



## 2024 Notice of Registration

Dear VSS League Member:

Please use this opportunity to register by mail for the 2023 VSS season. It is very convenient and helps the league plan for the upcoming season. We've even added the option for electronic payments this year.

**The fee is \$75 for returning players.**

**The fee is \$100 for new players (the extra \$25 is for a team shirt and league hat).**

To register, please complete the attached two forms and either:

- a) Mail them with a check made out to Vernon Seniors Softball League to *Tim Poloski, PO Box 2424, Vernon CT 06066*; or
- b) Pay electronically with PayPal using the button on registration page of the website (the direct PayPal link is <https://paypal.me/vernonseiorsoftball>) and either email a scan/picture of the forms to [tjpoloski@gmail.com](mailto:tjpoloski@gmail.com) or mail the forms to *Tim Poloski, PO Box 2424, Vernon CT 06066* indicating the PayPal payment.

*Call me with any questions (860) 508-6566*

**\*\*\*Please note that the mail in deadline is Monday April 15. If we do not receive your registration by the deadline, our bylaws state that late registrations will be put in a common pool for selection.**

### **In Person Registration for New\* and Returning Players:**

(Community Field, 375 Hartford Turnpike, Vernon; at the Tryouts/Practices)

- **Monday, April 15, 2024 3:30 PM- 5:30 PM** (New and returning players)

### **New Player\* Tryouts/Practice and Registration**

(Community Field, behind Community Center Building)

- Monday April 15, 2024 & Tuesday April 16, 2024 (weather permitting). Rain dates are Wednesday /Thursday

**\*New players are encouraged to mail in their registrations by April 15 or register at the in person registrations on April 15. New player registrations may be accepted at Tryouts/Practices if roster spots are available. New players must attend tryouts/practice or be known to members of VSS league/board.**

Thank you.

Tim Poloski,  
Internal Competition Committee *Chairman*

(Return form to: Tim Poloski, PO Box 2424, Vernon, CT 06066 or tjpoloski@gmail.com)

TOWN OF VERNON

PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT  
120 SOUTH STREET, VERNON, CT 06066  
Telephone: (860) 872-6118 Fax: (860) 872-5844

VERNON SENIORS SOFTBALL LEAGUE – REGISTRATION FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip Code

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

The Vernon Seniors Softball League is a softball league for seniors who are 55 years of age or older during the calendar year of participation. Each team in the League normally plays two games per week, about 28 games per season, on Monday through Thursday afternoons. Early game start times are 3:30 pm. Late game start times are 4:55 pm. Players still working can ask to be assigned to a team that only plays late games. All games are played either at Community field – 375 Hartford Turnpike – Route 30, Vernon, CT (behind the Community Building) or at Henry Park in Vernon.

An annual fee is charged in an amount set annually by the League Board of Directors. For the 2024 season the fee is \$75.00 for returning players and \$100 for new players. This 2024 fee is non-refundable unless the player is unable to participate, due to unforeseen circumstances, and said player has not played in a regularly scheduled game. Dues will not be discounted regardless of when the player signs up.

The League is a recreational league that exists for the enjoyment of its members. Players are assigned to teams based on their skills and ability with an eye toward achieving parity within the league. Therefore, attendance at games is important. Certainly, there are valid reasons for absences; these include injuries, illness, family problems, work schedules and vacations. However, signing up is a commitment to your team and the league. If you sign up, please show up!

By signing below and paying my annual fee, I agree to abide by the Vernon Seniors Softball League By-Laws, the Rules of Play, and the Rules of Conduct as established by the Board of Directors of the Vernon Seniors Softball League, copies of which I have received. In addition, I hereby acknowledge that this Program's activities have inherent risks of injury. I, therefore, assume these risks and I waive, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the Town of Vernon Parks and Recreation Department, the Vernon Board of Education, and the Vernon Seniors Softball League, its Board of Directors, its Sponsors, its Players, its Managers, its Umpires, and its Coaches from any and all liability for any injuries or death resulting from my participation in this activity.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

2024 Fee Paid (\$75 Returning Players, \$100 new players)

\_\_\_\_ Check enclosed \_\_\_\_\_ Cash paid in person \_\_\_\_\_ Paid via PayPal

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**VERNON SENIORS SOFTBALL LEAGUE**  
**Registration Questionnaire 2024**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Info**

Telephone No. \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email : \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Shirt Size (circle one): M-L-XL-XXL-XXXL      Positions played (give at least two): \_\_\_\_\_

Previous team if returning: \_\_\_\_\_ I want to OPT OUT from my current team \_\_\_\_ **\*\*\*See below**  
I would consider moving to another team if the situation was right \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be available for the season's start on May 1st? If not, when \_\_\_\_\_?

What is the earliest time you can participate? \*\* 3:30 PM \_\_\_\_\_ 4:55 PM \_\_\_\_\_

Do you plan on missing any significant time during the season? If yes, when \_\_\_\_\_

**New Players** – Do you currently play in other leagues? When was the last time you played regularly?  
How did you hear about Vernon Senior Softball?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please check all that apply:

\_\_\_ I would be interested in joining the board

\_\_\_ I would be interested in being a league umpire when not playing (we need umpires!)

\_\_\_ I would be interested in being a team manager/assistant team manager

\_\_\_ I would be interested in volunteering some time and/or services to the league

\_\_\_ I would be interested in joining a Travel Team\*

\_\_\_ I would be interested in being a manager or assistant manager of a Travel Team\*

\_\_\_ I would be interested in a limited fall league after the regular season ends

\_\_\_ I know others who would be interested in joining the League. List their contact info:  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ I know someone who would be interested in becoming a sponsor at \$250 per year. List their contact info:  
\_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\*If you wish to OPT OUT from your present team please read section R-Selection of Teams in the Rules of Play found on our web site (vernonsoftball.com). The Internal Competition Committee will assign you to another league team.**

**\*\*Start times listed are tentative and may be set by the board before the season to be 10-15 minutes earlier (to allow more time for completion of games).**

**\*The League sponsors several Travel Teams, which play other teams outside the area and participate in several Senior Softball Tournaments throughout the season. Travel Team games are normally played on weekends. Travel Teams also play at the Cape in September. Players are selected by invitation of the Travel Team Managers.**