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## 2020 SOFTBALLNATION RICHMOND FAST PITCH TOURNAMENTS



**SoftballNation's 2020 Fast Pitch Nationals: July 23-26 (Richmond, Va): 5 Game Format.**

**(Every Player gets a Free Pass to Kings Dominion for Player Day: July 23<sup>rd</sup>)**

**10u, 12u, 14u, 16u, 18u, 23u:** The SoftballNation Fast Pitch Nationals will be held in Richmond, VA Teams must be qualified to participate in this event. Entry information is available on [www.softballnation.com](http://www.softballnation.com).

**Team Registration:** All teams must be registered with SoftballNation for the 2020 season. Your Roster and Team Registration must be completed online at [www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation](http://www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation) The 2020 Team registration fee is \$40.

**Team Insurance:** Each team must have team insurance to participate in a SoftballNation event. You can get team insurance through our agency, Chappell Insurance. You can visit them on the web at [www.chappellinsurance.com](http://www.chappellinsurance.com)

### **Featured Events:**

**Memorial Day Shootout:** May 23-24. All Age Groups. Gold Champions receive a ***Paid Entry to the Queen of The Hill.***

**The Queen of The Hill (Mid-Atlantic Championship):** July 3-4-5. It's a 7 game format event with an entry fee of \$650. This is an automatic qualifier for the Fast Pitch Nationals and it's a well-attended event with some great competition at every age level.

**TO PARTICIPATE IN A TOURNAMENT:** All teams participating in a SoftballNation Sanctioned event must be registered for the 2020 season. You must register your team online at [www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation](http://www.teamsideline.com/sportsnation) (\$40). Your Team must have proof of team insurance and completed rosters with photocopied birth certificates available to EACH tournament director. Team Insurance Information: [www.chappellinsurance.com](http://www.chappellinsurance.com)

**Age Cutoff Date:** Age Cut-off date is Dec. 31 (Whatever age the player is on Jan. 1st 2020 is the age at which she may compete in 2020).

### **Qualifying for the Fast Pitch Nationals:**

The Fast Pitch Nationals will be held July 23-26 in Richmond, VA. While many teams may qualify, we may be limited in the overall number of teams we take to ensure each team has an enjoyable experience. To make sure your team is confirmed, we urge you to enter early. You may enter prior to your team qualifying and if your team fails to qualify, your entry fee will be returned.

**To Enter A Tournament:** The process of entering a tournament is simple. In many cases, you can enter a tournament online, either by email or by an online entry form. However, you should always contact the Tournament Director and speak to him/her personally to confirm your team's entry. No entry is considered official until the entry fee is received.

**Tournament Entry Policy/Entry Deadline:** The official Entry Deadline for a tournament is 7 Days Prior to the event. Teams with questions may contact their respective tournament director. All Entry Fees must be sent in advance unless prior approval is made by your SoftballNation director. The Official Entry Deadline is 7 days before the tournament. Any request for entry after the deadline is not guaranteed and will only be accepted on a space-available basis. Withdrawal after the deadline is automatic forfeiture of entry fee.

**Withdrawal Policy:** Any team that withdraws from a tournament after the entry deadline will forfeit their entry fee. Returned or cancelled checks will result in the immediate suspension of a team and that team will not be allowed to play in any tournament until the matter is settled. NO SHOWS who fail to pay the entry fee will be immediately suspended and assessed a \$100 fine in addition to the tournament entry fee.

**Returned or Canceled Checks** will be assessed a \$50 penalty and the team will be considered suspended until payment is made.

**Illegal withdrawal, tournament no shows and canceled checks will result in forfeiture of all berths awarded.**

**WEATHER REFUND POLICY:** If a tournament is cancelled due to weather or other circumstances out of the control of the tournament director, partial refunds or credits may be awarded based on number of games completed. Please refer to the Official Rule Book for details on the Entry Fee Refund Policy.

### **Teams may qualify for the Fast Pitch Nationals by one of the following ways:**

- \*\* Participate in Three (3) SoftballNation Sanctioned tournaments prior to the Fast Pitch Nationals.
- \*\* Win a SoftballNation Sanctioned Tournament with 8 or more teams in your respective age group.
- \*\* Be the Highest Finishing Team from your respective state in a SoftballNation Designated NIT event
- \*\* Participate in the SoftballNation Mid-Atlantic Championship (Queen of The Hill) Tournament
- \*\* Teams outside Virginia may participate in the Mid-Atlantic Championship (2020 Queen of The Hill) Scholarship Event



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<u>Date</u>	<u>Youth Fast Pitch Tournaments</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Age Groups</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Director</u>
Mar 7	Early Bird Shootout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10,12,14	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 8	Varsity Series 1 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 14	St Patrick's Day Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 15	Varsity Series 2 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 21	Spring Opener (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 22	Varsity Series 3 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Mar 28	Spring Breakout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
Apr 4	Season Kick Off Classic (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
Apr 5	Varsity Series 4 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Apr 11	Easter Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14	320	Butch Tiller
April 18	Mizuno Madness (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14	425	Butch Tiller
April 19	Varsity Series 5 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
April 25	Cap City Shootout (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10, 12, 14	425	Butch Tiller
Apr 26	Varsity Series 6 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16, 18	320	Butch Tiller
May 2	The Dirty Dozens (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10, 12, 14	425	Butch Tiller
May 3	Varsity Series 7 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
May 9	Mother's Day Classic (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
May 16	May Day Special (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10, 12, 14	320	Butch Tiller
May 17	Varsity Series 8 (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16, 18	320	Butch Tiller
May 23	Memorial Day Shootout (Sat./Sun) <i>(Paid Queen Entry to Gold Champions)</i>	Richmond, VA	4	10,12,14,16,18	450	Butch Tiller
May 30	Fast Pitch Jamboree (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
June 6	The Rock & Fire (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
June 13	Schools Out All-Nighter (Begins 6pm Sat)	Richmond, VA	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
June 20	Summer Showcase (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
June 27	Summer One Day (Sat. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
July 3,4,5	The Queen of The Hill (Fri,Sat,Sun) <i>(Winning Gold Teams Receive Paid Nationals Entry)</i>	Richmond, Va	7	10,12,14,16,18	650	Butch Tiller
June 11	The Nitty Gritty (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
July 18	Nationals Warm Up (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
July 23-26	SBN Fast Pitch Nationals (5 Games) Games Played: Fri, Sat, Sun <i>Sponsored By Kings Dominion (Free Pass)</i>	Richmond, Va	5 4	12,14,16,18, 23 10	750 550	Butch Tiller
Aug 1	Bring The Heat (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	425	Butch Tiller
Aug 8	Dog Days Open (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Aug 22	Back To School All-Nighter <i>(Begins 6pm) (Sat)</i>	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller

## Fall Tournaments are Considered Open Roster Events

	<u>Youth Fast Pitch Tournaments</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Games</u>	<u>Age Groups</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Director</u>
Sept 5	Labor Day Scramble (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Sept 12	Fall Opener (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Sept 13	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Sept 20	Varsity Blues (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Sept 26	September Shootout (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Sept 27	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 3	Fall Fast Pitch Festival (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 4	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, VA	3	16, 18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 10	Fast Pitch Palooza (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 11	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 17	Fall Finale (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 18	Fall Varsity Series (Sun. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 24	Mizuno Super Shootout (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Oct 31	Halloween Cup (Sat./Sun)	Richmond, Va	4	10,12,14,16,18	450	Butch Tiller
Nov 7	Fall Shootout (Sat Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller
Nov 21	Turkey Bowl (Sat. Only)	Richmond, Va	3	10,12,14,16,18	320	Butch Tiller

***To Enter any of these tournaments, contact Butch Tiller: 804-378-2285 or email: [tilcomm@aol.com](mailto:tilcomm@aol.com)***



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