

**2024  
END OF  
SEASON  
METTING**

**ST. THOMAS COED SLO-PITCH LEAGUE  
MASONIC TEMPLE OF ELGIN  
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- EXECUTIVE DIVISION REPS
- TEAMS CLOSING DIAMONDS & LOCK BOXES
- SCHEDULE FLEXIBILITY (RAIN)
- SUNDAY BYES
- BORROWING PLAYERS
- HELPING WITH MEDICAL ISSUES
- SCOREBOARDS
- NEW UMPIRES (LEAGUE MEMBERS)
- END OF YEAR BANQUET

- LOST & FOUND OVERFLOW
- PARKING ON THE GRASS
- TEAM REPS MISSING INFO
- PLAYSLO-PITCH ROSTERS
- TEAMS PLAYING SHORT
- RULE AWARENESS
- INEXPERIENCED UMPIRES

- PLAYERS WITHOUT JERSEYS
- TIME LIMITS, NO INNING AFTER
- PLAYER/UMPIRE INTERACTIONS
- STILL TOO MANY FORFEITS
- TEAMS MISSING TOURNAMENTS
- EXCESSIVE DRINKING
- PLAYER TO PLAYER CONFLICT
- MOCKING LEAGUE RULES/ DECISIONS

## 2024 LEAGUE FEES (PER TEAM)

CITY DIAMOND RENTAL FEES	\$619.00	\$619.00
UMPIRE FEES	\$414.70	\$1033.70
SPN REGISTRATION	\$135.60	\$1169.30
TOURNAMENT FEES	\$154.09	\$1323.39
CASH PRIZE POOL	\$172.73	\$1496.12
TOURNAMENT MEDICAL COVERAGE	\$4.55	\$1500.67
PRIZE SHIPPING	\$5.00	\$1505.67
END OF YEAR BANQUET	\$20.00	\$1525.67
MISC. FEES (BANKING)	\$10.00	\$1535.67

**RETURNING TEAM (+\$75 FOR NEW TEAM)**

**\$1550**

SPC SUNDAY COED FEE

\$3500-\$3900

## ADDITIONAL COSTS

- UMPIRE RAINOUT & TRAVEL COSTS
- BANQUET (FOOD, PRIZES, HALL, TECH)
- WEBSITE MANAGEMENT COSTS
- 50/50 TICKETS, PRINTING, QUICK DRY, ANTENNAS, TECH, EXTRA SCOREBOOKS

## ADDITIONAL FUNDS RAISED

- 50/50 DRAWS
- FORFEIT & INJURY REPLACEMENT FEES
- SPONSORSHIPS

# 2025 LEAGUE FEES

	RETURNING	NEW	SEASON
2017	\$1029	\$1104	14 GAMES + 2 TOURNAMENT
2018	\$1060	\$1135	14 GAMES + 2 TOURNAMENT
2019	\$1021	\$1096	14 GAMES + 2 TOURNAMENT
2020*	\$650	\$725	8 GAMES + 1 TOURNAMENT
2021	\$900	\$975	12 GAMES + 1 TOURNAMENT
2022	\$1350	\$1425	16 GAMES + 2 TOURNAMENTS + BANQUET
2023	\$1450	\$1525	20 GAMES + 3 TOURNAMENTS + BANQUET
2024	\$1550	\$1625	20 GAMES + 3 TOURNAMENTS + BANQUET
2025	\$1550-\$1600	\$1625-\$1650	20 GAMES + 3 TOURNAMENTS + BANQUET

- UMPIRE FEES
- CITY DIAMOND FEES
- SPN FEES





# CITY DIAMOND FEE STRUCTURE

- **REGULAR SEASON GAMES: 680**
- **331-413 GAMES: \$30,823.97**
- **GORMAN: \$1500.50**
- **BURWELL: \$1138.53**
- **TALBOTVILLE: \$40 /GAME, \$120 /DAY**

# LEAGUE GROWTH & PROJECTIONS

- LEAGUE SIZE IS TRENDING UPWARD
- ADDITIONS & SUBTRACTIONS
- 2024 TEAMS AT 1<sup>ST</sup> 2025 MEETING WILL HAVE A SPOT
- 8 DIVISIONS | 10 TEAMS
- PLANS FOR DIAMOND/ UMPIRE AVAILABILITY



# 2025 PROMOTIONS & RELEGATIONS

- IMPACTED BY ADDITIONS & SUBTRACTIONS
- SELF-PROMOTION- CONTACT EXEC & REGISTRATION FORMS
- 2024 EXPANSION TO 8 DIVISIONS
- **POTENTIAL PROMOTION FACTORS**
  - TOP 3 TEAMS IN STANDINGS (1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE- 99%)
  - TOURNAMENT SUCCESS (MULTIPLE YEARS)
- **POTENTIAL RELEGATION FACTORS**
  - BOTTOM 2-3 TEAMS IN THE STANDINGS
  - AVAILABLE SPACE- TEAMS MOVING UP AND/ OR TEAMS LEAVING

# 2025 PROMOTIONS & RELEGATIONS

- NEW TEAMS- PLACED BASED ON AVAILABLE SPOTS
  - PROTECT RETURNING TEAMS
- **SELF-RELEGATION- NOT ALLOWED**
  - REGARDLESS OF ROSTER CHANGES
  - HARD TO JUSTIFY TO OTHER TEAMS
- **OUR GOAL:**
  - ALLOW AS MANY TEAMS AS POSSIBLE TO HAVE SUCCESS
- **ANNOUNCED AT 2025 MEETING #2**

# MASKS & HELMETS

- PITCHER'S MASK- STRONGLY ENCOURAGE
- 2025: MANDATORY USE- VOTE
- 2025: 2-OUT PITCHER RULE?
- BATTING HELMETS- SPN/SPO
- NEW BALLS?



# FORFEIT FEE STRUCTURE

## CURRENT FORMAT

- \$75 PER GAME, PREPAID PRIOR TO NEXT GAME
- 3 FORFEITS = REMOVAL FROM NEXT SEASON

## 2025 FORMAT CHANGES (TENTATIVE)

- IF TEAM PAYS ALL FEES, COMMUNICATES, & PLAYS
  - ELIGIBLE TO RETURN- CASE BY CASE
  - PROBATIONARY SEASON: \$100 PER GAME
- 2<sup>ND</sup>+ OPPONENT FORFEIT = \$50 PAYMENT

# CURRENT FORMAT

- 150 FEET

# 2025 LINE (TENTATIVE)

- 175 OR 200 FEET
- ALL PARKS

## CURRENT FORMAT

- TEAMS SELECT SUNDAY- BYE

## 2025 SURVEY (TENTATIVE)

- FRIDAY AVAILABILITY
- SPECIFIC FRIDAYS
- AVOID FORFEITS, MORE AVAILABILITY



# UMPIRE UPDATES

- \$35 PER GAME
- \$.50 ASSIGNOR FEE INCREASE (\$3.00)
- TOURNAMENT FEES: \$35 (\$30)
- MORE UMPIRES NEEDED
- JOIN OUR UMPIRE FB GROUP
- UMPIRE ASSOCIATION MEETING



## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- BEER GARDEN & BOOTH
- CHAMPIONSHIP HOODIES
- EXHIBITION/ PRACTICE SATURDAY
- ATTENDANCE- FINANCIAL REWARD

- TEAM REPS ONLY (1 PER TEAM)
- 2025 PREPARATIONS
  - TOURNAMENTS, DIAMONDS  
RULES, SCHEDULES, ETC.

## 2025 EXECUTIVE ELECTIONS

- NOMINATION POST ON FACEBOOK
- START WITH PRESIDENT
- OPEN AND CLOSE TIMES
- NOMINATE IN COMMENTS (TEAM REPS)
- WINDOW CLOSES- VOTE OR ACCLAIMED
- PROCCES REPEATED FOR ALL POSITIONS

# Q & A

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