



SELECT 2026



What is Select?

“Select” is a program developed by USA Softball for girls seeking a higher level of competitive softball in addition to their recreational season. The SVGS SELECT teams will practice and/or play games together, once a week, during the recreational season. Members of the team will be on two teams – a spring recreational team and the Select team. Select teams are for 8U, 10U and 12U division players only. The 8U, 10U and 12U SELECT teams will consist of players that have developed a higher level of softball skills. Players who wish to participate on select teams and who are ultimately chosen to participate should aspire to be on an All-Star team for the upcoming All-Star Season.



Our Goal:

The Simi Valley Girls Softball Select committees' goal is to form 2 teams per division. Some divisions may only have 1 team depending on interest and skill level. The divisions will be comprised of a Gold level and a Silver level team(s). The Select Committees goal is to form teams consisting of 12 to 14 players maximum. Players interested in participating in Select must fill out an interest form and agree to participate in 80% of the Select season, this includes and is not limited to practice and games. Players who do not comply in participation levels will not be eligible to participate in the All-Star season for that year. Not everyone who evaluates will be placed on a Select team.



How Much Will Select Cost?

- Cost for Select: \$200- Collected at the first practice
 - Included in Cost:
 - 2 Dri Fits
 - 2 Tournaments
 - Friendlies
- Some additional fees may come up depending on the amount of friendlies scheduled.

***All Team Fundraisers must be approved by the Select Committee. The designated Team Administrator must keep financial records for the Select Season**



Important Dates:

- Eval Dates:
 - Due to forecasted weather, new dates are:
 - Jan 7,8,9
 - 8u- 1/7
 - 10u-1/8
 - 12u-1/9
- Select runs from January 1st – April 6th
 - Teams MAY NOT meet or hold any type of gatherings together after April 6th. This includes team parties.



Evaluation Process:

- Tryouts will run for 1.5–2 hours. The first half of the tryouts will consist of a typical evaluation where each player will have the opportunity to showcase their skills. The second half will be a Scrimmage/Inner Squad style game. Those interested in trying out as a Pitcher or a Catcher should indicate so on the interest form to allow for proper planning.
- Evaluators consist of 8u/10u/12u–fall managers and spring managers (as appropriate) along with board members with an evaluation sheet that is the same for everyone.



Expectations for Select:

- Select can play or practice ONE day a week, and that cannot interfere with regular league play. League play comes first, ALWAYS. Select managers will turn their tentative schedule for the month to the President and Select Commissioner by the 1st of each month by email (no text messages). Failure to submit your monthly schedule will result in cancellation of your team's activities.
- Players and Families are expected to be fully committed to select. You must have an 80% participation in the select season to be eligible for All-Stars
- Teams are representing Simi Valley Girls Softball and each Family/Player will sign a code of conduct agreement once they have accepted a roster position.



**Thank You
for
coming!**

Questions?

