

What is Storm?

San Bruno Storm is San Bruno Girls Softball's (SBGSL) Junior Olympic (JO) all-star softball program. Players from SBGSL's spring and summer rec season tryout and are selected onto various "all-star" teams. Storm teams play in competitive tournaments during the summer months. We field teams in various age levels including 8U, 10U, 12U, and 14U Elite and 16U Elite.

The San Bruno Storm program like all recreational all-star programs was established to give young female athletes and student-athletes a place to build upon their passion for the game in a more competitive environment and under more experienced team management. Our goal is to prepare our players to succeed at all levels.

Storm offers a higher level of softball competition and skill building. Players and families are asked to make deeper commitments to their team and their craft. Our JO program offers "A" (Elite) "B" and "C" levels of play. Each year Storm's ultimate goal is to represent San Bruno in the Nor Cal ASA Western National Championships at each age level.

Important Dates

- ◆ Tuesday, May 2nd 10u/12u Tryouts
- ◆ Sunday, May 7th 8u/10u/12u Tryouts
- ◆ Thursday, May 11th
Registration Night (All Players Must register)
- ◆ June 30—July 4 Fireworks Sales Fundraiser (All Storm Families Must Volunteer a minimum of one shift at the Storm Fireworks Booth)

2017 Storm Committee

Deanna Moreno, Committee Chair

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**STORM SOFTBALL
SUMMER 2017
INFORMATION**



SAMPLE

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE *

8U
 Millbrae June 2-4, 2017
 San Mateo George Feely June 9-11, 2017
 Wes Jones, San Jose July 7-9, 2017
 PHBA Field Dreams July 14-16, 2017

10U
 Millbrae June 2-4, 2017
 San Mateo George Feely June 9-11, 2017
 Billie Sue Father's Day June 16-18, 2017
 Norcal Qualifiers June 23-25, 2017
 Wes Jones, San Jose July 7-9, 2017
 PHBA Field Dreams July 14-16, 2017

Upon team qualification
 Western Nationals - Oregon
 July 25-29, 2017

12U
 McPherson Tournament May 26-29, 2017
 San Mateo George Feely June 9-11, 2017
 Billie Sue Father's Day June 16-18, 2017
 Norcal Qualifiers June 23-25, 2017
 Wes Jones, San Jose July 7-9, 2017
 PHBA Field Dreams July 14-16, 2017

Upon team qualification
 Western Nationals - Idaho
 July 25-29, 2017

2017 Estimated Cost

8U

Registration *based on 13 players

Included in registration: 4 tournaments, 2 uniform shirts, bat bag + tag

SUBTOTAL \$ 350.00

10U/12U *based on 12 players

Included in Registration: 6 tournaments, 2 uniform tops, 1 pair red socks, 1 pair black socks, 1 Bat Bag + tag)

SUBTOTAL \$ 500.00

ADD ON Mandatory Items

(You need these items if you have not previously purchased these)

Black SB Helmet \$ 50.00

Helmet purchase Not mandatory for 8U

Players are required to wear black softball pants—due to personal brand preferences, black pants should be purchased though your favorite sporting good vendor.

OPTIONAL ITEMS:

Fan Wear items will be available separately after teams are formed and the window for ordering will be open for a limited time.

**** ALL Uniform and Fan Gear** must be purchased through SBGSL/Storm. We do not authorize any other additional uniform purchases. Please check with Storm Committee if you are being asked to purchase anything not listed here or on the fan wear website.

Who is eligible to play in Storm?

Players registered for the SBGSL spring season are eligible to try out for San Bruno Storm teams. The age eligibility cut-off date is Dec 31. The player's age on December 31 is the age division the player qualifies for.

What is the commitment?

Attendance at all "Team" functions (practice, games, scrimmages, training, cage time, fund raising, etc.) is mandatory. Only the manager/coach can excuse a player. Excused absences must be discussed immediately with the manager/coach as soon as a player/parent/guardian is aware of conflict. Anyone committing to play, must also commit to the full week of Nationals, should the team qualify.

What is the difference between A-ball and All-Stars?

A-ball programs (aka travel teams or club teams) were established to give a more concentrated level of skill building in a more competitive environment. While club teams do have tryouts, there is no restriction as to where they can pull players from. Club teams usually carry a higher cost due to heavy travel plans, and in some cases, the cost to pay college level coaches.

All-Stars teams (B/C) are made up of players from their rec program. All-Star programs tend to offer a more competitive playing experience than in recreation play. The majority of the coaches are all volunteers, so the cost is lower. Teams usually play in 5-7 tournaments in the summer. Players must play during a current SBGSL rec season to be eligible to tryout for all -star teams.

