### 2013-2014 El Segundo Girls Softball (ESGS)

### **Preliminary Calendar of Events**

Date	Event		
12/7/13	Registration (Joslyn - 10:30 -1:00 PM)		
12/11/13	Registration (Joslyn – 6:00 – 8:30 PM)		
12/12/13	Board Meeting (Joslyn – 7:00 PM)		
1/8/14	Final Registration (Joslyn – 6:00 – 8:30 PM)		
1/16/14	Board Meeting (Joslyn – 7:00 PM)		
1/21/14	12U/14U Evals (Richmond 5:30 – 8:30 PM)		
1/22/14	10U Evals (Richmond 5:30 – 8:30 PM)		
1/24/14	8U Evals (Richmond 5:30 – 8:30 PM)		
1/26/14	Board Meeting (Joslyn - 7:00 PM)		
1/27/14	8U Draft (TBD 6:00 -7:30 PM) 10U Draft (TBD 7:30 – 9:00 PM)		
1/29/14	6U Manager Meeting (TBD 6:00 - 7:30 PM) 12 U Draft (TBD 7:30 - 8:00 PM) 14U Draft (TBD 8:00 - 9:00 PM)		
2/1/14	Equipment Pickup (MS - 9:00 - 11:00 AM) Player Clinic (Rec 9:00-1:00; 1:30-3:00		
2/1/14	Practice Begins		
2/11/14	Team Parent Mtg. (Snack Bar 7:00 – 9:00 PM)		
2/13/14	Board Meeting (TBD 7:00 PM)		
2/16/14	Field Maintenance Day (MS - 9:00 - 10:00 AM)		
2/21/14	Opening Ceremonies (Rec 6:00 – 6:30 PM) Opening Game (Rec 7:15 PM)		
2/22/14	ESGS Parade (Main St. 9:00 AM)		
2/24/14	Player Clinic (Rec/Richmond 5:30 PM)		
3/8/14	Team Picture Day (Library Park)		
3/11/14	Make-up Picture Day (TBD)		
3/13/14	Board Meeting (TBD 7:00 PM)		
4/10/14	Board Meeting (TBD 7:00 PM)		
5/8/14	Board Meeting (TBD 7:00 PM)		
May 2014	ESGS Tournament Finals ESGS Board Elections Volunteer Party		
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### 2014 El Segundo Girls Softball Board of Directors

<b>Board Position</b>	Name	Contact Number
President	Peter Gianusso	973.216.3364
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Treasurer	Garnett Johnson	310.753.7550
Player Agent	Esther Cleland	310.749.9355
Umpire-in-Chief	Colleen Glynn-Rich	310.322.5857
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Fall Ball Coord.	Heather Harding/	310.594.4507/
	Mina Johnson	310.259.6854
Field Maintenance	Dave Mezza	310.529.9929
Sponsorship	Veronica McAndrews	310.415.1715
Uniforms	Jody Kleiger	310.430.1456
Team Parent	Mary Pedersen	310.322.2402
	Tina Studier	310.333.0717
Snack Bar	Gina Hoffman	310.864.5347
Propane	Bruce Busick	310.467.1277
Fundraiser	Jo Ann Nunez	310.616.6469
Picture Coord.	Carmen Gridley	310.529.9713
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Trophy	Michelle Wilkinson	310.890.8706
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12U/14U Rep	Ron Heredia	310.413.0041
10U Rep	Lance Giroux	310.739.9360
8U Rep	Rob Croxall	310.529.3882
6U Rep	Wade Stevens	310.416.9087

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### **General Information:**

**Q: I want<u>to get involved somehow, wh</u>at do I do? A:** There are many opportunities to help. Just contact any board member. If you are interested in managing or coaching, contact player agent, Esther Cleland via email at elsegundogirlssoftball@yahoo.com.

#### Q: What are the registration fees used for?

**A:** Our registration fees are among the lowest in our surrounding districts. ESGS uses the registration fees to pay for equipment, uniforms, umpires, pictures, trophies etc. It also pays for ASA registration fees, field usage, and league insurance.

# Q: Can girls who do not live in El Segundo play in the league?

**A:** Yes, subject to residency requirements that may be imposed by the city. ES residents will have priority, where applicable.

# Q: Will there be umpires for the 8 & Under division?

**A:** Youth umpires as well as other umpires will be provided. The league encourages parents, coaches, and managers to assist these umpires in providing a positive experience for the kids. If you know of anyone interested in umpiring, contact the UIC Colleen Glynn-Rich at colleenglynnrich@aol.com.

# Q: Is my daughter eligible to play in a higher division?

**A:** "Playing up" is not encouraged by the league, however, each request will be reviewed by the board subject to pre-set criteria.

#### Q: What division will my daughter be in?

Division	Birth Year	
6U	2007, 2008	
8U	2005, 2006	
10u	2003, 2004	
12∪	2001, 2002	
140	1999, 2000	

#### Q: My daughter's birthday is in late December and she just missed the cut off date to play in the lower division. May I leave her in the lower division?

**A:** Remaining in a lower division is not encouraged by the league. Requests will be reviewed by the board.

# Q: If I have a problem or a complaint during the season, whom do I talk to?

**A:** You should direct your issues to your daughter's manager. Next in line would be the division rep followed by the player agent. As a volunteer organization striving to provide the best possible environment for the leagues players we will give serious consideration to any issues.

### Q: What does the league's insurance cover?

**A:** The league's insurance is a "secondary" insurance policy. This means that you must file a claim with your own insurance policy first. The policy covers your child for accidents that occur while participating in El Segundo Girls Softball functions. Claim forms should be requested from and filed with the league's Vice President.

### Q: Am I required to participate in the fundraisers?

**A:** Yes. We encourage all parents and players to participate. As an alternative to participating in the fundraiser, the league is offering a "buy out" fee of \$50 that must be paid at registration.

#### Q: Am I required to work the snack bar?

**A:** Yes! By the way, it is usually quite fun. Along with the league fundraiser, the revenue from snack bar helps keep the registration fees low. Keep in mind that a \$75 deposit is paid at registration for your snack bar obligation. Failure in completing this responsibility results in loss of the deposit.

# Q: Can my daughter play "travel ball" and play in the league?

**A:** Yes, however there are some strict guidelines to follow. If your daughter plays travel ball on or after March 31, 2014, she is ineligible for All Star participation. Travel ball participation is defined as playing in games, practices, practice games, or multiple try-outs. Note - Each All Star team can have no more than 4 players who have participated in Travel Ball on or after February 1, 2014. If your daughter participates in travel ball after this date, she may be affected by this rule.

### Q: Why does my child's playing time differ from other children on the team?

**A:** Managers are bound by the league rules regarding playing time. All players must play a minimum of 3 defensive innings in a complete game or a minimum of 2 innings in games less than 6 innings. In addition, all players participate in the batting line up.

#### Q: My daughter is a freshman in High School, is she still eligible to play in the league?

**A:** Yes! Players must be 14 years old or younger on January 1, 2014 in order to participate in our league.

**Remember:** All players 8U & older must have their own helmet w/mask & chin strap. The league will only provide team helmets for the 6U division. Face masks are not required in the 6U division. The face mask rule is not a league rule rather an ASA rule.

> Please refer to our website for more information. www.elsegundogirlssoftball.com