

2008 STATE TOURNAMENTS

50+

Sat., August 23
and
Sun., August 24, 2008
Michael Tighe Park
Freehold, NJ

60+

Sat. September 6
and
Sun. September 7, 2008
Tremley Fields
Linden, NJ

70+

Wed. July 16, 2008
(rain date
Wed., July 23, 2008)
Veterans Park
Old Bridge, NJ

— REMEMBER —

All team rosters that were submitted by the June 15th deadline are the roster that will be used for all the state tournament games. **No substitutions, replacements or additions will be permitted!** Players on more than one roster may only play for one (1) team. Any questions about the state tournaments check with Norm Stumpf, Tournament Director, normstumpf@hotmail.com



NJSSA 50's STATE TOURNAMENT

Weather, unfortunately bad, once again reeked havoc with the 50's State Tournament. As you all may recall, the 2006 Tournament was rained out both on its original date but on the rain date as well. The 2007 Tournament got off to a great start on Saturday with 20 teams representing Mercer, Middlesex, Morris, Ocean, Somerset and Union.

Due to the number of teams entered, twenty, and a limited number of fields in Freehold, we had to run the first day at two sites. The "A" and "C" Divisions played at Freehold and the "B" Division played at Veterans Park in Old Bridge.

After Saturday's round robin play, 4 teams returned in both the "A" and "B" Divisions and two teams in the "C". All Sunday games were played in Freehold.

- Tournament dates are August 23 and 24th at Michael Tighe Park, Freehold •

Unfortunately during the middle of the play, a monsoon hit Freehold at about 12 noon forcing cancellation of all remaining games.

Princeton Van (Mercer), undefeated, was awarded the "A" Division Championship with Sweet Construction (Somerset) finishing 2nd.

In the "B" Division, undefeated Edgewood (Middlesex) was awarded first place with Gatto's of Somerset finishing 2nd.

The "C" Division Championship went to Zancos (Morris) with Pier Village (Monmouth) finishing 2nd.

The 2008 NJSSA 50's Tournament will again be held in Freehold on August 23rd and 24th. We are looking forward to the weatherman's cooperation this year.

NJSSA 60's STATE TOURNAMENT

The NJSSA 60's Division played their Championship in Old Bridge during the first weekend of September. Eleven Senior teams participated in three divisions. Teams were representing the following Counties: Mercer, Middlesex, Monmouth, Morris, Ocean and Union.

"A" Division

The "A" Division had four teams participating. After round robin play on Saturday, Commerce Bank undefeated and the Bucs with one loss returned for a Sunday best of three for the "A" Division Championship. Commerce Bank (Union) defeated the Bucs (Ocean) two games to one. The Commerce Bank team completed a successful season by also winning the Union County 60's for the first time.

"B" Division

The "B" Division finals had teams representing Middlesex and Morris County. The Patriots (Middlesex) defeated Roxbury (Morris) in a three game series winning the 1st game 16-3, losing the 2nd 11-7 and coming back to win the 3rd and deciding game 16-6.

"C" Division

The "C" Division finals were between the Yankees (Morris) and the Survivors (Middlesex). Once again the Middlesex County team prevailed in a tight 3 game series with the Survivors pulling out an exciting 8-7 victory in the 7th inning.

The 60's Division, once again, provided exciting softball over the two day tournament. As the number of players continue to increase in the 60's, we are looking forward to additional teams participating in this event in 2008.

- Tournament dates are September 6th and 7th in Linden's Memorial Park •

NJSSA 70's STATE TOURNAMENT

- Tournament dates is July 16 at Veterans Park, Old Bridge •