



If You Intend to Pitch, Review and Sign the Following:

Pitcher Release of Liability Related To Safety

By signing this Pitcher Release of Liability Related to Pitcher Safety document, I hereby affirm the following:

1. I understand the SaddleBrooke Senior Softball Association (SSSA) plays under the Senior Softball–USA (SS-USA) Rules of Play as modified by the SSSA Board of Directors and the SSSA Rules of Play;
2. I understand the SSSA "Rules of Play" REQUIRE pitchers to wear a face mask when pitching. Pitchers are also encouraged to wear shin guards or other protective equipment at their discretion. Face masks must be approved by the Senior Softball USA (SS-USA), or the Amateur Softball Association (ASA/USA) or the National Operating Committee on Standards for Athletic Equipment (NOCSAE). The SSSA Rules of Play require the use of a pitching screen unless both Pitchers elect not to use the screen;
3. I understand that by electing to wear or not wear the SS-USA mandated safety equipment and electing to utilize or not utilize the SSSA pitching screen I knowingly undertake the inherent risks of the sport. I hereby waive any and all claims, individually, and by my heirs, and I hold harmless the SS-USA, the SSSA and its Board of Directors and the SaddleBrooke Homeowners Association Two including, but not limited to, its Board of Directors, staff and/or agents, from and against any and all loss liability, charges and expenses (including attorney's fees) and cause of action of whatever nature that may arise from injury from pitching in the SSSA;
4. I am familiar with the skills required to participate as a pitcher in SSSA softball activities and certify I am proficient in these skills;
5. I am fully aware the SS-USA, the SSSA and the SaddleBrooke Homeowners Association Two and its Board of Directors do not carry or provide any medical insurance for me and that I am solely responsible for procuring my own insurance.

Signature _____ **Date** _____