

# BAU Softball

Spring 2024 Coaches Meeting

Tuesday, February 27, 2024, 7:00 PM

Gate City Baptist Church, 5250 Hilltop Road, Jamestown, NC 27409

- 1) Opening Prayer
- 2) 2024 Officers
  - a) Chairman – Donnie Williams 336-269-0284
  - b) Secretary – Brian Ingold 336-615-0173
  - c) Treasurer – Tom Pizarro 336-254-8748
  - d) Division Directors
    - i) Men & Wood Bat – Adrian Barham 336-669-0156
    - ii) Women & Coed – Kristen Williams 336-587-6194
- 3) Bylaws – Questions or Clarifications
  - a) Up the middle rule – All leagues.
  - b) No throwing from outfield to 1<sup>st</sup> base – All leagues.
- 4) Bats
  - a) Approved Single Wall Aluminum Bat List.
  - b) No DeMarini Steel bats as of 2023.
  - c) ALL BATS MUST BE CERTIFIED AND HAVE NEW STICKERS!!
- 5) Leagues
  - a) Men
  - b) Women
    - i) Registration – Facebook or email link
    - ii) Evaluations – March 16<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 AM
    - iii) Pitching – Coaches as needed.
    - iv) Pickup players – Regular season only
- 6) Balls - BAU Stamped
  - a) Men's 44/375, \$65.00 per dozen
  - b) Women's 44/375 - 11" → 12"
    - i) Higher Cost – 11" - \$78.00 per dozen
    - ii) All high schools now use 12"
- 7) Number of Games/Number of Teams
  - a) Men – Play each team once.
    - i) Two separate double elimination tournaments base on standings.
  - b) Women – 6 games
    - i) 3 teams – play each team 3 times; 4 teams – play each team twice.
    - ii) Single elimination tournament.



## 8) Entry Fee:

<b>6:00 PM, Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup></b> <b>HARD DEADLINE!!!</b> No Money, No team. Men – estimated at \$400.00/team Women - estimated at \$300.00/team	Make checks payable to: <b>BAU</b> c/o Tom Pizarro 7507 End O Trail Rd. Greensboro, NC 27409	Other Ways to Pay: a) PayPal: <a href="mailto:treasurer@bausoftball.com">treasurer@bausoftball.com</a> b) Venmo: @tomas-pizarro c) Cash: still works
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- 9) Initial Documents Deadline – Text or Email **6:00 PM, Thursday, March 28<sup>th</sup>**.
  - a) Brian Ingold
    - i) Text photos to 336-615-0173
    - ii) Email - [secretary@bausoftball.com](mailto:secretary@bausoftball.com)
    - iii) Any changes during the season **before** the player plays.
- 10) Final Roster Deadline: Text or Email (if any changes) **6:00PM, Thursday, April 25<sup>th</sup>**.
- 11) Requested Byes – Church functions only.
- 12) First Game: Weekend of April 5<sup>th</sup>.
- 13) After game prayer.
- 14) Open (Questions/Suggestions).
- 15) Closing Prayer.