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Masters (35+)      Senior A & B (Open)      Intermediate A & B (Open)

Junior A & B (23U)      Midget A & B (19U)      Bantam A (16U)

**MAY 31<sup>st</sup> – JUNE 2<sup>nd</sup> 2019**

**Shouldice Athletic Field**

**Entry Fee: \$500.00**

**Cash Prizes**

**You do not want to miss this tournament!**

For more information contact:

CWFA Vice President – Neil Chapman  
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Application & Entry Fee deadline: **April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019**

(Entries may not be accepted after this date.)

The CWFA reserves the right to determine which teams will and will not be accepted into the tournament, based on applications and entry fees received, competition-necessitated category amalgamation, and space available.

Acknowledgements of receipt of tournament applications will be emailed. Tournament fees will NOT be refunded after the application deadline except in the case of non-acceptance of applications, or tournament cancellation or rain out per tournament rules.

**A player and coach list for each team must be submitted to CWFA no later than April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019**, and must include players' full names and uniform numbers. Birth dates are required for all players other than for "open" category teams.

# 2019 CWFA TOURNAMENT ENTRY FORM

TEAM \_\_\_\_\_

COACH \_\_\_\_\_ CELL # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ HOME # \_\_\_\_\_

MANAGER \_\_\_\_\_ CELL # \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ HOME # \_\_\_\_\_

MAILING ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ POSTAL CODE \_\_\_\_\_

<b>2018 Team Record</b>	Wins	Losses	Placing
League			
Provincials			
Westerns			
Canadians			

CATEGORY: Please indicate your team's category with an "X" in the appropriate box.

SENIOR A (open)  SENIOR B (open)  JUNIOR A (23U)  JUNIOR B (23U)

INTERMEDIATE A (open)  INTERMEDIATE B (open)  MASTER (35+)

MIDGET A (19U)  MIDGET B (19U)  BANTAM A (16U)

**4 GAMES GUARANTEED**

**ENTRY FEE: \$500.00**

**DOOR PRIZES FOR PLAYERS**

***PAYMENT:*** Please mail this completed form along with cheque payable to  
CALGARY WOMEN'S FASTPITCH ASSOCIATION

c/o 82 Kincora Heights NW  
CALGARY, ALBERTA T3R 1N5

***START TIMES:*** Calgary local & area teams will start play Friday evening.

Out-of-town teams will start play Saturday morning.

# **2019 CWFA FASTPITCH TOURNAMENT**

**May 31 – June 2, 2019**

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

*(subject to change without notice)*

1. The tournament will follow Softball Canada and CWFA (Batter's Box) rules, unless otherwise specified. No new inning may start after 1 hour and 20 minutes, with the exception of the championship game in each division which will have no time limit. In all time limited games, if the home team is ahead in the bottom of the last inning (as determined by the umpire, or when the 1 hr 20 min time limit is up), don't finish the bottom of the inning, the game is over. Mercy rule of 15 runs after the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning, 10 runs after the 4th inning, and 7 runs after the 5th or 6th innings of play will be in effect. In round robin play, ties after regulation will remain as ties. In playoff games if tied after regulation, the tiebreaker rule will be in effect in the next inning. The umpires will conduct a coin toss prior the start of all games to decide home team. Teams listed as "Home" on the schedule will take the 3<sup>rd</sup> base dugout; unless the previous game involves a team that is already playing (second game of a double header) then the "Home" team will take the 1<sup>st</sup> base dugout.
  
2. If teams are tied for seeding after the round robin, positions will be determined by using the following criteria:
  - Win / Loss records. If still tied, then;
  - Winners of games between tied teams. If still tied, then;
  - Difference of plus / minus total runs scored with all teams (maximum of 7 runs per game). If still tied, then;
  - Difference of plus / minus runs scored between tied teams (maximum of 7 runs per game). If still tied, then;
  - Least runs allowed. If still tied, then;
  - Coin toss
  
3. In case of inclement weather, the following procedures will apply if the tournament is rained out / cancelled:
  - During the round robin; teams will have their entrance fee refunded, less tournament expenses (determined by the tournament committee, number of games played, etc.) plus prize money for wins (skins).
  - After completion of the round robin; teams entering the playoff round will split their divisions' prize money.
  - After completion of any playoff games; remaining teams will split their divisions' prize money.
  
4. Teams must be prepared to field a full team at all times. Teams must submit and confirm their official tournament roster with the tournament committee prior to first game, and only players listed on the official roster are permitted to play in the tournament. A player can appear on only one tournament roster. No substitutes from other teams participating in the tournament will be allowed.
  
5. Teams unable to field a full team when scheduled to play will forfeit that scheduled game (default 7-0 score).

6. The CWFA tournament committee reserves the right to insert a replacement team into the tournament / draw up to fifteen minutes before any scheduled game, if necessary.
7. The protest committee will consist of the umpire-in-chief or deputy umpire-in-chief, and two CWFA Executive members.
8. Canadian teams must be affiliated with Softball Canada and American teams must be affiliated with ASA. The use of illegal (non-affiliated) players will result in expulsion of the illegal player from the tournament. Out-of-province or out-of-country teams must produce a Travel Permit from Softball Canada or ASA upon request.
9. Entry fees will not be refunded after the application deadline. Entry fees will only be refunded if a team is not approved / granted entry to the tournament, or if the tournament is canceled as outlined in 3. above.
10. Local Calgary and surrounding area teams must be prepared to play Friday night.
11. All / both teams are responsible for scorekeeping for all games. Winning teams must submit score sheets to the scorekeeper's tent immediately after the game. In tied games, both teams must submit score sheets.
12. Information and official draw will be posted on bulletin boards near the Media Centre inside the Shouldice quad.

#### Prize Money

Playoff payouts will vary depending on the number of teams in each event and taking into account tournament costs. Cheques will be delivered after the tournament.

The tournament committee will try to keep you advised of weather conditions and schedule changes prior to and over the course of the weekend as needed. Check emails, voice messages and the scoreboard.




**Coaches/Manager**

<b>Name</b>	<b>Address</b>	<b>City</b>	<b>Postal Code</b>	<b>Cell Number</b>