

# ST. THOMAS WOMEN'S SLO-PITCH LEAGUE



**PRE-SEASON MEETING #1 | SUNDAY, MARCH 22<sup>ND</sup>, 2026 | MASONIC CENTRE OF ELGIN**

# TEAM CHECK-IN

1. BACK ALLEY HAIR BALLS
2. BALL BASHERS
3. DIAMOND DIVAS
4. DIRTY PITCHES
5. EACH HIT
6. ELGIN OPTICAL
7. HIT HAPPENS
8. IMAGELINE
9. LADY OUTCASTS
10. LADY REBELS
11. RITCHIES EXPENDABLES
12. REX APPEAL
13. SMACK IT!



# 2026 STSPA EXECUTIVE

- ▶ **LEAGUES VOTED-** STSPA EXEC
- ▶ LAST SEASON- UNOFFICIAL
- ▶ **COED & MENS EXEC**
- ▶ STSPA EXECUTIVE MEMBERS
- ▶ **ON-FIELD-** ZERO IMPACT
- ▶ **DEDICATED WOMENS EXEC**

# 2026 STSPA EXECUTIVE STSPA PRESIDENTS

▶ **MELANIE TAYLOR**

▶ **SCOTT JOHNSON**

▶ **GOAL: LEAGUE CONTINUITY**

▶ **EQUAL REPRESENTATION:** UMPIRES, CITY, ETC

▶ WEBSITE, BRANDING, ADVERTISING,  
SCHEDULING, ALL-STAR SHOWDOWN, PLAYOFFS



# 2025 WOMENS EXECUTIVE

VICE-PRESIDENT

▶ **BRITT HAMMERMEISTER**

TREASURER

▶ **KAYLA ANNEN**

STATISTICIAN

▶ **MORGAN HOFFARTH**

TEAM LIAISON

▶ **COURTNEY MCGLYNN**



# 2026 STSPA EXECUTIVE

- ▶ **WOMENS CONSTITUTION- VOTING?**
- ▶ VICE-PRESIDENT, STATISTICIAN, & TEAM LIAISON
- ▶ **TWO OPTIONS:**
  - ▶ CURRENT EXEC STAYS FOR 2026
  - ▶ WOMEN LEAGUE VOTES FOR 3 POSITIONS
- ▶ **WHAT WOULD YOU LIKE TO DO?**

# LEAGUE FEES

- ▶ **\$500 DEPOSIT (TONIGHT)**
- ▶ FULL FEES: **\$2300 (PAID BY APRIL 18)**
- ▶ E-TRANSFER: **LADIESSLOPITCH@GMAIL.COM**
- ▶ 2025 FEES: **\$2200 | \$2275**
- ▶ **INCREASE FACTORS:**
  - ▶ 10% DIAMOND FEE INCREASE
  - ▶ UMPIRE FEES (NO CHANGE)
  - ▶ PLAYSLOPITCH REGISTRATION
- ▶ **FINALIZED & POSTED ONLINE ASAP**

# 2026 LEAGUE FEE BREAKDOWN

DIAMOND RENTAL FEES	\$1441.76	\$1441.76
UMPIRE FEES (SEASON & PLAYOFFS)	\$626.92	\$2068.68
SPN REGISTRATION	\$146.90	\$2215.58
CASH PRIZES (SEASON & PLAYOFFS)	\$76.92	\$2292.50
<b>RETURNING TEAM (+\$75 FOR NEW TEAM)</b>	<b>\$2300 (\$2375)</b>	

# LEAGUE STATUS

- ▶ 2022: **9 TEAMS**
- ▶ 2023: **12 TEAMS**
- ▶ 2024: **13 TEAMS**
- ▶ 2025: **13 TEAMS**
- ▶ 2026: **13 TEAMS\***
- ▶ 2026: **ROOM FOR NEW TEAMS\***
- ▶ LONG TERM GOAL: **15-20 TEAMS & 3 DIV.**



# 2025 DIVISIONS

## DIVISION 1

1. DIRTY PITCHES
2. RITCHIES EXPENDABLES
3. HIT HAPPENS
4. SMACK IT!
5. ELGIN OPTICAL
6. LADY REBELS

## DIVISION 2

1. EACH HIT
2. BALL BASHERS
3. LADY OUTCASTS
4. BACK ALLEY HAIR BALLS
5. IMAGELINE
6. DIAMOND DIVAS
7. SHOW ME YOUR HITTIES

# 2026 DIVISION PLACEMENT

▶ SELF-PROMOTION- CONTACT EXEC

▶ **RELEGATION**

▶ LADY REBELS (TO D2)

▶ CHOSE TO STAY IN D1

▶ **PROMOTION**

▶ EACH HIT (TO D1)

▶ **NEW TEAM**

▶ REX APPEAL

# DIVISION 1 | D1



# DIVISION 2 | D2



# SCHEDULE

- ▶ RELEASED ASAP- **STSPA.CA**
- ▶ OPENING DAY: MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>
- ▶ **WEEK #1/ MAY EARLY?**
- ▶ SCHEDULE SURVEY
  - ▶ 11 OF 13 TEAMS COMPLETED
- ▶ **UPDATE OR COMPLETE BY WEDNESDAY**

# SCHEDULES- GAME SLOTS

- ▶ 15 SLOTS PER DAY x 4 DAYS = **60 SLOTS**
- ▶ CARDINALS (3 DAYS ON #2) = **6 SLOTS**
- ▶ WOMENS (13 TEAMS/GAMES) = **13 SLOTS**
- ▶ MENS (35 TEAMS/GAMES) = **35 SLOTS**
- ▶  $60 - (6 + 35 + 13) =$  **6 OPEN SLOTS**
- ▶ **OPTIMIST REQUESTED 1 DIAMOND PER NIGHT**
- ▶ TALBOTVILLE: ADDS 3-6 SLOTS PER WEEK

# DIAMOND TIMES

- ▶ MON- **WOMEN 1 & 3** | MEN 4 & 5 | 2 OPEN
- ▶ TUES- **WOMEN 3 & 4** | MEN 1 & 5 | 2 (9PM)
- ▶ WED- OPEN
- ▶ THUR- **WOMEN 1 & 5** | MEN 3 & 4 | 2 (9PM)
- ▶ FRI- OPEN
- ▶ TALBOTVILLE- **TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS**

# DIAMOND TIMES

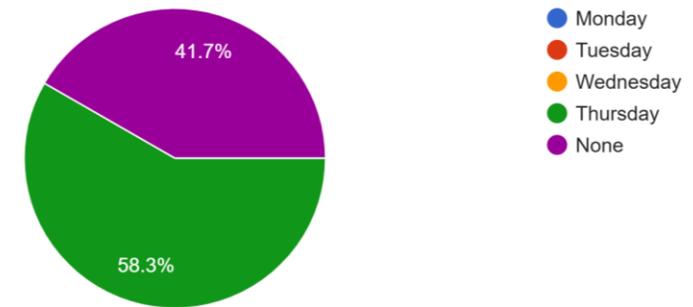
- ▶ TALBOTVILLE- **TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS**
- ▶ 2025: MENS 48 GAMES | WOMENS 6 GAMES
- ▶ 2025 TOTAL: **54 GAMES**
- ▶ 2026: MENS D2, 3, & 4 + WOMENS- **3 GAMES EACH**
  - ▶ 4<sup>TH</sup> GAME IF NEEDED (TRY TO AVOID)
- ▶ **2026: 65 TALBOTVILLE GAMES (M 45 & W 20)**
- ▶ DIAMOND AVAILABILITY, GAME NIGHT REQUESTS

# SCHEDULE | SCHEDULE SURVEY

- ▶ MONDAY #1 DAY- **8 TEAMS**
- ▶ NO THURSDAY- **7 TEAMS**
- ▶ 9PM #3 TIME – **9 TEAMS**
- ▶ NO FRIDAYS - **10 TEAMS**
- ▶ FRIDAY RAINOUTS – **7 TEAMS**
- ▶ DOUBLE HEADERS – **9 TEAMS**
- ▶ 6:30 & 9:00 PM GAP- **6 TEAMS**

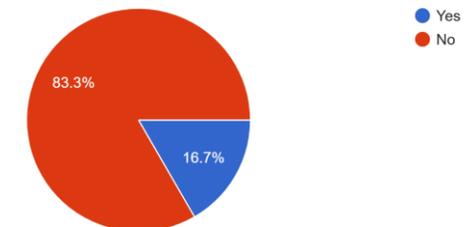
5.) What day of the week would your team NOT want to play on?

12 responses



6.) In addition to your preferred game nights, would your team be willing to be scheduled for Friday Night Games?

12 responses



# SEASON PLAN

- ▶ REGULAR SEASON: **26 GAMES | 14 WEEKS**
- ▶ RAINOUTS ADDED ASAP
  - ▶ 2 WEEKS- **1 GAME / RAINOUT RECOVERY**
  - ▶ **ADD WEEK #15?**- WEATHER DEPENDENT
- ▶ **PLAYOFFS:**
  - ▶ QUARTER & SEMI-FINALS: **BEST OF 3**
  - ▶ CHAMPIONSHIP: **BEST OF 5**

# IMPORTANT DATES

- ▶ **MAY 4<sup>TH</sup>** | OPENING DAY
- ▶ **JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>** | ALL-STAR SHOWDOWN
- ▶ **JUNE 14<sup>TH</sup>** | ROSTER LOCK
- ▶ **AUG 3<sup>RD</sup>** | FINAL REGULAR SEASON WEEK
- ▶ **AUG 10<sup>TH</sup>** | QUARTER-FINALS
- ▶ **AUG 17<sup>TH</sup>** | SEMI-FINALS
- ▶ **AUG 24<sup>TH</sup>** | CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES
- ▶ **AUG 31<sup>ST</sup>** | FINAL GAME(S) IF NEEDED (MON)

# ALL-STAR GAMES

- ▶ **SATURDAY, JUNE 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2026**
- ▶ 2 GAMES **vs TILLSONBURG**
- ▶ SINGLE GAME/ DIAMOND
- ▶ ALTERNATE WOMENS & MENS



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▶ STANDINGS, SCHEDULE, RESULTS, ROSTERS, REPORTING, RULES, FILES, & STORE

2026  REGISTRATION ▾ SCHEDULE/SCORES ▾ STANDINGS ▾ REPORT ▾ ROSTERS ▾ RULES ▾ DIAMONDS EXECUTIVE ARCHIVES ▾ STORE ▾ CONTACT ▾ MORE ▾

**MAY 3, 2026**  
[STSPA OPENING WEEK](#)  
[COED, MENS, & WOMENS](#)



**ST. THOMAS**  
**STMSPI**  
**2026 MENS TEAM REGISTRATION**  
January 26, 2026  
MENS SLO-PITCH LEAGUE

ONLINE REGISTRATION

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

May 3, 2026 09:00



**STSPA OPENING WEEK**

FIRST PITCH 09:00

<b>73</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>32</b>
DAYS	HOURS	MINS	SECS

## ▶ SCHEDULE SORTING UPDATE

- ▶ DIVISION
- ▶ WEEK
- ▶ GAMES (COMPLETED, UPCOMING, FORFEIT, RAIN)
- ▶ MY TEAM
- ▶ MY OPPONENT
- ▶ SEASON (FULL, REGULAR SEASON, PLAYOFFS)

DIVISION

WEEK

GAMES

MY TEAM

MY OPPONENT

SEASON

Division



Full Schedule



Full Schedule



Full Schedule



Full Schedule



Full Schedule



WEEK #1

VISITOR

MONDAY, MAY 5

HOME

RESULT

M1 0:00 PM Complex 4

Team #1



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Team #2

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## ▶ ONLINE ROSTERS

▶ JERSEY #, PREVIOUS TEAM, SCRATCHED PLAYERS

## ▶ ONLINE UPDATE FORM

▶ DATABASE TIMESTAMPED

## ▶ DEADLINE- NO GRACE

▶ KEEP UPDATED

▶ PLAYER SEARCH

▶ 25 PLAYERS

SMACK IT!   2025			PREVIOUS TEAM
1	69	Teresa Marion	Smack it!
2	--	Tracy Nicholson	Smack it!
3	--	Kris Proctor	Smack it!
4	--	Lisa Mason	Smack it!
5	--	Lynn Mintz	Smack it!
6	--	Sherrie Goodwin	Smack it!
7	--	Stacey White	Smack it!
8	--	Ashly Fairbanks	Smack it!
9	--	Natalie Fairbanks	Smack it!
10	--	Alyssa Tait	n/a
11	--	Patty Perish	Smack it!
12	--	Mallory Hoogheim	n/a
13	--	Emma-Jean Dicker	Lady Bomberz
14	--	Anne Decock	Smack it!
15	--	Melissa LeeAnn	n/a
16	--	Sarah Pepper	Smack it!
17	--	Lauri Whitbourn	Lady Bomberz
18	--	Sam Taylor	Lady Bomberz
19	--	Krista Bevan	N/A
20	--	Jolene Jackson	N/A
21	--	Tesa Bulanda	N/A



Coach: Teresa Marion  
Manager: Teresa Marion

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▶ **ONLINE ROSTERS UPDATES**

▶ WEBSITE NOT UPDATED IN REAL-TIME

▶ SUBMITTED VIA FORM = ADDED TO  
DATABASE

▶ TIMESTAMPED = **VALID AS OF DATE/TIME**

▶ NOT IMMEDIATELY UPDATED ON WEBSITE

▶ **UPDATE ASAP TO AVOID ISSUES**

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▶ **PRE-SEASON ROSTER CHANGES**

▶ AFTER ROSTERS UPDATED ONLINE

▶ AFTER SCHEDULE POSTED

☰ D2: Ball Bashers | 2025



☰ D2: Hairballs | 2025



☰ D2: Diamond Divas | 2025



# **BORROWING A PLAYER**

▶ **CURRENT: NO BORROWING**

▶ **PROPOSED UPDATE**

▶ **BORROW 2 PLAYERS TO GET TO 9**

▶ **SAME DIVISION OR DIVISION BELOW**

▶ **AVOID FORFEITS**

# POST-ROSTER LOCK SUBSTITUTION

- ▶ **INJURY OR LEGIT UNAVAILABILITY**
- ▶ CURRENT: UNLIMITED
- ▶ **UPDATED RULE:**
  - ▶ UNLIMITED | \$25 FEE PER PLAYER
  - ▶ REPLACED PLAYER: INELIGIBLE FOR SEASON
- ▶ **ROSTER: ~~MORGAN HOFFARTH~~ (PLS)**

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- ▶ SCORE REPORTING VIA WEBSITE
- ▶ **BOTH TEAMS** SUBMIT
- ▶ AT DIAMOND OR NEXT MORNING
- ▶ **DESIGNATE A PERSON**
- ▶ UPDATE STANDINGS BY FRIDAY/  
WEEKEND

The image shows a screenshot of a web form for score reporting. It consists of four distinct input sections, each with a red asterisk indicating a required field. The first section is for the 'Date', with an example 'June 12' and a text input field containing '2023-01-26'. The second section is for 'Game Time', featuring a dropdown menu currently set to 'Choose'. The third section is for 'Away (Visiting) Team', also with a dropdown menu set to 'Choose'. The fourth section is for 'Away Score', with a text input field containing 'Your answer'.

Date \*

Example: June 12

2023-01-26

Game Time \*

Choose

Away (Visiting) Team \*

Choose

Away Score \*

Your answer

# NEW TEAMS/ LOGOS

## ▶ **NEW/UPDATED LOGOS**

▶ DIGITAL COPY (JERSEY SUPPLIER)

▶ FLAT, HQ PICTURE OF JERSEY

▶ SEND VIA MESSENGER/EMAIL



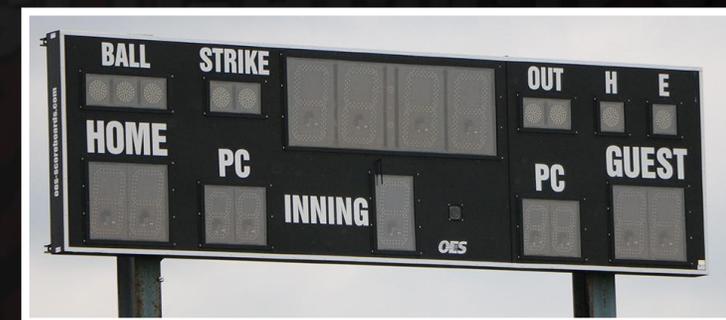
# PITCHER MASKS

- ▶ PITCHER'S MASK- **REQUIRED**
- ▶ MASKS ON SITE- **FOOD BOOTH**
- ▶ **2-OUT PITCHER RULE**
  - ▶ DON'T EXPLOIT THE RULE | GROUND RULES



# SCOREBOARDS

- ▶ SCOREBOARDS- **USED EACH GAME**
- ▶ **HOME TEAM** RESPONSIBILITY
  - ▶ AWAY TEAM CAN OFFER
- ▶ UPDATE- **LIVE OR ½ INNING**
- ▶ **HOME SCOREBOOK** IS OFFICIAL
- ▶ INSTRUCTIONS AT PARK/EXEC
- ▶ STUDENT VOLUNTEER HOURS



# RAILWAY CITY UMPIRES ASSOCIATION

▶ **CARD: SOFTBALL ONTARIO**

▶ **\$35 PER GAME**

▶ WOMENS | MENS | COED

▶ START IN LOWER DIVISION

▶ 10-20 GAMES /WEEK

▶ JOIN OUR FACEBOOK GROUP

▶ CONNECT TO **STDUA**



# ST. THOMAS & DISTRICT UMPIRE ASSOCIATION

▶ STDUA SLO-PITCH LIAISONS

▶ **MARK TASKER & DREW  
LIMBRICK**

▶ **GENERAL UMPIRE Q & A**

▶ HOW TO APPROACH AN UMPIRE

▶ RULE IMPLEMENTATION

▶ HOW TO BECOME AN UMPIRE



**STDUA**  
St. Thomas & District Umpires' Association

# **STDUA SLO-PITCH UMPIRE CLINIC**

- ▶ **WHEN: APRIL 25TH**
- ▶ **WHERE: ST. JOE'S HIGH SCHOOL**
- ▶ **TIME: 8:30 AM - 12:30 PM**
- ▶ **HOW TO REGISTER?**

# ST. THOMAS & DISTRICT UMPIRE ASSOCIATION

## • **NEW / INEXPERIENCED UMPIRES**

- NEED AN OPPORTUNITY TO LEARN
- POOR TREATMENT = NO UMPIRES

## • **RULE ISSUES:**

- NOT BALLS/STRIKES OR SAFE/OUT
- RULE ENFORCEMENT/ INTERPRETATION
  - EXTRA INNING RULE & LAST INNING

# **SOCIAL MEDIA**

▶ **ADD TEAM MEMBERS TO FB  
GROUP**

▶ **TEAM REPS (2)- ADDED TO  
CHAT**

▶ **MESSAGE COURTNEY**

# BALLS & SCOREBOOKS

- ▶ **11" SPN HOT DOTS**
- ▶ \$89.99- SOURCE FOR SPORTS
- ▶ **HOME TEAM- NEW BALL\***
- ▶ VISITORS- GOOD BALL
- ▶ MORE INFO/ PURCHASE: **KAYLA**
- ▶ **SCOREBOOKS**- OPENING DAY (BOOTH)



# STSPA CONSTITUTION

- ▶ MENS, WOMENS, & COED
- ▶ **COMBINED DOCUMENT**
- ▶ SAME DOCUMENT, DIFFERENT RULES
- ▶ ALIGN RULE WHERE NEEDED



# STSPA CONSTITUTION

# UPDATE SUSPENSION

# FORMAT



# STSPA CONSTITUTION

# SUGGESTIONS FOR CHANGES



Q & A

**ADDITIONAL ISSUES, IDEAS, SUGGESTIONS**

**THANK  
YOU**