



## **NATIONAL UMPIRE SCHOOL AGREEMENT**

The following agreement is an acceptance of the responsibilities for hosting a National Umpire School by the School Coordinator/Host/UIC, Regional Umpire-in-Chief, USA Softball Local Association Commissioner and the USA Softball National Office. Attached is a list of those responsibilities for the Host / USA Softball Local Association and the USA Softball National Office. Included is a proposed budget listing the items you should take into consideration when hosting a school. Included in the listing is the fee for the USA Softball National Office. The fee of \$5.00 per student attending the school is due to the National Office upon completion of the National Umpire School.

Instructors for the school will be assigned by the USA Softball National Director of Umpires with input from the Host / Regional Umpire-in-Chief / USA Softball Local Association and the Deputy Director of Umpire Staff. All weekend schools will have a minimum of four (4) Instructors initially assigned. Instructor cost to the Host Association will be determined by the number of students registered. Cost would be as follows:

- 1 – 89 Students: Minimum of \$900.00 – Maximum of \$1200.00.
- 90 – 115 Students: Minimum of \$1200.00 – Maximum of \$1500.00.
- 116 – 125 Students: \$1500.00.
- Note: When the student registration reaches 101, a fifth instructor is automatically added. No school will exceed a maximum of 125 registered students

The Regional Umpire-in-Chief may be assigned to schools hosted in their region. The host must supply a payment method to Journey House Travel for those instructors needing to book airline tickets.

In accepting this agreement, the Local Association agrees to hold the school under the outline provided by the USA Softball National Office and designed by the National Umpire School Committee. The agenda can and will be adjusted to fit specific schools, locations, weather, number of students and attending umpire needs.

In signing below the School Coordinator/Host/UIC, Regional Umpire-in-Chief, USA Softball Local Association Commissioner and the USA Softball National Office agree to host the National Umpire School under the guidelines of this agreement and the attachments. All four signatures listed below are required.

**Due to the National Director of Umpires by June 1<sup>st</sup> of the preceding year.**

USA SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION COMMISSIONER: \_\_\_\_\_

SCHOOL COORDINATOR Name: \_\_\_\_\_

REGIONAL UIC: \_\_\_\_\_

USA SOFTBALL NATIONAL OFFICE APPROVAL: \_\_\_\_\_

**REV 3/30/2020**