess the event as quickly as possible (knowing that time is of the essence in dealing with these matters) and render a written recommendation to the Board.

**Behavior and Discipline:** Proper behavior and decorum are expected from all Members and non-member fans. Those who are abusive, project an undesirable or inappropriate image, use profanity, direct outbursts of anger toward players, umpires or spectators, throw and/or misuse equipment, engage in rough play that could unnecessarily injure an opponent, initiate a one-on-one confrontation of a threatening nature, either before, during, or after a game or who unnecessarily and blatantly create turmoil, disruption, and dissension among club Members or other clubs or the Association in general may have their membership temporarily suspended or terminated by the club. Non-members will be asked to either cease their inappropriate behavior or to leave Veterans Field.

The following are recommended steps for club Member disciplinary action depending on the severity of the infraction:

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| <b>A.</b> | <b>First Offense:</b>  | minimum written warning from club, suspension            |
| <b>B.</b> | <b>Second offense:</b> | short term suspension by the club (minimum one season)   |
| <b>C.</b> | <b>Third offense:</b>  | longer term suspension by the club (two seasons or more) |
| <b>D.</b> | <b>Fourth offense:</b> | permanent termination from the Club                      |

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name (printed):** \_\_\_\_\_