

## Frequently Asked Questions (Spring Softball)

**1. What age group is my child in and is he or she old enough to play?**

The player's age on January 1st determines player's eligibility and division.

**Divisions:**

5 and 6 year olds – 6U

7 and 8 year olds – 8U

9 and 10 year olds – 10U

11 and 12 year olds – 12U

13 and 14 year olds – 14U

**2. When are sign ups?**

Online registration will be open from January 1 - February 1. On site registration TBA.

**3. Where are sign ups?**

The KYA Field House between Fields 15, 16 and 17

**4. How much is it?**

\$105.00 per registration.

**5. How long is the season?**

Mid-March thru first week in June.

**6. When do practices start?**

The Last week of February

**7. How many practices and games are there per week?**

Teams are allowed 3 events (games and/or practices) per week, expect 1-2 games per week.

**8. When are games?**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday

**9. Where are games and practices?**

Games are played at the KYA ball fields, practice locations are held at one of the city parks or schools.

**10. Will Soccer interfere with Baseball?**

KYA and KSA are separate organizations. Refer to the season schedule listed above for the baseball schedule. You will need to contact KSA for the soccer schedule.

**11. Can my player be put on a team with his or her friends?**

There is no guarantee. Efforts are made to honor requests the younger age groups. In the older age leagues, players are placed on teams through a coach's draft.

**12. What equipment do players need?**

Glove, rubber cleats (no steel cleats allowed)

**13. What other costs are involved?**

The league provides shorts and jersey. Teams may decide to purchase visors and socks together for the team to match.

**14. Does everyone get a trophy?**

6U and 8U every player receives a participation trophy. 8U, 10U, 12U and 14U receive 1st, 2nd and 3rd place trophies for the end of season tournament.

**15. What is NYSCA certification for coaches?**

It is a nationally recognized organization and ensures that coaches are trained. All coaches must be certified by taking an online class through NYSCA, [www.nays.org](http://www.nays.org)