

# SOMERS MEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE

## 2026 TEAM INFOPAK



This InfoPak and all the required forms can be downloaded from the Somers Men's Softball League web site at <https://somersrec.teamsidelinesite.com/>

Please see the remainder of this document for important details regarding fees, required documentation and player eligibility requirements. Questions or requests for further information can be emailed [Parks@somersny.gov](mailto:Parks@somersny.gov)

## SOMERS MENS SOFTBALL ADVISORY BOARD

The Somers Men's Softball League Advisory Board of Directors operates under the auspices of the Department of Somers Parks and Recreation. Board members are volunteers who serve indeterminate terms. Vacancies or additional Board positions are filled by a majority vote of the existing Board and approved by the Parks and Recreation Board. **All members must be current resident and remain a resident during their term.**

### Advisory Board Members

Steve D'Ambrosio

Tony Linares

Chris Radding

## All League information and Game Status Updates

Somers Men's Softball League web site

## SOMERS MEN'S SOFTBALL LEAGUE CALENDAR 2026

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| February 11, 7:00 PM    | Managers Meeting @ Van Tassell Recreation Center<br>Info Packet 2026 & Team Roster Form |
| February 12             | Player Registration Begins  |
| March 2                 | <b>Team Roster Forms Due</b>  |
| March 31st              | Player Registration Deadline  |
| <b>April 1, 3:30 PM</b> | <b>Team Fees Due</b>  |
| April 13                | OPENING DAY REGULAR SEASON <i>Tentative</i>   |
| August 27               | REGULAR SEASON ENDS <i>Tentative</i>  |
| August 31               | PLAYOFFS BEGIN <i>Tentative</i>   |
| September 24            | CLOSING DAY <i>Tentative</i>  |

## GAMES/TIMES

Games will be played weekdays Mondays thru Fridays.

April 13<sup>th</sup> thru April 30<sup>th</sup> - 3 games per night on Main Softball Field, #3  
May 1<sup>st</sup> thru August 28<sup>th</sup> - 3 games per night on Main Softball Field, #3 and  
1 game on Upper Reis Softball Field, #5

*\*Friday games played April, May and June.*

*No Fridays scheduled from July until the end of the season, **unless needed.***

- Main Softball Field (#3) – 6:45, 8:00 & 9:15 PM
  - Upper Reis Softball Field (#5) – 6:30 PM
- Rain outs will be played starting on Fridays in May*

If it comes to it, games may be rescheduled for Sundays at 4:00, 5:15, 6:30 and 7:45 PM

## PLAYOFF TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

- Playoffs will start the week of 8/31 and finish by 9/24. No games on Fridays.
- Top 5 teams in each league make the Playoffs.

## TEAM ROSTER PROCEDURES FOR 2026

The information on the Team Roster form is required by the SMSL for the purposes of scheduling, division alignment, player registration and the enforcement of SMSL rules and regulations. **Managers submitting a team roster form must be a current Town of Somers Resident.** Final team placement is at the discretion of the SMSL Board, League Supervisor and Department of Parks & Recreation. In order to ensure a competitive balance teams may be moved between divisions during the first ¼ of the season.

**Please keep in mind, league placement is determined by the talent level on your submitted roster.**

**Team roster registration consists of the following:**

Submission of the Team Roster Form  
Full payment of team fee.

Team Roster Form and Payment may be submitted:

- Email [Parks@somersny.gov](mailto:Parks@somersny.gov) Roster form Only
- In person at the Recreation Office in Reis Park 8:00 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Monday -Friday
- In the Recreation Office drop box after business hours
- Mailed to:  
Somers Parks & Recreation  
PO Box 46  
Somers, NY 10589  
Attn: Men's Softball

## FEE

The 2026 season team fee will be approximately **\$1,300.00 per team**. *The final fee will be determined by the total number of teams in your division.* Fee includes regular season and playoffs for teams that qualify. Payment must be in the form of a check(s) made payable to the **Town of Somers**.

A maximum of two checks will be accepted as payment of fees. Payments consisting of several checks from players on the team will not be accepted. If the season is suspended after it begins and cannot be completed due to any mandate by State or Local leaders each team will be issued a prorated credit for the 2027 season.

## ROSTER ELIGIBILITY

All participants must be eighteen (18) years of age.

All participants must be listed on the team roster form.

The maximum number of players on the team roster is twenty-five (25).

Rosters must be comprised of not less than 50% Somers residents. **Anyone that does not live in the Town of Somers is considered a non-resident.** Many teams with rosters of twelve to fourteen players have experienced difficulty in fielding a full team. Please ensure that you have a sufficient number of players on your roster to avoid forfeiting.

An individual may be only rostered on one team. Any team found using an individual who is not on their roster (illegal player) will forfeit the number of games the player was used and may be removed from the Somers Men's Softball League. **Additional players may be considered after your roster form has been accepted.** Any request for additions to a team roster must be reviewed by the SMSL Board and approved by the Parks and Recreation Department. ***No additions will be accepted after the 5<sup>th</sup> game of the season.*** Any addition to the roster that would exceed the maximum or maximum residence requirement requires removal of a player already on the roster.

## PLAYER REGISTRATION

Begins February 11<sup>th</sup>

Ends March 31<sup>st</sup>

To register Click on Link below

<https://somersrec.teamsidelinesite.com/>

**NOTE: You must provide your physical address. Anyone using a PO Box as an address will not be rostered. Anyone found falsifying their address will be banned from participating.**

### To Register:

Click on the Red Register button.

- On the next page, everyone will need to create an account.
- Enter all required information and click sign up.
- In drop downs, Select yourself as Enrollee, the other drop downs should automatically select as Enrollment Type – General, Program – Somers Men's Softball '26, Offering – 2026 Season.
- Click on Add Enrollment, this will put the 2026 Season in the cart, then click on Proceed to Checkout.
- On the next page, Select your Team that you will be playing on and check the box to confirm your agreement to the Town Waiver, then click Next
- Double check your contact information is correct and then scroll down and click on Place Order. There is no charge.
- If all done correctly you will receive a confirmation email.
- If you have any questions, please contact the Recreation Office at 914-232-8442 or email [Parks@somersny.gov](mailto:Parks@somersny.gov)

## ILLEGAL PLAYERS

- Have been banned or suspended from playing in the SMSL.
- Are not on a team roster.
- Any team found using an illegal player will forfeit the number of games the player was used and may be removed from the Somers Men's Softball League.

## FORFEITS

Any team that does not have the Minimum Number of Players to begin a game will forfeit the game. The game will not be rescheduled. Forfeits are scored as *eight (8) runs* for the winner and zero (0) runs for the team forfeiting.

**First** Forfeit Offense- \$100.00 Fine

**Second** Forfeit Offense- \$300.00 Fine

**Third** Forfeit Offense- \$500.00 Fine and the team is no longer eligible for the playoffs.

Each fine must be paid no later than 24 hours prior to their next scheduled game. *Forfeiting team will not be allowed to play another game until their fine has been paid.*

Team Managers must drop off a check or call the **Recreation Office (914-232-8442)** to pay by credit card between the hours of **8am and 3pm Mon. through Fri.**

All the players on that team's roster will be considered ineligible to play in the league the following year.

Any team that forfeits three or more games during regular season will not be eligible for post season play. The team manager will be required to meet with the SMSL Board before registering a team the following season. Any team forfeits a game in the playoffs will forfeit the series.

## COVID PROTOCOLS

Any individual deemed high risk for contracting illness, based on age, underlying medical or other conditions or cohabitating with a high-risk individual, is advised to consult with their medical provider before committing to participate. Every person is responsible for practicing the CDC and State guidelines for social distancing and personal hygiene in connection with COVID. It remains a personal decision to enter the parks and to participate in the activities offered. Everyone is urged to make their own decisions for the health and safety of themselves and their families.