



# Cedarburg Girls Fastpitch Club

**Fall Player / Parent Meeting**  
**November 4<sup>th</sup>, 2014**

# Agenda

- Club Overview / 2014 Year in Review
- Coaches
- Player and Family Expectations
- Practice Schedules
- Games and Tournaments
- Club Fees and Fundraisers
- Sponsorships
- Volunteers
- Uniforms and Team Spirit Wear
- Questions

# Club Overview

- CGFC is a program offering teams from U10 thru U16/U18
- CGFC and Crush Fastpitch is a community-based program, not an elite travel program that consists of players and families from different communities
- Bridge between recreation softball and high school softball
- Member of the Shoreline League
- Crush is structured under CGFC umbrella and managed by CGFC board

## Our Mission

*It is the mission of the Cedarburg Girls Fastpitch Club (CGFC) to provide girls of the Cedarburg area an opportunity to play fastpitch softball at a competitive level. CGFC is dedicated to provide the best coaching, facilities and equipment that will allow the members of the Cedarburg Crush teams to learn and enjoy the game of softball at the highest level possible.*

# 2014 Year in Review

- Rebranded club & team names, logo and website - [www.cedarburgfastpitch.com](http://www.cedarburgfastpitch.com)
- Added social media presence on Twitter - @CedarburgCrushFP
- Offered team spirit wear through Burghardt's
- Offered winter practice sessions at Bigler's Sports in Cedarburg
- Utilized Willowbrooke Park for practices and games
- Participated at CGFC Day at CHS Varsity softball game
- Raised over \$7,000 through Spring, Fall and Concession Fundraisers
- Teams played in over 100+ games during June and July
- For first time, multiple teams played in fall ball league this past September
- For 2015, offering 6 teams with 65+ girls in the program, up 80% in just 2 years

None of this is possible without the support from  
Parents, Family Members, Sponsors and the City of Cedarburg.

Thank you to all !!!

# CFGFC Board Members

Dave Goethel – President 262-375-9924 <a href="mailto:dgoethel@wi.rr.com">dgoethel@wi.rr.com</a>	TBD - Vice President
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Mark Jessup – Program Advisor 262-853-5359 <a href="mailto:mjessup1@wi.rr.com">mjessup1@wi.rr.com</a>	Erin Mann – Program Advisor Cedarburg HS Varsity Coach

\*We are looking to add 2 additional members to our board for the 2015 season. If you are interested in applying and being considered for a board member position, please contact a CGFC board member.

# Erin Mann – CHS Varsity Head Coach

- Entering 2<sup>nd</sup> year as varsity head coach at CHS
- Physical Education and Health Teacher at CHS
- Coach with fastpitch softball program at B.A.T.S. Sports Academy based in Mequon
- Four year letter winner at Lockport Township High School (Lockport, IL), earning All-state / All-area selections, and a 2004 Illinois State Championship
- Earned a full scholarship and was a four-year starter for the Northwestern University Softball team as a catcher/outfielder.
- Earned a second degree in physical education and health from Northeastern Illinois University

# Team Coaches

- Each head coach candidate goes through interview process with sub-committee of CGFC board
- Selection of head coaches based on specific criteria
- Background checks conducted by 3rd party
- Assistant Coaches are selected by Head Coach or assigned by CGFC board
- Coaches will be trained to teach philosophies and fundamentals consistent with the CHS varsity program
- U16/U18 Head Coach member of CHS softball coaching staff

# Team Coaches

<b>U10 Dev Coaching Staff</b>	Lydia Moser – Head Coach 262-377-7285 <a href="mailto:7933lmm@gmail.com">7933lmm@gmail.com</a>	Tyler Rosenberg 414-412-6849 <a href="mailto:tyler.rosenberg@harley-davidson.com">tyler.rosenberg@harley-davidson.com</a>	TBD
<b>U10 Coaching Staff</b>	Scott Hill – Head Coach 414-218-6070 <a href="mailto:scotth@systecltd.com">scotth@systecltd.com</a>	Sherry Tobeck 262-387-1289 <a href="mailto:ssherbear62301@yahoo.com">ssherbear62301@yahoo.com</a>	TBD
<b>U11 Coaching Staff</b>	Thomas Ladky – Head Coach 414-331-3327 <a href="mailto:tladky@yahoo.com">tladky@yahoo.com</a>	Darrin Englebert 262-618-4430 <a href="mailto:Darrin.Englebert@gmail.com">Darrin.Englebert@gmail.com</a>	TBD
<b>U12 Coaching Staff</b>	Mark Jessup – Head Coach 262-853-5359 <a href="mailto:mjessup1@wi.rr.com">mjessup1@wi.rr.com</a>	Mark Rolison 414-745-8543 <a href="mailto:mdrolison70@gmail.com">mdrolison70@gmail.com</a>	Connie Jankowski 414-305-3603 <a href="mailto:conniejankowski13@yahoo.com">conniejankowski13@yahoo.com</a>
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<b>U16/18 Coaching Staff</b>	Carren Jackson – Head Coach 262-388-5031 <a href="mailto:carren.l.jackson@gmail.com">carren.l.jackson@gmail.com</a>	TBD	TBD

\* We are still looking for an assistant coach for the U10 Development, U10 and U11 teams. Please contact the team's head coach or CGFC board member if you are interested.



# Player and Family Expectations

- Players are expected to:
  - Participate in Crush softball as primary sport during summer season
  - Attend at least 85% of Crush scheduled in-season practices
  - Attend at least 85% of Crush games
  - Girls who do not attend practices/games can expect to receive less playing time
  - Show up on time, stay for full game and practices
  - Proper notification to coaches of conflicts as soon as possible to allow further arrangements if required.
  - Families should support daughters and team by attending games and volunteering to assist

# Practice Schedule

- Off season Practice Opportunities
    - Team indoor practices/clinics start in December – March
      - Practices at Bigler’s Sports in Cedarburg
      - Focus on Pitching/Catching and Hitting/Fielding
      - All current practice information will be on the website - [www.cedarburgfastpitch.com](http://www.cedarburgfastpitch.com)
    - Pitching lessons with Teri Green from B.A.T.S. Sports Academy
      - Crush Weekly Group Lessons available for advanced pitchers (U12 and older) at BATS
      - Crush Monthly Clinics for beginner / intermediate pitchers (U11 and younger) at Bigler’s from Jan-March
  
  - In season Team Practices at Willowbrooke Park in Cedarburg
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# Games and Tournaments

- Games scheduled from May thru July
- U10 Dev – 8+ games, U10 – 15+ games, U11 / U12 – 25+ games, U14 and U16/18 – 30+
- Schedule is a mix of Shoreline games and tournaments
- Shoreline games weeknights and weekends depending on field availability
- Shoreline games are typically doubleheaders but some single games
- Number of tournaments will vary team to team
- Potential overnight tournaments for some teams
- Schedule is finalized by March 1<sup>st</sup>

# Playing Time

- Goal is to provide playing time for all girls on roster
- Positions based on skill, aptitude, knowledge, physical maturity
- Shoreline games are typically used for player development
- Tournament games are play to win and advance
- For younger teams, strong preference is to use continuous batting order – all girls on roster should bat in game
- Some U12, U14 and U16/18 tournaments permit limited player participation, substitution, batting

# Willowbrooke Park

- Partnership with City of Cedarburg
- Approved 5 year lease
- Home field of Crush U10 Dev and U10 games and select U11, U12 and U14 games
- Practice field for all Crush teams
- 3-year Improvement Plan
  - Fencing (2014 & 2015)
  - Dugouts (2015)
  - Concession Stand / Storage Shed (2016)
  - Scoreboard (2015 or 2016)

# Club Fees

- Player fee for 2015 will be:
  - \$85 for each U10 Development player
  - \$150 for each U10 player
  - \$200 for each U11/U12 player
  - \$225 for each U14 player
  - \$300 for each U16/U18 player
  - Fee is due to be paid in full by December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2014.
  - If you require additional time to pay this fee. Please contact a CGFC board member and arrangements can be made
- Fees help cover the following expenses: game/practice field rentals, winter practice gym rentals, umpire fees, equipment replacements, team tournament entry fees, and club indemnity insurance

# Fundraisers

- Fundraisers help pay our expenses to allow us to keep player fees down.
- Two focused fundraisers each year; Fall and Spring
  - Fall – is selling items through Raising the Steaks, Inc
    - Minimum of 8 items to be sold by each player
  - Spring – is selling gift certificates to Groth's Country Gardens
    - Minimum of 8 \$25 certificates to be sold by each player
  - Opt out of fundraising options
    - \$75 donation to waive one
    - \$125 donation to waive both
- Sell concessions at home games

# Fall Fundraiser



- Partnering with Raising the Steaks, Inc
- Holiday Best Variety Offering
- 50% profit on each item sold
- Campaign Kick Off – Nov 4<sup>th</sup>
- Campaign End Date – Nov 22<sup>nd</sup>
  - Return order forms and all payments to:
    - Mark Jessup – 1301 Chickadee Lane, Grafton, WI 53024
  - Cash or Check made out to Cedarburg Girls Fastpitch Club
- Order Pickup – Dec 6<sup>th</sup> , 9:00am – 10:00am
  - CHS Parking Lot (outside cafeteria doors)



# Sponsorships

- Two Sponsorship Options
  - Premier Sponsorship Option - \$500
  - Sponsorship Option - \$300
  - List of 2014 Premier Sponsors



Advanced Technology  
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Premier Sponsor



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Premier Sponsor



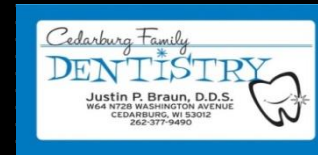
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- Always looking for leads on new sponsors
  - Sponsorship Options Handout Available

# Volunteers

- Volunteers are key to the success of the club
- Parents of players are expected to volunteer 4-6 hours per season helping out:
  - Fundraising
  - Concessions
  - Field Prep
  - Scoreboard (Varsity Field only)
- Online sign-up available in spring
- Select your dates or dates will be assigned
- Coordinators for concession, field prep, fundraisers are needed. Please contact a CGFC board member if interested

# Uniforms

- U10 Dev players:
  - Team t-shirts will be included as part of the player fee and the girls will be able to keep at the end of the year
- U10, U11, U12, U14 and U16/U18 players:
  - Uniform shirt and shorts and for some teams, pants will be provided to each player
  - Uniform provided to the players for that season
  - Each player will be required to turn the uniform set back in at the end of year
  - If the uniform is damaged due to non-playing reasons or lost, the player will be charged a replacement fee
  - Socks, sliding pads and visors will be required and purchased by each player
  - Replacement orders for these items can be purchased for current players in the program as the girl moves up through the program
- Mouth guards, purchased by player, must be worn all times during practice or when playing in games
- Team spirit wear and other equipment will be available for purchase but not mandatory
- More details to come at Spring Meeting



# Team Spirit Wear



- Variety of Cedarburg Crush spirit wear available at Burghardt Sporting Goods website
  - Cedarburg Crush Online Catalog – [https://www.burghardtsportinggoods.com/Category/1625/Cedarburg\\_Crush\\_Fastpitch.aspx](https://www.burghardtsportinggoods.com/Category/1625/Cedarburg_Crush_Fastpitch.aspx)
  - Holiday Season Offering starts today through November 17<sup>th</sup>
  - Spring Offering with required uniform items for purchase coming in March
- Orders and payments only accepted through online catalog
- \$3.00 processing charge per online order so try to make one single order
- Samples available at Fox Point store
- Questions contact Mark Jessup – [mjessup1@wi.rr.com](mailto:mjessup1@wi.rr.com)
- Orders can be picked up from Mark Jessup – 1301 Chickadee Lane, Grafton

# City of Cedarburg

## Rec Basketball Program

Girls only! Grades 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>



### Rec Program Information:

- Player fee: \$75.00
- Experienced head coaches
- Game jersey with NBA team logo provided
- Junior Bucks Program! →
- Player skill evaluation on Saturday, Nov 8 at 10 am in the Cedarburg Community Center Gym
- One hour practice twice during weekdays (Mon-Thurs) starting after Nov 24 either at CHS Vintage Gym or the Community Center Gym 7:30-8:30 or 8:30-9:30
- Practices will continue once games begin Jan to mid-Mar
- Games start on Jan 3rd (Sat or Sun only) at Webster Middle School Gym
- If your child has other sports or activities that may interfere, you will need to note the nights or weekends on your reg. form and communicate conflicts to the head coach
- All skill levels are welcome in this community rec program! This is not a club
- This is a **FUN** community rec program designed for all skill levels and to have some fun, to learn and just play the game of basketball
- You can register tonight! (Frank) will turn in your forms and \$75 check written to: 'Cedarburg Parks & Rec' Please see me after the meeting for the form or if you have any further questions. Thank you!

**NEW in 2015!** Cedarburg Parks & Rec have teamed up with the Junior Bucks Program!

Rec players receive:

- Junior Bucks drawstring bag
- Player receives 1 ticket to the designated league night on Saturday, April 4<sup>th</sup> Bucks vs Magic. Game time 7:30 pm.
- Opportunity to participate in select fan experiences during this game!



***"You will always miss 100% of the shots you don't take." ~ John Wooden***

# Questions?

## Before You Leave

- Complete Forms  
(Player Medical Form, Player Conduct Form, Player-Parent-Coach Agreement)
- Submit Player Club Fee Payment
- Pick up Fall Fundraiser Form or Submit Buyout Payment

Spring Player / Parent Meeting  
March TBD

Go Crush !

