

LGSA Policy & Procedure Manual

SUBJECT:

EQUIPMENT POLICY

EFFECTIVE DATE: November 7, 2016

REVISED DATE:

Policy Statement:

The LGSA sees player safety as paramount importance and requires proper equipment for all players.

Application of Policy:

- All Lacombe Girls Softball players are required to have and wear a batting helmet.
 - These helmets must have a cage and attached chinstraps.
- This protection must be used all the time.
 - Games and practices and while batting or running bases.
 - Players who coach in the first and third base boxes.
 - Representatives who act as bat boy/girls both on the field and in the dugouts.
- All U8, U10, U12, & U14 Pitchers must wear a pitching mask during league play. These can be purchased at any sports store; they will not be supplied by the Association as they are a personal item and each girl might like a different style.
- All catchers are required to wear a personal protective cup (Jill), the LGSA also recommends that all pitchers wear one as well. The umpires may check the catchers at the beginning of each game and if not worn the player may be ejected from that position.
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- LGSA recommends that all in-fielders wear a protective face mask in the best interest of player safety.