

## **Stingrays 14U Girls Fastpitch Softball**

## Dear Community Business Leader:

Stingrays 14U is a Girls 14 and under fastpitch softball team that is part of the Braddock Road Youth Club (BRYC) Organization. The Stingrays are a competitive fastpitch softball organization dedicated to teaching softball, teamwork, and sportsmanship to young ladies of above average athletic ability. We draw our players from across Northern Virginia, including Annandale, Springfield, Burke, Lorton, Fairfax, Chantilly, Falls Church, Aleaxandria and Arlington.

Our goal is to provide a fun and family-friendly learning environment that prepares our young ladies for high school softball, college softball, and life. Our goal in each age group is to qualify for at least one national tournament. We are a 501(c)(3) organization and welcome donations and sponsorships to help our teams compete at the highest level.

The players, parents and coaches on our team have committed to dedicate several hours per week to develop their sportsmanship and softball skills. The goal is for the players to learn at an early age that by dedication and hard work they have the ability to achieve any goal they set for themselves. This will prepare them for high school and collegiate level softball.

The Stingrays 14U team is responsible for all of the expenditures during the current and upcoming seasons. The team will compete in several tournaments throughout the Northern Virginia, Maryland and Pennsylvania area over the next year.

We expect to qualify for the World Series this summer. We are hoping to defray some of the costs for training equipment, uniforms, travel, insurance, and tournament fees by obtaining sponsors. The team is coached and organized completely by volunteers. All sponsors funds will be used strictly for the girls to reduce the financial burden on their families.

Stingrays 14U is looking for both individual and corporate sponsors who are interested in supporting our program. In return for your donation, we offer you various forms of recognition. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Team members, parents, coaches and fans will support and patronize our sponsors whenever possible through purchases and word of mouth advertising
- A link and space for an advertisement on our web site (www.stingrays99.org)
- Inclusion of your company's name and logo on our banner displayed at all games and community activities (car washes, bake sales, and tournaments)
- A team photo on a plaque which may be displayed at your place of business

We hope you will become a Stingrays 14U sponsor. Included is a Sponsor Agreement. Please send it along with your donation made out to "BRYC SOFTBALL' with "Stingryas 14u" in the memo, to our Head Coach, Jim Patterson, 3819 Ridge Road, Annandale Virginia 22003. Our team is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization and **your donation is tax deductible. Our Federal Tax Identification No. 54-1015722.** 

Thank you in advance for supporting these dedicated young ladies in their Softball career.

Jim Patterson

Head Coach, STINGRAYS 14U

STINGRAYS 14U WEB SITE: www.stingrays99.org

## **SPONSOR AGREEMENT**

I would like to support the STINGRAYS 14U Girl's Fastpitch Softball team. Please make check payable to "BRYC SOFTBALL", Stingrays 14u in memo c/o Jim Patterson, 3819 Ridge Road, Annandale Virginia 22003.

## **Choose level of Sponsorship:**

\$100 - \$299: Thank you letter, recognition on STINGRAYS 14U web site www.stingrays99.org & team photo

\$300 - \$499: Thank you letter, spaces for advertisement on STINGRAYS 14U web site www.stingrays99.org & company name and logo on team banner, and team photo

\$500 or more: Thank you letter, space for advertisement on STINGRAYS 14U web site www.stingrays99.org & company name and logo on team banner, and plaque with team photo

I would like to have a link to my company on your website (enter your web site address):

| FOR DONATIONS OF \$300 OR MORE                                       |              |
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| I would like to include the following advertisement (text only) on y | our website: |
| Company Name:  |              |
| Contact:   |              |
| Address:   |              |
| Phone Number:  |              |

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