



Rounding Third

Chicago 16-Inch Softball Hall of Fame Monthly Newsletter

Chicago 16-Inch Softball Hall Of Fame 20th Annual Award Dinner April 16, 2016

The Chicago 16-inch Softball Hall of Fame (HOF) was a big success. The HOF honored both men and women-players, historic teams, organizers, managers and umpires-who since the 1920s have exemplified excellent 16-inch softball talent, sportsmanship, and set a precedent for future generations. One of the highlights was honoring the first team from Iowa...Carpet Country that was first and only non-Chicago team to win the ASA Nationals.

Over 530 people attended the 20th Annual Hall of Fame dinner at Drury Lane in Oakbrook, with many of the attendees being Hall of Famers. George Bliss was again the outstanding host that he is, getting all the inductees recognized in less than two hours.

Thank you to all the volunteers and folks who donated to the auction!

DVDs of the evening are now available for purchase for \$20 dollars. Please send all checks to:
Rachell Entler
7501 W. Harrison St.
Forest Park, IL 60130



2016 SSA INCH SOFTBALL & EVENT SCHEDULE

Date Event Location Contact Person

5/19-22 *Westchester Tournament of Champions Westchester Gary Kasanders 708-865-8200

6/4 SSA Restricted "A" Tournament Clyde Park Anthony Tyler 708-307-6390

6/9-12 *North-South Challenge TBA Dan Atkins 630-774-6118

6/23-26 *Chicago Championships Mt. Prospect Joe Patterson 847-640-1000

7/16-17 SSA Open Tournament Melrose Park Anthony Tyler 708-307-6390

7/28-31 *Forest Park No-Glove Nationals Forest Park Larry Piekarcz 708-366-7500

8/11-14 Melrose Park Coed/Men's Tournament Melrose Park Roy Rodriguez 847-772-2647

8/18-21 SSA Men's 16" Class "A" Nationals Carol Stream Anthony Tyler 708-307-6390

9/1-5 SSA Men's 16" Major Nationals Carol Stream Anthony Tyler 708-307-6390

9/1-5 SSA Men's 16" 50 & Over Nationals Carol Stream Anthony Tyler 708-307-6390

10/8 Annual SSA Las Vegas Get-A-Way Las Vegas Ron Matrisciano 815-954-9923

*These tournaments are run by the respective Park Districts.

For more information on the The Slow-Pitch Softball Association, please visit us on the web at SSASoftball.com, on Facebook or email us at Info@SSASoftball.com.

Dont Miss Daily Old Photos on Facebook

Since September the HOF Facebook page has shown a different team from the 30's to the contemporary era. In just that 24 hour span on average 1,000 people view our highlighted teams, individuals and HOF features and activities. We have hit on quite a few occasions 5-7,000 views. Check us out - we believe you will enjoy it and possibly see folks you know or even your own team. Please Like us too!

[Click Here To View](#)

Hall Of Fame Museum Spring Schedule

Open Saturday 12:00 to 4:00 Only

Do you have a great story or photos you would like to share send them to Tiffany.Hoffman@Maagcommplus.com for a chance to be featured in our next newsletter.

To sign up for the newsletter, please email info@16inchsoftballhof.com

Sincerely,

The Chicago 16-Inch Softball Hall of Fame

Rachell Entler

7501 W. Harrison St.

Forest Park, IL 60130

Office 708-366-7500 x 17

Email rentler@pdofp.org

STAY CONNECTED

