

# Norco Girls Softball 2026 All-Star Coaches Commitment Letter



April 2026

Re: All-Star Manager Commitment Letter

Dear Potential All-Star Managers:

Each year, the Norco Girls Softball (NGS) Board reviews the highlights of the prior year's All-Star Program to make improvements. Our goal is to ensure that All-Star players make the team based upon their playing ability and that the selected qualified managers are highly committed to motivate players at this advanced level of play. The intent of this letter is informational, so that you know the program and participant expectations.

Interested All-Star participants need to answer these tough questions honestly before making the All-Star commitment:

- ✓ Are you ready for the commitment?
- ✓ Are you ready to give up summer vacations?
- ✓ Are you ready for the financial commitment?
- ✓ Are you ready for extra practices?
- ✓ Are you ready to be part of something that is an honor and privilege?
- ✓ Are you ready to represent your City and NGS?

If you have any reservations, then an All-Star Team manager is not currently right for you. If you can honestly answer yes to these questions, without hesitation, then you are ready to consider coaching an All-Star.

Here are some All-Star Team facts of interest:

## All-Star Team Selection

NGS will have at least one team representing each division in the 6U, 8U, 10U, 12U, and 14U divisions (only if enough players come forth to build a team). Whether or not there will be more than one AllStar team per division will be determined by the Board based on the availability of approved AllStar Managers, potential competitiveness of any such additional teams, and other factors.

USA Softball mandates that the earliest date to evaluate, try out, and select all star teams is May 1, 2026.

**Team Eval Date: Sunday, 5/3/26 (Times/Locations Listed Below)**

**Team Selection Date: Sunday, 5/3/26 (immediately after evals for division)**

**Players will be notified Sunday evening, 5/3/26**

**Player Uniform Fitting: Monday, 5/4/26**

Immediately following evaluations, the All Star teams will be chosen. The approved Manager of each team will then immediately contact the parent(s) of each selected All Star player to inform them of their player's selection and confirm each player's uniform jersey sizes and preferred jersey number. Such information is then immediately relayed to the Board to order uniforms. All non-selected players will be contacted by their division's Player Agent to thank them for their participation.

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### Norco Stampede Tournament

Norco Girls Softball hosts an AllStar tournament at Wayne Makin and other Norco/Jurupa satellite fields (dates set forth below). Each All-Star family is required to volunteer for at least TWO 4-hour shifts, 8 hours total during the 3-day tournament.

YOUR TIME IS MEANINGFUL AND VALUABLE TO US. THIS MACHINE DOES NOT WORK WITHOUT YOU AND YOUR HELP. We suggest all families plan to be at the fields as much as possible during the Norco Stampede Tournament.

### Manager Selection:

**If you wish to manage an All-Star Team, you must make your nomination known by completing the signature page below and returning the signature page into the Snack Bar or a Board Member no later than Friday, May 1 at the start of Manager Selection Meeting. USA Softball mandates that the earliest date to interview, vote, and select all star managers is April 30, 2026.**

### Manager Selection Information

**Date: Friday, May 1, 2026**

**Location: NGS Board Room Time: 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM (6U at 6:00; 8U at 6:30; 10U at 7:00; 12U at 7:30; 14U at 8:00)**

All manager nominees must be a manager of record or coach/assistant coach in the current season. It is preferred that the All-Star Team Manager be a manager or coach/assistant coach in the age division in which they manage, however, managers or coaches/assistant coaches from other age divisions may request to be considered for different age divisions. Managers must be in good standing with NGS and support the ideals of the league. If there are no qualified managers or coaches/assistant coaches who are willing to manage an All-Star Team, the board may recruit from all qualified Player Agents and/or Board Members. All-Star Team managers must be approved by the Board.

Each All-Star team will consist of up to 12 players and it is at the sole discretion of the All-Star Team manager to determine who gets playing time. The essential rules from the regular playing season such as equal playing time and infield rotation do not apply during the All-Star season. The managers will play the All-Star Team players where they feel is best for the team and the players will most likely play a specific position on the field. In some cases, the manager may only choose to bat nine (9) players, use the DP/Flex/EP system, or bat the whole team. It is up to the All-Star Team managers/coaches as to how to manage the team.

There is the possibility that your daughter will not play but an inning or two throughout the entire All-Star season. While we, as a Board, hope this does not happen, please note that the Board does not control this matter, as it is at the sole discretion of the All-Star Team managers to make all necessary playing decisions.

If a manager, coach, or player did not fulfill their commitment in the previous All-Star or Select season (i.e. quit the team, was removed from the team, had conduct detrimental to the team by player, parent, or supporter of player, or in any way the Board deemed a violation of contract), they are not eligible for All-Star or Select Team consideration for the current or following season.

Thank you,

NGS Board

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**Norco Allstar teams are currently registered in the following tournaments:**

**6U Division\*:**

1. La Mirada Madness: 5/15/26 – 5/17/26
2. Redondo Beach - War at the Shore: 5/22/26 - 5/25/26
3. Diamond Bar - Battle of the Diamonds: 6/5/26 - 6/7/26
4. Chino Hills - Danny Wechsler Summer Classic: 6/12/26 – 6/14/26
5. Whittier Tiny Stars 6U Tournament: 6/18/26 – 6/21/26

There are no District or State tournaments for 6U Division.

**8U, 10U, 12U and 14U Divisions:**

1. Lake Elsinore - Battle of the Lakes (8U, 10U, 12U Gold, and 14U) or La Mirada Madness (12U Silver): 5/15/26 – 5/17/26
2. Redondo Beach War at the Shore: 5/22/26 – 5/25/26
3. Norco Stampede: 5/29/26 – 5/31/26\*
4. Corona Diamond Classic: 6/5/26 - 6/7/26

Tournaments are subject to change due to availability.

**USA Softball of SoCal Eastern District Tournament**

Team Classifications (B or C) will not be determined by USA Softball until approximately May 31

C - District – Corona and Norco – 6/12/26 – 6/14/26

B - District – Corona – 6/19/26 - 6/21/26

**USA Softball of SoCal State Tournament**

C - States – Lancaster – 6/25/26 – 6/28/26

B – States –Irvine – 7/2/26 – 7/5/26

**\*Norco Stampede Tournament**

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**AllStar Team Tryout Date: Sunday, 5/3/26 at WAYNE MAKIN**

**Tentative Times:**

**6U - 10:00 AM**

**8U - 10:45 AM**

**10U - 11:30 AM**

**12U - 12:30 PM**

**14U - 1:30 PM**

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By signing below, you are acknowledging that you have read and agree to the three pages above:

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Prospective Manager Signature

All-Star Team Manager Selection Request:

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Prospective All-Star Team Manager's Name

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Current Age Division and Team Name

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Current NGS Position

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Age Division Requesting to Manage for AllStars