

**PYLGSA CCS POLICY**  
**Effective January, 31 2019**

**1. Team Requirements**

- a. All CCS players must be registered with PYLGSA in the current season.
  - i. As part of the PYLGSA registration, players will be individually registered with ASA/USA Softball as “B-Level” players during the first season of registration, per calendar year. Should teams choose to play ASA/USA Softball tournaments, teams will need to individually update each players profile to “A-Level”.
- b. Team rosters must not cause PYLGSA’s city and district residency requirements to fall below their minimums as prescribed by the City of Yorba Linda and/or PYLUSD.

**2. Player Eligibility**

- a. Players must be age 13 years old to 18 years old, by December 31st of the prior year.
  - i. Teams approved prior to November 1, 2016 shall be age 11 years old to 18 years old, by December 31<sup>st</sup> of the prior year.
- b. Players must be in good standing with the league.
- c. Only currently registered players may use and/or be on PYLGSA permitted facilities.

**3. Coach/Manager Eligibility**

- a. All coaches and managers must be in good standing with the league.
- b. All coaches and managers must pass the ASA/USA Softball background check.

**4. Requesting Status**

- a. The manager must come before the PYLGSA Board of Directors to apply for CCS Status. The manager must then come in for the next season of play to the board meeting in order to be renewed. After the second approved season of play, as long as the manager and CCS team are in good standing with the league and have completed their required PYL function, the manager will be automatically renewed each season. If there is an issue, the manager will be called in to the board meeting to discuss further renewals.
- b. If approved, that status is conferred upon the Manager of the team, NOT the team he or she represents or the team representative.

**5. Seniority of teams**

- a. Seniority (for purposes of practice allocations) is granted to and remains with the team Manager and is kept from the date of ORIGINAL approval from the PYLGSA Board of Directors.
- b. If a manager changes teams, he/she may apply for CCS status, but will move to the bottom of the seniority ladder.
  - i. This excludes simple team name changes, provided the roster has not changed more than 25%.
  - ii. This excludes roster changes, provide the team name and manager have not changed.

**6. Recruitment of Players**

- a. CCS teams may NOT recruit or solicit players that have not exhausted their second year 12U Spring eligibility.
  - i. EXCEPTION: Grandfathered 12U teams may not recruit players that have not exhausted their second year 10U Spring eligibility.
- b. CCS teams may NOT recruit or tryout players that are registered in any PYLGSA recreational division.

- c. CCS teams may NOT recruit or tryout players that are registered on another active CCS team.

## **7. Field Usage**

- a. Eligibility
  - i. CCS teams must provide all required fees and documentation prior to using any PYLGSA permitted field(s) and or batting cage(s).
  - ii. Managers/Representatives with existing seniority will be given the opportunity to choose practices even if they have yet to appear before the Board to renew. Failure to renew (unless due to lack of quorum at Board meeting or other extraordinary circumstances) by February 15 (Spring) and September 15 (Fall) will result in loss of practice fields and seniority.
- b. Practices
  - i. Fields and/or batting cage assignments shall be assigned in order of seniority.
  - ii. CCS teams are given field and cage options after all regular recreational teams.
  - iii. CCS teams are granted up to 2 fields per week, and 1 batting cage per week.
    - 1. After all teams have received their fields, additional fields may be requested and will be approved in order of seniority and subject to the approval of the VP of Operations.
- c. Tryouts
  - i. CCS teams may request fields and/or batting cages, which shall be granted at the discretion of the VP of Operations.

## **8. League Commitments**

- a. Each team shall commit to participating in a minimum of one (1) or more PYLGSA functions each season. These functions include but are not limited to; Tournament Field Duty, Tournament Snack Bar Duty, Tryouts, Evaluations, Player Clinics, and other community functions.
  - i. The VP of Operations shall circulate a signup sheet for the purpose of filling these events with help from CCS teams. CCS teams will be given the opportunity to sign up for an event in order of seniority.
- b. Each team shall stay in full conformance with PYLGSA policies as outlined on the [www.pylgsa.org](http://www.pylgsa.org) website pertaining to field duty, restrictions of cart and cage use, and all other requirements that Recreational teams must adhere to.

## **9. Fees**

- a. Each player shall be required to register with PYLGSA directly and must pay a fee of \$30.00 for the first season registered each calendar year.
  - i. Subsequent seasons shall require a fee of \$25.00 per player.
- b. Players added throughout the season must also register and pay the above fee's.

## **10. Sponsorships**

- a. Sponsorships must be made in accordance with the current PYLGSA sponsorship program/rates.
  - i. All details from current sponsorship program will apply, with exception to reimbursement.
- b. Sponsorships received will be reimbursed to CCS teams at a rate of twenty-five percent (25%) to PYLGSA, and seventy-five percent (75%) to the sponsored team.
- c. Sponsorships received must be made payable to PYLGSA.