

MVLA Girls Softball

Game Summary Instructions and Information

At the completion of each game, the game summary is to be filled out by the Official Game Scorekeeper of the Home team and deposited in the Scorekeepers file in the Communication Box (located by the Snack Shack) on the day of the game. For 12U and 14U interleague games (against other leagues), the MVLAS team is responsible for filling out and turning in the game summary form.

This is VERY important, as it is the only way you have of communicating the Final Score and pitching eligibility of the girls. This also gives you the opportunity to check the Communication Box for any updated information that you will need throughout the season.

Pitching Eligibility

8U No player may play Pitcher and/or Catcher (combined) for more than 2 innings in a 4-inning game, or 3 innings in a 5-inning game. No Player may play Catcher in consecutive innings.

PURPOSE: Developing Pitchers and Catchers at 8U enhances the softball experience for all league players as they progress to higher divisions.

10U through 16U is a specific number of outs per week- Saturday through Friday. The affect of the "Saturday through Friday" eligibility is that your midweek game will be your second game of the week.

10U- 18 outs per week

12U- 18 outs per week

16U- 21 outs per week*

*The 2011 Inter-League Rules state that pitchers are eligible to pitch 10 Innings per week in the 16U Division. We would prefer that girls pitch no more that 21 outs per week, however if this puts your team at a disadvantage during an Inter-league game you may use the Inter-league rule.

We cannot stress this enough: You need to get your Game Summary into the Communication Box, completely filled out and signed by both Managers and preferably the Umpire immediately after the game.

There is a PDF of the Game summary and other useful scorekeeping resources on the webpage at: <http://www.mvlags.org/resources.shtm>

Still have questions?: Email the MVLAS Head Scorekeeper at: scores@mvlags.org