



ACTION BULLETIN

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To: Member Minor Associations

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From: Rick Benson
Executive Director

Subject: Learn to Play Resources 2024

Softball Canada recently advised us they will not be providing TimBits t-shirts to the provinces and territories this year. Tim Hortons has made the decision not to renew their partnership at this time and, therefore, Softball Canada is not able to sustain the program moving forward.

Recognizing this was, especially for us in BC, last minute notification, and that it potentially will leave some associations in a difficult financial position, we have managed to create a shared program to ensure clubs who provide the "Learn to Play" children's softball activities can still get t-shirts for those participating in local club programs.

Qualified (members in good standing) associations can order Softball BC logo Learn to Play T-Shirts through MVP Athletics, via an on-line store set up for this purpose. Participating associations will pay \$1.90 per shirt plus shipping costs, and Softball BC will be responsible for the remaining amount, \$5.00 per shirt.

Under this new process, we will manage quantities based on your registered players in the U5 – U9 Category in 2023. If you did not provide LTP in 2023, but are this year, place your order with MVP and the office will connect with you to verify quantities.

Orders can be placed by size and for up to six different colours. Once MVP receives a club's order, they will send it to us for approval and when they receive our confirmation, will prepare and ship the merchandise.

Please find the link to order here <https://softballbclearntoplayshirts2024.itemorder.com/>

Softball BC also has medals branded with the TimBits logo which can be used for season end jamborees, participation awards, fun days, etc. The medals are all one colour and one size and are high quality awards.

Medals are available at no charge for any association providing LTP activities for children's softball.





Associations will however, be responsible for shipping costs. Local associations can avoid paying shipping by arranging to pick the medals up from the Softball BC office.

Shipping Costs:

- Medal orders from 10 to 100 = Flat Fee of \$50.00
- Medal orders 100 & above = Flat Fee of \$150.00

Place your Learn to Play Medal Order here <https://form.jotform.com/240587586001962>

