

Northern Ct. Girls Softball League Overview
(NCGSL Overview)
2016

Now in its 19th year, the NCGSL operates summer and fall leagues.

The summer league consists of 3 Divisions.

High School-no H.S. graduates

Middle School

12 and under as of Jan. 1 of the current year

Players graduating from 8th grade in the current year and **Going-Into-Ninth Grade** (GINGS) have the option of playing in either the Middle School or H.S. Divisions--but not both.

This year we are projecting 14 High School teams, 6-7 Middle School teams, and 6-7 12U teams.

Historically we have been a Town league. Only players living in or attending school in, were eligible to play for a Town's team.

In recent years we have created an **At Large Pool for players from towns with no age appropriate team.**

The At Large Pool has 3 goals:

1. to provide a softball opportunity for as many girls as feasible
2. to maintain parity of competition-(no travel or All Star teams)
3. qualified hometown players should not be displaced by out-of-town Players.
4. Beginning in 2016 our At Large Territory has been broadened to

include

towns contiguous to our "historic footprint". This wider area

includes

Torrington, Berlin, East Hampton, E.O. Smith Regional District

among

others.

Season: June 20 thru August 4 with season ending tournaments on Sat. and Sun. Aug. 6/7.

H.S. Mondays and Wednesdays

M.S. & 12U Tuesdays and Thursdays. 12U schedule seeks to accommodate Little League playoffs.

Season Ending Tournament: H.S. and M.S. teams play 3 pool games on Saturday.

12u play 2 games.

Based on Saturday results, teams are seeded in Sunday's single elimination play.

First League meeting: St. Patrick's Day, Thursday, March 17, 2016 .

Costs:(per team)

	High School	Middle School	12u
Online Regis.	40	40	40
USSSA FEE	660	660	615
Umpires 54*	2 @ 44 each*	1 @ 54*	1 @
NCGSL	50	50	50

multiply umpire fees by 14 games for H.S. & M.S. and 12 games for 12U

*** each team pays one half the cost at every game.**

Note: we recommend you also reserve an extra amount for as many as 3 interrupted games that may need to be made up.

For more info: See ncgsl.org or contact Jackmiller29@comcast.net

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