



Letter of Intent for CANADIAN Fast Pitch Championships

To assist Softball Saskatchewan in determining which teams will attend the Canadian Championships, this Letter of Intent must accompany your team's Provincial Championship Entry Form.

This form and accompanying bond payment of \$5,000.00 must be completed and received in the office of Softball Saskatchewan by May 15th, 2022, by all teams entering a Provincial Championship Category that leads to a Canadian Championship (all "A" categories). This bond payment will **NOT** be cashed **UNLESS** the team fails to fulfill their commitment based on the check box below or if the team wins the Provincial championship they have entered. For teams who do not qualify to attend the bond cheque will be voided and returned.

A team who wins a Provincial Championship that leads to a Canadian Championship **MUST** attend the Canadian Championship. Additional teams may attend based on how teams answer the options below.

A team who fails to fulfill their commitment will forfeit their \$5,000.00 Bond. The bond shall also be forfeited if your team cancels out of attending the Canadian Championship after qualifying. This bond will be used to pay the fine levied by Softball Canada for canceling out of the Championship and to try and deter teams from failing to fulfill their commitment.

One of the following options must be checked or your entry for Provincial Championships will not be accepted.

- YES - we will participate in the Canadian Championships regardless of our teams ranking in the Provincial Championships**
- NO - we will NOT participate in the Canadian Championships unless we WIN the Provincial Championship entered**

Please note all teams attending Canadian Championships must also pay a \$850 Softball Canada Entry Fee (Masters- \$600). Softball Saskatchewan collects this fee from our teams after they qualify. Should team(s) who win the Provincial Championship or who qualify and fail to meet this commitment, they will also forfeit the \$850 Softball Canada Entry Fee.

To assist Softball Saskatchewan in applying to Softball Canada for allocations to the Canadian Championships, complete this form and submit it to the Softball Saskatchewan office prior to May 15th of the current year. Softball Saskatchewan must indicate to Softball Canada by the June 7th deadline how many teams we are applying to send to the Canadian Championships based on the Letter of Intent. Softball Saskatchewan will approve of sending a maximum of three (3) teams to Out of Province Canadians and a maximum of four (4) teams to In-Province Canadian Championships.

Softball Saskatchewan has two pools of funding for travel assistance. The Softball Saskatchewan pool is provided to the two highest ranked qualifying teams in each category attending out of Province Championships. The team travel fund is available to all teams attending out of Province Championships.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED by the undersigned, that if the Provincial Champion and or team(s) who qualify to attend the Canadian Championship fail to attend as promised shall forfeit the bond and the Softball Canada Entry Fee (to the maximum of \$5,850 (Masters- \$5,600)– Bond and Softball Canada Entry Fee) if after qualifying for a Canadian Championship renege on this signed "Letter of Intent" agreement.

IT IS FURTHER UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED by the undersigned, that failure to pay such assessment on demand by Softball Saskatchewan may result in the subsequent suspension of the coach, Association President and/or team members.

Two signatures are required on this form.

NAME OF HEAD COACH:		E-MAIL:	
1 ST SIGNATURE:		PHONE:	
NAME OF COACH/MANAGER:		E-MAIL:	
2 ND SIGNATURE:		PHONE:	
BOND CHEQUE TO BE PAID BACK TO:			
BOND CHEQUE TO BE MAILED TO:			
For office use only:	Team Received From:	Amount	Date Rec'd:

Deadline to Submit along with Provincial Championship Entry Form and Fee is May 15th