



SOFTBALL PLAYERS ASSOCIATION

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BACHMAN SOFTBALL COMPLEX Glen Burnie, Maryland 2018 16th Annual Glen Burnie Classic “AAA & AA” World Qualifier & Major Plus/Major Triple Crown Qualifier

Dates of play:

70-75-80+ 2, 3 May

65 + 3, 4 May

60 + 4, 5 & 6 May

50-55 + 5 & 6 May

The format for this year’s tournament will be as follows:

1. Men’s 50’s – 80’s will be a 2 game pool play into double elimination.

Entry Fee: \$500.00

Entry Deadline: April 17, 2018

POOL PLAY: All games will be played with the 5 run limit rule. The home run rule will be two (2) WITH NO “ONE-UP” (WALK).

TIME LIMIT: Pool Play is (1) Hr., finish that inning plus one more. Bracket Play is 1 Hr & 15 Minutes finishing that inning plus 1 additional inning. (NO TIME LIMITS IN CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES).

BALLS: AD STAR .44 COR 375 Compression Tatoo (6 balls given each team, additional balls available for purchase.

RUN RULE: 20 AFTER 4 INNINGS, 15 AFTER 5 INNINGS.

SEEDING:

- The tournament director has the authorization to place the teams in each division based upon the overall strength and skill of the team, using the following information as a guideline.
- Won loss record
- Head to head results (applies only when all teams play each other).
- Runs allowed
- Runs scored
- Run differential
- Flip of coin

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**Major Plus: 9 runs per inning, last declared inning open. 7 home runs – 1 up rule
Additional home run scored as a walk.**

**Major: 7 runs per inning, last declared inning open. 4 home runs – 1 up rule
Additional home run scored as a walk.**

Gold Division: (AAA)

5 runs per inning, last declared inning open. 3 home runs– OUT.

Five or less teams

If a tournament has 5 or less teams in an age division, the following rules will apply: the tournament director/s will review all game scores along with their personal observation of the teams in pool play both offensively and defensively. Based on this information, he/they will decide on what options to use in the tournament. This is based on the quality of teams that are participating in the tournament.

EQUALIZER RULES WILL BE IN EFFECT

All SPA rules will apply as printed in the 2018 SPA official rule book.

Player Check in:

All players must check in and sign the official tournament roster. The I.D. required is the SPA player ID card and players Driver’s license. After signing the roster, a wrist band will place on the players arm. No player will be allowed to participate without their wrist band. No altered wrist bands (cut and taped back on etc) will be allowed. Any wrist band violations will result in the player being removed from the game until properly checked or rechecked in. If batter base-runner, an out will be declared.

Play will not be suspended to accommodate any wrist band violations

Awards:

Awards will only be given to players that have checked in and signed the official SPA roster.

Travel sheets:

The travel sheets will be used to contact you in the event of weather delays or other emergencies during the course of this tournament. Make sure you give your cell number and hotel information.

Contacts

Tournament director	Ridge Hooks	214-317-0328
Tournament director	Lonnie O’Haver	210-789-5362
Tournament director	Larry Milliron	614-506-3610
Tournament director	James Burnett	614-443-4455
Tournament UIC	Roger Jennings	501-520-7314

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TRAVEL INFORMATION SHEET

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It is very important that the following information be accurate and legible. This enables the S.P.A. staff to contact you during the tournament to notify you of any changes in the schedule. This information will also be turned in to the Convention and Visitors Bureau for the economic impact survey.

Tournament location & date: **GLEN BURNIE, MD MAY 2018**

Team Name: _____ AGE: ____ Rating: _____

Team location: _____

Team Manager: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

E-mail _____ Cell Phone: _____

Hotel Name: _____

Hotel phone: (____) _____ Room # _____

Number of team rooms: _____ Number of nights: _____

Name rooms reserved under: _____

Number in your group: Men _____ Women _____

Method of travel: Air: _____ Car: _____

Arrival date: _____ Departure date: _____

La Quinta Inn & Suites is the Host Hotel. Call 410-636-4300 to make hotel reservation. Room block for the tournament has a cut-off date of April 1 2018 at 6pm. Please mention the SPA Glen Burnie Classic to receive the tournament rate of \$99.00 plus tax.

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