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# GvLL Softball Pool / Call-Up Players Guide

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## **Purpose**

To assist coaches to have enough players to field a team for games and to eliminate the need for rescheduled events as our field availability is extremely low. Pool Players are only to be used if you will have less than 9 players available. A team can play with 8 players if needed.

## **Scope**

This guide defines the divisions that use pool players, how to become a pool player and the procedure to request and use a pool player.

## **Responsible**

Manager, Coach, Division Director and the Girls Player Agent (PA).

## **1) What Divisions can use Pool / Call up Players?**

- Juniors , Majors, AAA and AA

## **2) How do you become a pool player?**

- You must be on the roster for a GvLL team.
- Let your coach know that you are interested in becoming a pool player.
- Your coach will notify the division director, who in turn will let the Player Agent know.

## **3) How do you request a pool player?**

- When Manager or Coach first learns they need a player, email or let your division director know.
- The division director will contact the player agent who will coordinate the assignment and confirm the player.
  - This process may take up to 3 days.
- You cannot request a particular player.
- **You cannot recruit players to play for your team. Only the PA can assign players not on your active roster.**

## **4) Rules for use of a pool player.**

- A pool player cannot pitch.

## **5) How many pool players can a coach request?**

- Up to 4 players.
- More than 4 players – contact your division director to have your game rescheduled.

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