



# Kimberly Softball Organization

Newsletter – June 2022

## PITCHING OPPORTUNITES



If your daughter is interested in pitching, is a beginner or has years of experience, pitching lessons are incredibly valuable. KSO is excited to have the opportunity for our pitchers to work with two experienced pitching coaches this summer.

### Maddie Fink - current college pitcher

For the second year now Maddie Fink is offering pitching lessons during the weekdays at Memorial Park in Combined Locks. Last Summer Maddie worked with a handful of Kimberly youth pitchers from 10U & 12U and we are very excited to have the opportunity for her to share her knowledge and experience with the young pitchers again this summer. Cost per lesson - \$20/30 minutes

[Click here to schedule a lesson with Maddie and view her weekly schedule.](#)

### Coach Kari Bern - former college pitcher and pitching coach

Coach Kari has been working with our 10U and 12U pitchers for the last month on Thursday evenings. If your daughter is interested in more one on one training with Coach Kari please email her at [karilynn.bern@gmail.com](mailto:karilynn.bern@gmail.com) to schedule a lesson.

*“My daughter has done pitching lessons with both Kari and Maddie over the past year and half and her growth and development have been incredible to see. When she started working with Kari she had never pitched before. Having these young pitching coaches, that my daughter can relate to and learn from has been an awesome experience.”*

*-Angie, 10U Red Parent*

Please note, you must supply your own catcher for pitching lessons.

These lessons are at cost of the family, not KSO.



## SAVE THE DATES!

**JULY 27-28, 2022**

### KSO 2023 Player Assessments

It's hard to believe, but details around the 2023 KSO season will be shared next month.

To prepare, we will be hosting 2023 KSO player assessments on July 27-28 for 10U, 12U and 14U

(Note: Assessments for 8U will be held this winter/spring.)

10U – July 27, 5:00-6:30 PM

12U – July 27, 6:30-8:00 PM

14U – July 28, 5:00-6:30 PM

**AUGUST 28, 2022**

### End of Season Party & Fundraiser

Please save the date for our first annual end of season party and fundraiser. Additional details to come next month.

## SEARCHING FOR KSO COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT



The KSO mission begins with the desire to develop young ladies into great softball players and *individuals through teamwork, consistent improvement, and hard work.* To support our mission, the KSO board would like to provide student-athletes with hands-on community service

experiences to build team camaraderie, spend time working toward a common goal outside of the sport of softball, and give back to those who are in need. These projects allow the student-athletes to interact with their coaches, parents, and teammates in a different environment than they are used to and gain a sense of achievement as a group.

We are currently seeking ideas and input for community service experiences and encourage anyone with ideas to email, [cardinalyouthsoftball@gmail.com](mailto:cardinalyouthsoftball@gmail.com).

## ▶▶▶ FOLLOW KSO ON FACEBOOK & INSTAGRAM! ◀◀◀

KSO has created a Facebook page and Instagram profile to promote our teams, players, and events, and encourage all KSO families to join! Followers can view, engage in, and post content – team photos, action shots, and/or video highlights of recent games, practices or KSO events. Our goal is to raise awareness of its accomplishments on and off the field and further strengthen our KSO community.

Search for Kimberly Softball Organization on Facebook and KSO\_CYSKimberly on Instagram OR use the QR codes here.

Note: These channels are reserved for sharing positive KSO news, and KSO will not tolerate the use of social media as a tool to make derogatory comments about our players, or other players, teams, or clubs.



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