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Olympics**
Illinois

TO: State Softball Coaches
FROM: Nate Henry
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Congratulations and welcome to the State Softball Tournament. The competition will be held on Saturday, September 10 at Land of Lincoln Sports Complex:
(<https://uispraiestars.com/facilities/land-of-lincoln-softball-complex/8>)

Directions to the event can be found here:
<https://www.leaguelineup.com/miscinfo.asp?menuid=39&url=loljos>

Now available on the SOILL website at: <https://www.soill.org/blog/events/state-softball-championships/> is the event handbook and an agency list of athletes and their events. A tentative schedule for the weekend is located on page 2 of the event handbook. **Final event divisions and sports schedules will be sent after the scratch deadline (August 26rd).**

Please look over your agency's list of athletes and the events that they will be competing in and contact Nate Henry at nhenry@soill.org if there are corrections to be made. Changes to the athlete's events **must be made prior to Thursday, August 25, 2022. Changes will not be made after this date and will not be made at the competition.**

All competitions (Skills and Team Play) will be on Saturday, September 10th. Registration for the event will start at 8:30 a.m. The Opening Ceremony will begin at 9:00 a.m. at the Land of Lincoln Sports Complex.

State Softball Tournament specific items and items you want customized are available by pre-order only. A limited supply of general Special Olympics Illinois merchandise will be sold on-site, Saturday 9am – 2pm. Pre-order deadline is September 5. Use this link to connect to State Softball Tournament merchandise options:

https://orders.minervapromotions.com/soill_state_softball_tournament/shop/home

If you have any questions, please call Nate Henry at 309-888-2574.

Good luck at the Tournament!