



## **APPLICATION**

In the Summer of 2016, the Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame was officially dedicated in the pavilion at the Fargo Northside softball complex.

## **STATEMENT OF PURPOSE**

It is our goal to recognize men and women who have played a passionate role in the growth and development of softball in the Fargo-Moorhead area and who's abilities, performances and services were outstanding.

## FARGO-MOORHEAD SOFTBALL HALL OF FAME

### 1. Definition of Fargo-Moorhead Area Softball Community

- a. Fargo, Moorhead, West Fargo and surrounding communities including Horace, Tri-River League, Dilworth, Cass & Clay counties, teams/players participating in the Fargo, Moorhead, or West Fargo softball leagues.

### 2. Nomination

- a. A nominee, in order to be eligible for nomination in a current election, must give his/her application to Benjie Potter prior to the date of the Hall of Fame Council election meeting of that year.
- b. Anyone may nominate a person for the Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame.
- c. Obtain a Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame application from any of the Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame council members.
- d. If available, attach copies of any news clippings, letters of recommendation, and other pertinent information.
- e. Council members may seek additional information from the person making the nomination.
- f. Nominations remain active for a period of five years and will be reconsidered each year. If the nominee has not then been elected, the nomination is returned to the sponsor.
- g. An individual or team is eligible to be re-nominated following the 5 year period.

### 3. Awards and Presentation

- a. A special gift will be given to those elected to the Hall of Fame and a framed picture of inductee will be displayed in the Fargo Moorhead Area Softball Hall of Fame pavilion at the Fargo Northside softball complex. The presentation will take place at the annual Fargo Moorhead Area Softball Hall of Fame induction ceremony.

## FARGO-MOORHEAD SOFTBALL HALL OF FAME QUALIFICATIONS AND INDUCTION CRITERIA:

- Minimum of 20 years active involvement in the Fargo-Moorhead softball community as either a player, umpire, manager, sponsor, meritorious service, or combination of the aforementioned.
- An individual must be a minimum 45 years old.
- The above does not apply to **TEAM NOMINATIONS**. A nominated team's roster must consist of 75% of the players originally from or residing in the Fargo-Moorhead area when they were playing as a team.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Please print or type all information to avoid mistakes or misinterpretation by the Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame Council. Provide as much information as possible.

After selecting the nomination categories, fill in any appropriate information under all categories which may apply to the nominee. Use and attach any additional information as necessary.

Completed form should be sent to: Benjie Potter – Secretary  
1632 Birchwood Drive  
West Fargo, ND 58078  
Or email: ben.potter@doosan.com

### ***Current Fargo-Moorhead Softball Hall of Fame Council members:***

Sharon Morgan	701-235-4169	Paul Lybeck	701-293-0011
Benjie Potter	701-388-8472	Phil Shiek	701-730-3345
Greg Kaeding	701-799-8042	Amy Anderson	701-799-0772
Mark Vanyo	701-238-4426	Steve Granberg	701-219-5011
Jon Kegel	701-238-2855	*please feel free to call any of us with Any questions, suggestions or concerns	

Nominated by: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Submission \_\_\_\_\_

**INDIVIDUAL NOMINATION FOR FARGO-MOORHEAD SOFTBALL HALL OF FAME**

Nominee's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_ \*if nominee is deceased, list name and address of nearest living relative

Nominated as:      Player      Umpire      Manager      Sponsor      Meritorious Service  
(check all that apply)

**OR**

**TEAM NOMINATION FOR FARGO-MOORHEAD SOFTBALL HALL OF FAME**

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_ year(s) or time frame \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person's Name for team \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ **\*please attach list of players, roster and/or picture**

Number of state championships \_\_\_\_\_

List Regional and National tournament top finishes \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other awards received or top finishes in other tournaments \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*Additional information or comments can be made on page 9 & 10*

**PLAYER**

**Category**

Fast Pitch

Slow Pitch

Both

**Division**

Men's

Women's

Both

Number of years played \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years played in Fargo-Moorhead \_\_\_\_\_

Teams played for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Main position(s) played \_\_\_\_\_

Retired from the game? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of retirement? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of state tournaments played in \_\_\_\_\_

Number of state championship teams you played for \_\_\_\_\_

Regional and National tournament experience \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Awards received \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

*Additional information or comments can be made on page 9 & 10, including nominee's thoughts on the game and interesting anecdotes.*

**UMPIRE**

**Category**       Fast Pitch                       Slow Pitch                       Both

**Division**       Men's                               Women's                       Both

First year registered as an umpire \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years umpiring in Fargo-Moorhead \_\_\_\_\_

Number of State Championship/Tournaments umpired in \_\_\_\_\_

Other major tournament experience (McQuades, Regionals, Nationals, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

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*Additional information or comments can be made on page 10 & 11*

**MANAGER**

**Category**       Fast Pitch                       Slow Pitch                       Both

**Division**       Men's                               Women's                       Both

Number of years as a manager \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years managing in Fargo-Moorhead \_\_\_\_\_

Teams managed \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Number of State Championship/Tournament teams managed \_\_\_\_\_

Other major tournament experience (McQuades, Regionals, Nationals, etc.) and list any top

finishes \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Additional information or comments can be made on page 9 & 10*

**SPONSOR**

**Category**

Fast Pitch

Slow Pitch

Both

**Division**

Men's

Women's

Both

Number of years as a sponsor \_\_\_\_\_

Name, division, age and class of team(s) sponsored \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Number of State Championship teams sponsored \_\_\_\_\_

List any regional and/or National Championship teams sponsored and any top finishes \_\_\_\_\_

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*Additional information or comments can be made on page 9 & 10*

**MERITORIOUS SERVICE**

Number of years involved in Fargo-Moorhead softball \_\_\_\_\_

State, Regional and National committees served on \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Community/Volunteer involvement \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

*Additional information or comments can be made on page 9 & 10*

## REFERENCES

List the following information of all individuals who will provide a reference or recommendation for your nominee. References or recommendations should be attached to the nomination packet sent to the Hall of Fame Secretary or council member.

**1.** Endorser's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**2.** Endorser's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**3.** Endorser's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**4.** Endorser's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_

**5.** Endorser's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone (     ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email address \_\_\_\_\_





