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**WASHINGTON STATE LITTLE LEAGUE
SENIOR & JUNIOR STATE SOFTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

JULY 5, 2022

League Presidents, Team Managers and Coaches,

Welcome to the 2022 Washington State Senior and Junior All Star Softball tournament. First, we would like to congratulate all players, managers, and coaches for the success they have achieved this season. Through hard work and perseverance. You have succeeded in earning a tournament berth in this very prestigious tournament!

This packet has been provided for your convenience. Additional information to help with your stay can be found on our website at www.littleleaguewad1.org.

The tournament planning is well underway, and your assistance is need on the following items:

- * First, give this packet to your District's winning Team Manager at the end of your District Tournament. It is essential that the Team Manager reads and understands everything this packet provides.
- * Second, please have your District representative email me at doughsheldon@gmail.com the District winning team's information including Manager's contact information (name, cell, email)
- * Third, please email your District's winning team photo in .jpg format as quickly as possible to my email address above, to make the State Tournament Program publication deadline.

Please note the publication deadline to receive team rosters and a team picture will be June 29, 2022.

**PLEASE NOTE
STEEL CLEATS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON TURF FIELDS**

WE ASK THAT EACH TEAM HAVE A VOLUNTEER TO SCOREKEEP

On behalf of District 1, thank you again for being a part of this tournament and we hope that the fond memories you experience in the days to come will encourage you to visit our community again.

Sincerely,

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Tournament Director
District 1 Little League
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Managers and Coaches Meeting

A Mandatory Managers' meeting for all Managers and Coaches will be held on ONLINE on Friday, July 1st, 7pm. See login information on last page of packet.

1. Little League All Star Documentation packet. This is your team "notebook. Ensure that all your teams documents are signed by your League President and District Administrator. We will be reviewing all documents at this meeting.
 - ❖ Affidavit
 - ❖ Medical Release
 - ❖ 3 proofs of residency or school form
2. Once your documents have been verified and approved, they will be returned to you. It will be your responsibility to take care of these.
3. The 2022 Softball Official Regulations with Playing and Tournament Rules.
4. This Tournament Packet

Online Information - District 1 Little League will be updated on the District 1 Website <http://www.littleleaguewad1.org/home.php> each day to keep the bracket updated. The information requested in this packet regarding rosters and team photos (.jpg format) will be submitted to Doug Sheldon at doughsheldon@gmail.com.

Field Location - All Games will be played at Phil Johnson Playfields.

Phil Johnson Ballfields
400 W Sievers-Duecy Blvd
Everett, WA 98201

Glass containers, food, seeds, gum, are not permitted in dugouts or on the playing field.

Water is permitted.

Practice Fields will be made available at manager meeting for teams coming from out of town.

Managers and Coaches are responsible to knowing the current year's Little League Softball Rules and Regulations, including all tournament rules. These can be found [HERE](#).

Sportsmanship- Good sportsmanship is expected from all participants-managers, coaches, players and umpires.

Bench Conduct - Managers and coaches may not leave the dugout without permission except to go to a coaches' box.

This includes between innings.

Managers are responsible for the team's conduct and the manager alone represents the team in communications with the umpires and opposing team.

Electronic Devices-There should be no electronic devices in the dugout. No team shall use electronic equipment of any kind, including, but not limited to walkie-talkies, cellular telephones, electronic tablets, or laptop computers for any communication with on-field personnel including those in the dugout, bullpen or on the field.

Penalty: If in the judgment of an umpire, a manager, coach, or player uses such a device during a game, the penalty is ejection from the game. (3.17)

Note: A manager or coach may use a scorekeeping application on an electronic device provided it is not used for communication of any sort.

Uniforms-

Players shall be in full uniform, and appropriately worn. Jewelry and pins on the uniform are prohibited. Bracelets or necklaces that alert medical personnel to a specific condition are permissible but should be taped if necessary for player safety

Managers and Coaches may wear conventional uniforms when permitted by rule. Otherwise, managers and coaches may wear a cap, sport shirt, slacks or walking shorts and closed toe shoes. Metal spikes are not permitted. Clothing may not display written messages or advertising for any product, service, or sports team other than Little League or their team. Inappropriately dressed managers or coaches will be limited to the dugout.

Scorekeeping- Managers are responsible for tracking their own lineup and that of the opposing team. Any person authorized to be in a team's dugout may also keep score for the team.

A manager or coach may use a scorekeeping application on an electronic device provided it is not used for communication of any sort. (3.17 note)

Managers, coaches, and players may not confer at any time with coaches, scorekeepers or spectators who are outside the confines of the field. (3.09) Managers may not use the Official Scorekeeper as their team's scorekeeper.

Time Management- Efficient use of game time is critical. By rule, there is one minute between innings during which a pitcher may throw up to eight warm-up pitches. (8.03) Managers are expected to cooperate with umpires in complying with this rule by having defensive players ready to go and using properly equipped warm-up catchers when necessary. Borrowing opposing team's catchers is prohibited.

Substitutions- Managers will announce all substitutions to the umpire in chief. Prospective substitutions are not

permitted. The umpire in chief shall announce or cause to be announced all substitutions. (3.07)

Offense- Players may be substituted when their turn to bat has come or while they are on base.

Defense- Defensive substitutions must be made when a team is on defense. The manager should immediately report defensive substitutions made during the change of the inning to the umpire in chief. If the manager delays making changes beyond the one-minute allowed between innings the pitcher must stop warming up.

Pitch count- Managers may obtain a pitch count from the pitch count recorder for either pitcher at any time by requesting a count through the umpire in chief.

Equipment- Managers should inspect their team's bats and other playing equipment for compliance with the playing rules prior to the start of the tournament. Managers are responsible for rule compliance of bats and other equipment regardless of whether it has been inspected by an umpire. Equipment removed from a game for non-compliance with the playing rules is subject to appeal.

Game Day Procedures

There is no batting practice of any kind permitted at the tournament site. Infield/outfield practice at the tournament site is limited to the 10 minutes scheduled for each team prior to their game.

Glass containers, food, seeds, gum, are not permitted in dugouts or on the playing field. Water is permitted.

One hour before game time- Opposing managers meet with Tournament Site Director.

- Review Team Tournament book including medical releases.
- Submit original affidavit.
- Submit game lineup, Jersey #, Last name, First name. (The manager may change the lineup at any time until it is presented to the umpire in chief at the plate meeting and accepted.)
- Inform tournament director and opposing manager if they have league pins to exchange.
- Coin Toss- Home team is decided by coin toss. The toss is called in the air by the team on the top of the bracket. Home team dugout is on third base side.

As soon as assigned dugouts become available-

- Locate team in dugout and set all bats, helmets and catcher's equipment in front of the dugout for inspection by the umpires.
- The manager is responsible for removing all uninspected equipment and inspected equipment deemed not in compliance with the rules from the dugout for the duration of the game.

Thirty minutes before game time- Visiting team has 10 minutes for infield/outfield practice on the tournament field.

Twenty minutes before game time- Home team has 10 minutes for infield/outfield practice on the tournament field.

All opposing team personnel shall be in their dugout or in their designated bullpen during a team's scheduled infield practice.

Ten minutes before game time- Managers meet with umpires at home plate.

Five minutes before game time- Teams return to their dugouts.

After the Game-

- Each team will receive All Star participation pins immediately after the team's first tournament game.
- Teams will clean dugouts and vacate as quickly as possible.
- Managers meet with Tournament Site Director to verify pitching records and score, retrieve their updated and signed original affidavit, and verify next scheduled game, if any.
- If the manager does not verify pitching records and score by the end of game day, all affidavit entries made by the Tournament Site Director are deemed accurate and final. The Tournament Site Director shall complete the affidavit, sign it, and retain it until the team's next played game.



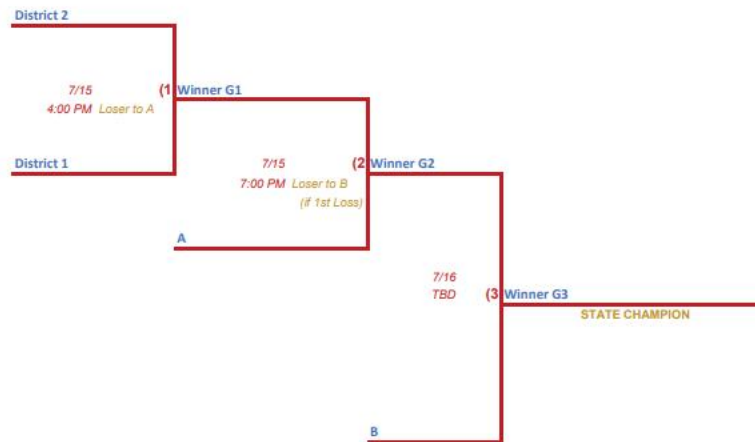
TOURNAMENT BRACKET – Seniors



Seniors State SOFTBALL

Draw #	League
Team 1	District 1
Team 2	District 2

	Date	Time	Fields
Game 1	Friday, July 15, 2022	4:00 PM	Phil Johnson 4
Game 2	Friday, July 15, 2022	7:00 PM	Phil Johnson 4
Game 3	Saturday, July 16, 2022	TBD	Paine Field Community Park



Updated June 14,2022



LOCAL HOTELS

LYNNWOOD, EDMONDS, EVERETT, BOTHELL, MUKILTEO

There are many hotels located in the South Snohomish County area. Fields are located closely to Lynnwood, WA 98036, go to link below for list of hotels:

[HOTEL LINKS](#)

Things to do, shopping, restaurants, beaches, parks, events.

[Lynnwood](#)

[Edmonds](#)

[Everett](#)

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Tournament Team Roster

League Name _____

District Administrator _____

League President _____

Home City _____ Team Name _____

Role	Name	Jersey No.
Manager		
Coach		
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Manager Cell Number _____

Manager Email _____

League President Cell Number _____

League President Email _____

Team Photo Information for Program

Team photos and Team Rosters must be submitted to District 1 Administrator Doug Sheldon
dougbsheldon@gmail.com

- ❖ These photos must be sent as quickly as possible for them to appear in the tournament program. It is advisable that you have your team photo taken immediately after the announcement of your all-star selection, perhaps at the team/parent meeting.
- ❖ You must submit a team photo; individual photos will not be accepted.
- ❖ Verify the spelling of all players, managers, coaches, league president and District Administrator on the Tournament Team Roster. District 1 will not be responsible for any information that is spelled incorrectly due to misspelling or inability to read the handwriting.
- ❖ In the event that your All Star uniforms are not ready, do not wait to take the picture. Arrange to have the players use their regular season uniforms. These photos must be submitted in time to proof the final program before going to press.
- ❖ Submit your photo in a .jpg format. It is recommended that you make sure you use a high-resolution camera.
- ❖ There is no need to submit a description of where each player is in the picture or their numbers. We will only be posting the rosters below the picture.

Mandatory Manager Meeting Login Information

Friday, July 1st, 2022 – 7 pm

Please login by computer to see presentation.

Microsoft Teams Meeting Link

Jul 1 Fri	State Softball Coaches Meeting When Fri Jul 1, 2022 6pm – 7pm (PDT) Where Microsoft Teams Meeting	Ag Fri No 6p No
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Please extend this meeting to all Districts for Softball Juniors and Seniors State Tournament.

Microsoft Teams meeting

Join on your computer or mobile app

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Or call in (audio only)

[+1 509-505-0540,,472626577#](#) United States, Spokane

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