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Tennessee District 10
J.O Commissioner

Coaches and Parents:

Thanks for coming to Warner Park this weekend for the Tennessee ASA March Madness, the second ASA tourney for the 2010 softball season. Attached are tournament rules for Tennessee ASA District 10 Tournaments. Also, below are directions to Warner Park and hotel information for downtown hotels and other accommodations within 15 to 20 minutes of Warner Park. We are very proud of Warner Park and the surrounding facilities and hope you enjoy your weekend.

If you have younger children, the Warner Park Zoo is located next to the softball complex. There is also a carousel ride in the park. Just 1 mile away along the Tennessee River in downtown Chattanooga is the Tennessee Aquarium, an IMAX Theatre, a brand new movie theatre, plenty of restaurants and a beautiful riverfront park known as Coolidge Park. There is also plenty of shopping on Chattanooga's Northshore or at Hamilton Place Mall. Just 3 miles south of Warner Park is Lookout Mountain.

Please forward this to your parents and ask them to keep in mind that Warner Park is a downtown park. Do not leave valuables such as computers, ipods, purses, etc. in your car while at the games. There is a park security officer at the park but there are numerous parking lots.

Parking: The largest amount of parking is on the 3rd Street side of Warner Park and there is also a new parking lot behind the right field fence of Frost Stadium and beside Frost Stadium on the McCallie Avenue side of Warner Park. The largest number of handicapped accessible spaces are located on the 3rd Street side.

Directions to Warner Park:

Warner Park is located at the intersection of Holtzclaw Avenue and 3rd Street and the physical address is 1254 East 3rd Street, Chattanooga, TN 37404.

Coming from Knoxville or N. Georgia: Take I-75 to I-24 West Nashville/Chattanooga. Exit at Germantown/Belvoir which is the second exit after you pass the I-75/I- 24 split. Go ½ mile to Belvoir Avenue and turn right. Go ½ mile to Brainerd Road and turn left at light. Go about 1-2 miles and pass through the Brainerd Tunnel and road becomes McCallie Avenue, stay to your right and the road will veer off to your right. Go 1 -2 miles and Warner Park will be at the corner of McCallie Avenue and Holtzclaw Avenue. To enter at the 3rd Street entrance, turn right at Holtzclaw Avenue and then left at 3rd Street. Park entrance will be on your left.

Coming from Nashville: Take I-24 East to Hwy 27/Downtown Chattanooga. Go about 1 mile on Hwy 27 and Exit at 4th Street Exit. Stay on 4th Street for about 8 city blocks and pass the UTC McKenzie Arena. Just after you pass the Arena stay to your right where road splits and enter onto 3rd Street. Go about 1 mile passing Erlanger Hospital and you will see the 3rd Street entrance to Warner Park on your right.

Coming from Highway 27 North/Dayton/Crossville/Pikeville/Cookeville: Take Highway 27 to Chattanooga and exit at the 4th Street Exit. Stay on 4th Street for about 8 city blocks and pass the UTC McKenzie Arena. Just after you pass the Arena stay to your right where road splits and enter onto 3rd Street. Go about 1 mile passing Erlanger Hospital and you will see the 3rd Street entrance to Warner Park on your right.

Downtown Chattanooga Hotels:

Hilton Garden Inn (423)308-9000 Marriott Courtyard (423) 755-0871 Doubletree Hotel (423) 755-5150 Radisson Read House (423)266-4121 StayBridge Suites (423)267-0900

LaQuinta Inn and Suites (423)265-3131 (1.5 miles south of downtown)

Hotels located near Northgate Mall within 15 minutes of Warner Park:

Hampton Inn (423)877-3100 Comfort Inn (423)877-8388 Holiday Inn Express (423)877-6464

Hotels located near Hamilton Place Mall within 20 minutes of Warner Park: All major hotel chains including Hampton Inn, Comfort Inn & Suites, Wingate Inn. Hilton Garden Inn, Fairfield Inn, Country Inn & Suites.

For rain out information, please call my cell phone at (423)987-4402 or Doug's cell phone at (423)227-8784 or check the website at www.chattanoogaasa.com.

Look forward to seeing all of you and your teams at Warner Park this weekend.

THANKS FOR PLAYING ASA,

Kim Swafford Chattanooga ASA J.O. Commissioner