

HRYS Summer Glory Softball

All Stars/Travel

Herndon Reston Youth Softball



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(An HRYS All-Stars/Travel Babe Ruth Softball Program)

*The HRYS 16U Summer Glory team was the
2009 Babe Ruth 16U Virginia State Runner-Up Champion
and advanced to the South East Regional competition in Andalusia, AL.*

Each spring HRYS House League players try out for our Summer Glory All-Star/Travel teams at the 10U, 12U, 14U, & 16U levels and represent the HRYS organization at the annual Babe Ruth Softball Tournament Trail and the Mid-Atlantic Area Softball Tournaments during the summer and fall softball seasons. This program does not lose sight of the primary emphasis of Babe Ruth Softball which is on the local league season which educates, develops skills, ensures competitive participation for players at all levels of athletic ability, and ensures that players have FUN. Participation in the Summer Glory program requires additional commitment on the part of the coaches, players, and parents.

Our motto is:

“If you want to go for the Glory, you have got to come from our house.”

Each player who plays for HRYS Summer Glory comes from, and continues to play in, our HRYS House League organization. Selection for the Summer Glory team is based upon recommendations from the House League team coaches and a player try-out in April. The HRYS board selects the Summer Glory coaches each year. It is these coaches who will hold the try-outs and select the players who will play.

High School Softball Players: The Summer Glory program is a great fit for local area high school players. The HRYS league works with all local area high schools to support their athletic programs, strives to make sure the HRYS Summer Glory program does not conflict with the high school season, and will accommodate Varsity and Junior Varsity high school players' schedules. High school players interested in playing on a Summer Glory team should register to play HRYS House League Babe Ruth Softball. There are a couple weeks of overlap between the two seasons but that will not impact your eligibility to play in the Babe Ruth summer season. We encourage players to come when they can to House League activities, but the high school season is their first priority. During the 2009 spring season we had several high school players play high school softball and participate with their House League team and Summer Glory team and this worked out fine for their schedules.

All age levels of the Summer Glory program are part of a very competitive All-Stars/Travel program. Summer Glory teams play in 4 or 5 softball tournaments over the summer/fall season and may compete in the Fairfax County Summer Travel League.

In 2009 the HRYS Summer Glory teams played in the following tournaments.

Northern Virginia Summer Shoot Out	Winchester, VA
Fairfax County All Star House	Annandale, VA
Queen of Diamonds	Annandale, VA
Firecracker Classic	Sterling, VA
VA State Babe Ruth	Richmond, VA
South East Babe Ruth Regional	Andalusia, AL
East Coast Championship	Chesapeake, VA
Winfield Classic	Sykesville, MD
Mid Atlantic Rec Open	Olney, MD
Halloween Classic	Sterling, VA

Participation in the Summer Glory program requires additional commitments on the part of the coaches, players, and parents. There will be extra practices beyond the House League team commitment. Players and parents need to make sure that their time management skills are sharpened to ensure that they can successfully participate in the Summer Glory program.

There is a financial requirement of approximately \$200 for the summer season and \$125 for the fall season - plus any associated travel costs.

To be eligible to play HRYS Summer Glory, register for HRYS Softball at HRYSfastpitch.com/register

For any questions regarding this exciting program for Herndon Reston Youth Softball, please send an email to SummerGlory@HRYSfastpitch.com

