



Important Tournament Details for Players & Parents

Tournament Details:

- Dates: June 22 - June 29
- Raindate: June 30
- Location: Current River Recreation Centre, Diamonds 1-5
- Format: Round-robin format is scheduled from June 22 - June 27
Play-offs are scheduled for Saturday, June 28 and Sunday, June 29

Tournament Schedule:

- Your coach will distribute your division's schedule. It will also be posted online on the [Current River Community Centre website](#).
- Please review the tournament schedule for the dates and times of your games.
- Arrive early so that you can properly warm up for the game.
- Remember, your team is depending on your commitment to each game during the tournament, so be sure to adjust your schedules accordingly. If you cannot make a game, please tell your coach well in advance so they can plan for your absence.
- Even though you may not be in the championship finals on Sunday, we invite all players, family and friends to return to the ballpark on Sunday for the championship games.

Tournament Notes:

- Umpires will keep the games moving, so you must be ready to go at all times. Play-off games are limited to 1.5 hours in length.
- The Major/Minor and Pee Wee divisions will play 6 innings during the tournament, while the Bantam/Ladies division will play 7.

What to Bring:

The tournament will run in rain or shine, so you must make sure you are prepared for any type of weather. We recommend packing a bag with the following items so that you are best prepared for any type of weather.

- Your softball glove! Don't forget this!
- Jersey & pants - you need to wear your jersey! Remember, shorts are NOT allowed during the games. Change of clothes for after your last game as PW & BL players will need to return their uniforms
- Runners/cleats - remember sandals, crocs, open-toed shoes or anything other than runners are not allowed; metal cleats are not allowed
- Waterbottle
- Ball cap or hat
- Sunscreen - be sure to apply often throughout the day
- Umbrella, Rain jacket, Extra pair of socks
- Bug spray
- Snacks and drinks - you might want to pack a little cooler, but be sure to clean up after yourself; no littering on the diamonds, dugouts, or fields
- Lawn chair and/or blanket to sit on; pop up tents welcome provided they do not obstruct views.

Parking:

There is no parking on Dewe Street for the tournament. Use the arena parking off Grenville Avenue for additional parking.

Please note: On June 24 and 26 there are graduations at the Current River Community Centre. This will make parking extremely limited.

Playoffs - Saturday, June 28 - The Big Fun Day!

Playoffs will begin early on Saturday, June 28. Please make sure you are aware of when and where you play. Be early to your games so that you have sufficient time to warm up and start on time. Along with your games, there will be many different things happening on Saturday including some fundraising and photo fun. Fundraising is cash only.

1. **BBQ Luncheon** - On Saturday, June 28, the canteen will be open. Each player and coach will be given a complimentary food ticket to use at the canteen for lunch. You will receive either a hamburger or hotdog, chips, and a drink. **The lunch food will only be available between 11 am - 3 pm.** Parents and spectators can purchase items at the canteen.
2. **Basket Raffle** - Thank you for your contribution to your team's basket! On Saturday, June 28, tickets will be sold for the raffle from 10 am - 5 pm. You can only buy tickets on Saturday. Tickets are \$5 for 10 tickets. According to our lottery license, only adults can purchase a ticket. The draws will be held Saturday evening morning and posted at the field, on our social media channels, and on the Current River Community Centre website.
3. **Player Prize Fun** - On Saturday, your coach will give you a ticket for a free play at our Prize Table. Please note this is only for players.
4. **Toonie Draw** - Tickets for a toonie draw will also be available.
5. **Photo Wall** - There will be a special photo wall set up for players, teams, and coaches to take some fun pictures! There will be some props to use, but please do not take the props with you! Leave them for everyone to have some fun.

IMPORTANT! PW & BL Uniform Returns After Last Game!

All PW & BL Players must return their uniform/jersey to the coach after their last game, whenever that may be. Do not leave the ballpark with it. Every year we struggle to have the uniforms returned which increases our costs the following year to replace them. Bring a change of clothes so that you can return your uniform to your coach after your last game. (MM players get to keep their jerseys!)

Parent Volunteers Needed:

We are looking for parent volunteers to help run our canteen and raffle tables over the weekend. If you are interested, please email tbaygsa@gmail.com or visit our headquarters during the week.

Code of Conduct for Players, Parents, and Spectators:

Please keep in mind the following points from our Code of Conduct during the tournament:

1. The TBGSA operates with a culture of respect, support, and kindness. We aim to provide a fun and safe space for young girls to learn the game of softball and develop their skills. Therefore, we must be considerate of all involved in the game. This includes teammates, opposing players, coaches, umpires, and executive members. We want all to have a positive and meaningful experience during the tournament.
2. Poor sportsmanship and bad behaviour will not be tolerated. Incidences of disrespect, aggression, and bullying will be dealt with accordingly and may result in suspension, loss of



game, removal from the premises, or involvement of the police. This applies to all players, parents, and spectators.

3. Other rules to be aware of include:

- a. Profanity will not be tolerated.
- b. There is no smoking, vaping, drug or alcohol use, including the smoking of marijuana, at the diamonds

Thank you for doing your part to provide a safe and fun environment for everyone. Let's knock this tournament outta the park!