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Indiana District 14 Little League Baseball
2026 Senior Softball State Tournament
Hosted by
Osolo Little League

Welcome District Champions!!

Congratulations on winning your District Championship and representing your Local League & District by advancing to the Senior Softball Indiana State Tournament. The Staff of Indiana District 14, along with the Board and Volunteers at Osolo Little League, welcome you and wish you the best of luck in the following days of this tournament.

We hope you look forward to playing softball, competing in games, creating life-lasting memories all while striving to be the final team standing as State Champion.

Attached you will find important information regarding the Tournament including the following:

- Game schedule in tournament format
- Listing of convenient lodging within Elkhart and surrounding communities
- Address for Osolo Little League Fields
- Pertinent information for team manager – Time sensitive material requests
- Roster/Team Submission Form for tournament program and scorekeeping use

Thursday July 09, 7:30 PM Virtual Managers Meeting via MS Teams. This is a mandatory meeting. Tournament rules & guidelines overview along with coin tosses will be discussed. The Manager or a Coach from each team must be in attendance. **A scanned copy of the affidavit and supporting documents must be sent to bishop.da14@gmail.com for review before the manager's meeting.**

Friday July 10, 9:00 AM Osolo Little League Complex: Team affidavits are due at this time, coin tosses for the initial three games of the tournament will be held, Tournament Rules and Guidelines covered. Miss a little, miss a lot!

All game times below are Local/Eastern Time:

Friday July 10	Opening Ceremony 10:30 am Scheduled Games @ 12:30 PM, 3:00 PM
Saturday July 11	Scheduled Games @ 10:00 AM, 12:30 PM, 3:00 PM, 5:00 pm Team Picnic
Sunday July 12	Scheduled Games @ 09:00 AM, 12:00 PM (Championship)

A few simple rules for Osolo Little League Complex:

Respectfully request no outside food, grills, or coolers, with the exception of team dugout refreshments; There is a fully stocked concession stand on site for your convenience.

No dogs/pets, NO alcohol and NO Tobacco Products/vaping allowed on Osolo Little League complex.

NO stereos/boom boxes/music allowed in complex during warm-ups or for team "walk-up" music.

Please respect Osolo Little League property and ALL tournament volunteers.

Please do not hesitate to contact me or tournament directors with any questions, issues or concerns before arriving. Upon arrival, please feel free to approach me or any of the friendly Osolo /District 14 Little League Staff; we will make every effort to assist you. We look forward to hosting you for this wonderful tournament experience. Safe travels!!

Warmest regards, Bishop Christensen – Indiana District 14 Administrator

Team Manager of District Champion!!

Please provide the following information by email as soon as possible after your championship game. Do NOT send via text, it will not be accepted. No google clouds or one drive access: attachments only. All of this information can be found at <https://district14ll.com/state/> including an editable pdf for the roster information. Please share this address with your team and families.

1. Roster Information: (Please *legibly* use attached form – sent as an email attachment)
 - a. First and Last Names of Players, Coaches, League President and District Administrator
 - b. Include Uniform Number and League Age of Each Player
 - c. Team Colors and League Location (Town/City)
2. Contact Information for *Managers and Coaches*
 - d. Cell Phone Number – important for updated Tournament information
 - e. Email Address

Please send the above information ASAP to:

Bishop.da14@gmail.com

Bishop Christensen

Items of importance to produce

Make sure to bring your Team Affidavit/Eligibility documentation with proof of residency, boundary map and medical release forms. Please also provide any applicable II(D) or IV(H) forms, and any additional Little League provided waivers/documentation.

It is customary to trade/exchange pins during the announcement of players before each game. Please try to bring an adequate number with you. Six opposing teams, max potential 16 players & three Coaches, recommend 150-200 total pins per team (Umpires and Staff usually have pins to trade as well)

Appropriate attire for Managers/Coaches shall be long pants or shorts and shirts with sleeves. Tee Shirts are permitted if they are TEAM associated. NO short-shorts, cut off shorts or shirts, tank tops or sleeveless shirts. Open toe/heel shoes (sandals/flip flops/crocs) are not allowed. Spikes/Cleats NOT to be worn by Managers/Coaches; will not be allowed.

TEAM INFORMATION SHEET SENIOR SOFTBALL STATE TOURNAMENT

Please send this information in as soon as possible. Thank You

District: _____ District Administrator: _____

League President: _____

Team/League Name: _____ City: _____

Manager: _____ Phone: _____ Team Colors: _____

Coaches: _____ Phone: _____

_____ Phone: _____

<u>Players Name</u> Please Print	<u>Uniform Number</u>	<u>Age</u>
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For Information contact: Jane Culp: 574-596-6486 or Email: Paperplus@aol.com

Letter to the Managers, Coaches, Players and Families

As we all gather to celebrate the achievements of our players, volunteers, and community, I would like to focus on the virtues of Little League and its mission to use the power of youth Baseball and Softball to teach life lessons that build stronger individuals and communities.

We prioritize inclusion as the intentional part of our culture, which is created when we provide equitable opportunities, access, and respect for individual differences and perspectives. Little League is committed to ensuring every player, coach, parent, and volunteer feels welcome and included, whether at their local league or at the World Series. No matter what corner of the world you're from, you have a part in writing the next chapter of the Little League story, so make it one to remember.

We believe that teamwork is the shared efforts of individuals, characterized by trust, commitment, and communication, in pursuit of common goals. As a community-based organization, every Little League program may look or feel unique in its own way, but no matter what field you play on, all of us are unified by one common identity. Together, we are all One Team. One Little League., and it's our responsibility to stress teamwork and the importance of dreaming big and doing our best, together.

We act with respect, honesty, and integrity in all that we do. Whether you are a player, parent, or volunteer, we all play an integral role in making the Little League experience memorable, especially when moments are tough. We are all role models, no matter our age or experience, so it's our time to step up to the plate and be the version of you that you would look up to.

We are committed to the development and growth of community within Little League.® Born in Williamsport, Pennsylvania, in 1939, and alive today in communities all around the world, the Little League program has grown into the world's largest youth sports organization with a story spanning across generations of families. But our story is far from over, and it's up to each of us to not only add our own chapters but to share the amazing stories of those who came before us.

We cultivate fun by creating an environment characterized by enjoyable, memorable, and safe experiences, which result in a sense of belonging and individual growth. The story of Little League® began nearly a century ago. And it's up to us to write the latest installment in an epic series, every time we play. We all share the story of Little League, and when we add to it, when we make it our own, we make it even better. Because we know this: the greatest stories aren't open and shut. The greatest tales ever told aren't contained between two covers—they happen on this field. So, write your chapter. Whether it's your first, or your greatest. Create your story.

Osolo Little League
52754 County Road 9
Elkhart, IN 46514
www.osolo.org

The Tournament dates are July 10 – July 13, 2026
Hopefully one of the following hotels are within your budget

Nearby Lodging

There are approximately 10 hotels located within a mile of Osolo Little League
Such as, Holiday Inn, Hampton Inn, Staybridge Inn, Four Points Sheraton, Comfort Suites,
Hilton Garden Inn, etc.

Elkhart Campground
25608 County Road 4
Elkhart, IN 46514

ACTIVITIES HELD AT OSOLO LITTLE LEAGUE DURING TOURNAMENT

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 2026 @ 5:00 pm

COME AND ENJOY A PICNIC UNDER THE PAVILION
HOSTED BY DISTRICT 14 LL AND OSOLO LL

THE PICNIC IS OPEN TO ALL PLAYERS, MANAGERS, COACHES, PARENTS
AND SIBLINGS (basically anyone in attendance)

MENU: PIZZA, CHIPS, WATERMELON AND DRINKS

2026 Indiana State Senior Softball Championship T-Shirt

T Shirt presales will be available through the District 14 website at <https://district14ll.com/state/>

There are several colors to choose from when ordering online (Yellow, Purple and Pink)

It is encouraged to preorder to secure the size and color you want

Limited sizes and quantities will be available for purchase at the event





2026 Little League Indiana State Championship



SENIOR SOFTBALL

DIVISION OF PLAY

6 TEAM

MODIFIED ROUND ROBIN FORMAT

DISTRICT HOST	INDIANA DISTRICT 14	HOST LEAGUE	OSOLO LITTLE LEAGUE
LEAGUE ADDRESS	52754 Cr 9 Elkhart, In. 46514		
TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR	Bishop Christensen	PHONE #	574-326-6200
ASST. TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR	Woody Kollar	574-320-2662	
TEAM ARRIVAL DATE	DATE & TIME MANAGER & COACHES MEETING	Operations Dir. Jane Culp 574-596-6486	
FRIDAY JULY 10th	THURSDAY JULY 9th TEAMS MEETING 7:30 P.M.	Volunteer Dir. Dorinda Jones 574-304-9333	

POOL A - 6 TEAM QUALIFIER SEGMENT - 4 TEAMS ADVANCE

EACH TEAM PLAYS A MINIMUM OF 3 GAMES

LETTERS DESIGNATE TEAMS FROM THE DRAW LIST

A1	A	Roselawn D1	A2	C	Elkhart D14	A3	E	Southeast D14
	B	Huntington D10		D	Hessville D1		F	Artesian D12
A4	F	Artesian D12	A5	D	Hessville D1	A6	E	Southeast D14
	C	Elkhart D14		B	Huntington D10		A	Roselawn D1
A7	C	Elkhart D14	A8	E	Southeast D14	A9	A	Roselawn D1
	B	Huntington D10		D	Hessville D1		F	Artesian D12

GM	DAY	DATE	TIME	SITE OR LOCATION
A1	FRI	7/10	12:30 PM	OSOLO D-1
A2	FRI	7/10	12:30PM	OSOLO D-2
A3	FRI	7/10	3:00PM	OSOLO D-1
A4	SAT	7/11	10:00AM	OSOLO D-2
A5	SAT	7/11	10:00AM	OSOLO D-1
A6	SAT	7/11	12:30PM	OSOLO D-1
A7	SAT	7/11	12:30PM	OSOLO D-2
A8	SAT	7/11	3:00PM	OSOLO D-1
A9	SAT	7/11	3:00PM	OSOLO D-2

Note: Coin toss before each game determines HOME team.

SEE RULE BOOK FOR TIE-BREAKER RULES

CHAMPIONSHIP SEGMENT - SINGLE ELIMINATION

F1	POOL A #4	F2	POOL A #3	F3	CHAMPIONSHIP WINNER F1
	POOL A #1		POOL A #2		CHAMPIONSHIP WINNER F2

GM	DAY	DATE	TIME	SITE OR LOCATION
F1	SUN	7/12	9:00AM	OSOLO D-1
F2	SUN	7/12	9:00AM	OSOLO D-1
CHAMPIONSHIP GAME				
F3	SUN	7/12	12:00PM	OSOLO D-1

Note: Coin toss before each game determines HOME team.

Note: A team is eliminated with one loss in this segment.

WINNER IS STATE CHAMPION

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