



# Texas ASA District 31



# Newsletter

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## ASA INSURANCE PROGRAMS

ASA offers a wide variety of insurance programs for leagues and its officers. We will have all the information for your leagues at the district meeting.

Registration deadline is March 31<sup>st</sup>.

Players are covered by the ASA insurance for tryouts and practices from January 1<sup>st</sup> until March 31<sup>st</sup>.

No players will be covered by the ASA insurance after the March 31<sup>st</sup> deadline unless the registrations are in.



## TRAVEL PERMITS

Just a reminder, that request for travel permits must go thru Mr. Harper or myself.

Travel permits are required at all ASA invitational tournaments. Except within the district

Travel permits are not required for Championship play



District Tournaments will be held in the following towns:

**PIXIE**

Friendswood

May 8 – 10, 2015

**10, 12 & 14 & UNDERS**

Santa Fe

May 15 – 17, 2015

**Pixie 6 U State Tournament**

Friendswood

May 29 – 31, 2015

**Pixie NIT**

Santa Fe

June 5-7, 2015



## DID YOU KNOW

ASA crowned more than 100 National Champions last year

16.9 million people 6 years old and older play softball in the US.

There are 1.2 million girls on 85,000 teams playing youth softball in ASA programs.

3,075,000 people play ASA Softball a year.

53-percent of slow pitch players are male.

75-percent of slow pitch players are female.



## ACE Certification

It is now mandatory that all teams playing in Championship play must have at least one coach on the team ACE certified. It is now required that all league Coaches & Team Moms that are on the field or in the dugouts must show proof of a background check, this is to be visible at all times. You can register for background checks on line at the ASA web site.

**Do not wait until time for District or State tournaments to get this done, you need to get this done now.**



## DISTRICT WEB SITE

The district web site is up and running. There are now a number of features available to you and the coaches in your league.

Tournament listings and much more: [texasasadistrict31](http://texasasadistrict31.com)  
**You can also visit us on Facebook.**



## CHAMPIONSHIP PLAY

### Attention A Teams

All A teams can go directly to a National Tournament. They must compete in the State tournaments to qualify, it does not matter where they finish, they can go directly to Nationals.