

Sun City Softball Club FAQ's:

Do I pay for each season or is the membership fee for the whole year? The membership fee covers the entire calendar year.

What is the difference between an associate member and a full-time member? An Associate member is a non-playing member who does not participate in the act of playing softball. This membership level is for those who want to stay informed and be privy to all the club's emails and may choose to volunteer in some capacity for the club. An associate member may also attend the annual Picnic and Dinner Dance.

How do I know what league to join? Our Wednesday Instructional Program has skilled members/volunteers who can steer you in the right direction based on your skillset and availability.

How many seasons are there? There are presently 2 league seasons: Spring and Fall. The Spring season runs from Feb-May. This includes team practices through Championship Day. The Fall season runs from Aug-Nov this includes team practices through Championship Day.

How many teams? Each season the number of teams in a league is determined by the total # of registered players, as well as the number of qualified managers and qualified key position players and ratings.

Are there leagues or do we just show up to the field? We publish a full schedule of activities. League's take priority but there are open field practices available both in-season and during the off-season.

Is equipment supplied? Balls and bats are supplied year-round. This equipment is to remain at the softball field. At no point should anyone take a bat or ball home for their own use. We have experienced members who can help you understand the equipment you may want to invest in.

Is there a uniform policy? We do have a uniform policy. Hats are provided to all members who have a Full Membership. Jerseys/Shirts are provided to all players in all leagues and must be returned at the end of the season. Each member is expected to purchase and wear solid black shorts or pants when they participate in any league or club-sponsored event unless otherwise communicated by the organizer of the event.

Can anyone use the field at any time? The field is heavily utilized and therefore a schedule is maintained. At times of the year, there are open field slots that may be requested and reserved after communicating with the field manager.

Is there more than 1 field? We only have one softball field.

What are "hot" bats and can I use them? Hot bats are considered senior bats (**USSSA 1.21**). In addition to senior bats, **USSSA** Slow Pitch Softball Bats, 1.20 are not allowed. The only bats that are approved for use on our field are bats stamped with **ASA or USA Softball 1.20**. (see the club website for additional info)

I hear there are hot dog days. How can I find out when they take place? Hot Dog days take place during Seasonal League play, as well as special events such as Military Games, Veteran's Games and charity events. The schedule can be found on our website.