

2025

Section 1 Tournament
Little League Girls Softball
Major League Division



Tuesday July 1, 2025 – Friday July 4, 2025

St. Marys Little League Softball
St. Marys, PA
PA Section 1
PA District 10

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Dear District Champions:

Congratulations to managers, coaches, and players on winning your District Championships. District 10 and St. Marys Little League look forward to hosting all of you in the 2025 Section 1 Major Division Girls Softball Tournament. St. Marys Little League is in St. Marys, PA. All games will be played at our Benzinger Park Complex located on Fleming Road. Our staff has prepared the attached information as a guide for the tournament. Please read it carefully and contact me with any questions you may have.

We look forward to hosting this year's tournament and making it fun and exciting for everyone. St. Marys Little League and tournament staff welcome you and wish you the best of luck!

Sincerely,

Chris Adamson

Chris Adamson, President
St. Marys Little League
724-422-7737
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General Information

If you have any questions throughout the tournament, please call **Liz Thorwart (814-594-6210)** for assistance.

General Information, Tournament Schedule, Tournament Rules and Guidelines- Before being permitted to compete, all teams must first submit all documentation (properly completed affidavit, documentation map, residency documentation and any necessary waivers) to the Tournament Staff for review and approval. Please see your District Administrator immediately if you are unclear on any matter relating to the required documentation. St. Marys Little League and District 10 believe strongly that all games are to be decided on the field by the players according to the Little League Official Regulations and Playing Rules. Rule XIV(a) – Field Decorum will be strictly enforced: (a) The actions of players, manager, coaches, umpires and league officials must be above reproach. Any player, manager, coach, umpire or league representative who is involved in a verbal or physical altercation, or an incident of unsportsmanlike conduct at the game site or any other Little League activity is subject to disciplinary action by the Local League Board of Directors (or by the District, if the Big League is administered as a district operation) Any unsportsmanlike action by players, managers, coaches or fans intended to disrupt the play of any player, especially the pitcher, will be dealt with immediately. St. Marys Little League and District 10 expect the manager and coaches to control their fans. We are looking forward to watching some outstanding games and anticipate an enjoyable and rewarding tournament experience for all. Thank you and welcome to St. Marys Little League.

Tournament Contacts

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Team Arrival Times

1. Managers and coaches should arrive at Benzinger Park on Tuesday, July 1 at least 90 minutes prior to game time for check-in.
2. Equipment will be checked by the umpires prior to the start of each game.
3. The team listed on the top of the bracket will be located in the 3rd base dugout. The team on the bottom of the bracket will be located in the 1st base dugout.
4. The 3rd base dugout team warm ups will be 45 minutes prior to game start. Warm-ups will be approximately 15 min in length.
5. The 1st base dugout team warmups will follow the previous team warm-up. Warm-ups will be approximately 15 min in length.
6. National anthem, little league pledge and starting lineups will be done 10 minutes prior to game start.
7. First pitch for Game 1 will be 4:00 pm on Tuesday, July 1.

Food / Concessions

1. There will be a concession stand available for all patrons throughout the duration of the tournament.
2. St. Marys Little League will provide food for all players after each game.

Tournament Rules

- The Section 1 Tournament will be a Double-Elimination Tournament.
- Playing rules will be per Little League League Softball Tournament Rules. All rules will be strictly enforced by the Tournament Staff and Umpires.
- All Teams will submit their eligibility affidavits to the Tournament Director prior to the start of the Tournament. These affidavits must be verified and signed.
- The Tournament Director and Staff reserve the right to change game dates and times due to inclement weather.
- The home team for each game will be determined by the toss of a coin.
- The 3rd base dugout team for each game will have 15 minutes of fielding practice 45 minutes prior to the start time of the game. The 1st base dugout team for each game will have 15 minutes of fielding practice 30 minutes prior to the start time of the game. These times may be shortened to stay with the scheduled game times.
- All games will be played on Field 2. Other fields at the park will be available for warm-up use throughout the tournament.
- The batting cage next to Field 2 will also be available for use throughout the tournament. Please be mindful of all teams and share the space. Limit use of the cage to 30 minutes.
- The Team Manager is responsible for uniforms and equipment and all players must be in uniform with the Little League approved patch.
- Players, Managers and Coaches that become involved in any misconduct, on or off the field, or at their lodging, may be dismissed from the Tournament. The activity and person will be reported to Little League Headquarters Tournament Committee, the parent League's District Administrator, and the League President.
- Only Managers, Coaches and Players listed on the official Tournament Eligibility Affidavit are permitted in the dugout or playing field. Under no circumstances will Coaching (or assistance to Coaches) be permitted from anyone outside of the dugout area during games.
- Game balls will be supplied by the Host District.
- Both teams will line up as directed by the Game Manager when introduced and remain there for the National Anthem and Little League Pledge.

- ## Tournament Bracket

Little League
Official District
Pennsylvania 10
Major Softball
Section 1 Tournament
Hosted by St. Marys Little League

Dist 1 - Titusville

Jul 1 4 pm

Dist 3 - FLAG

Dist 25 - Clarion Jul 2 6 pm (3)

Jul 1 6 pm (2)

Dist 10 - St. Marys Jul 3 6 pm

(6)

L3

L1

Jul 3 4 pm (5)

L2

Jul 2 4 pm (4)

Jul 4 4 pm
If Necessary

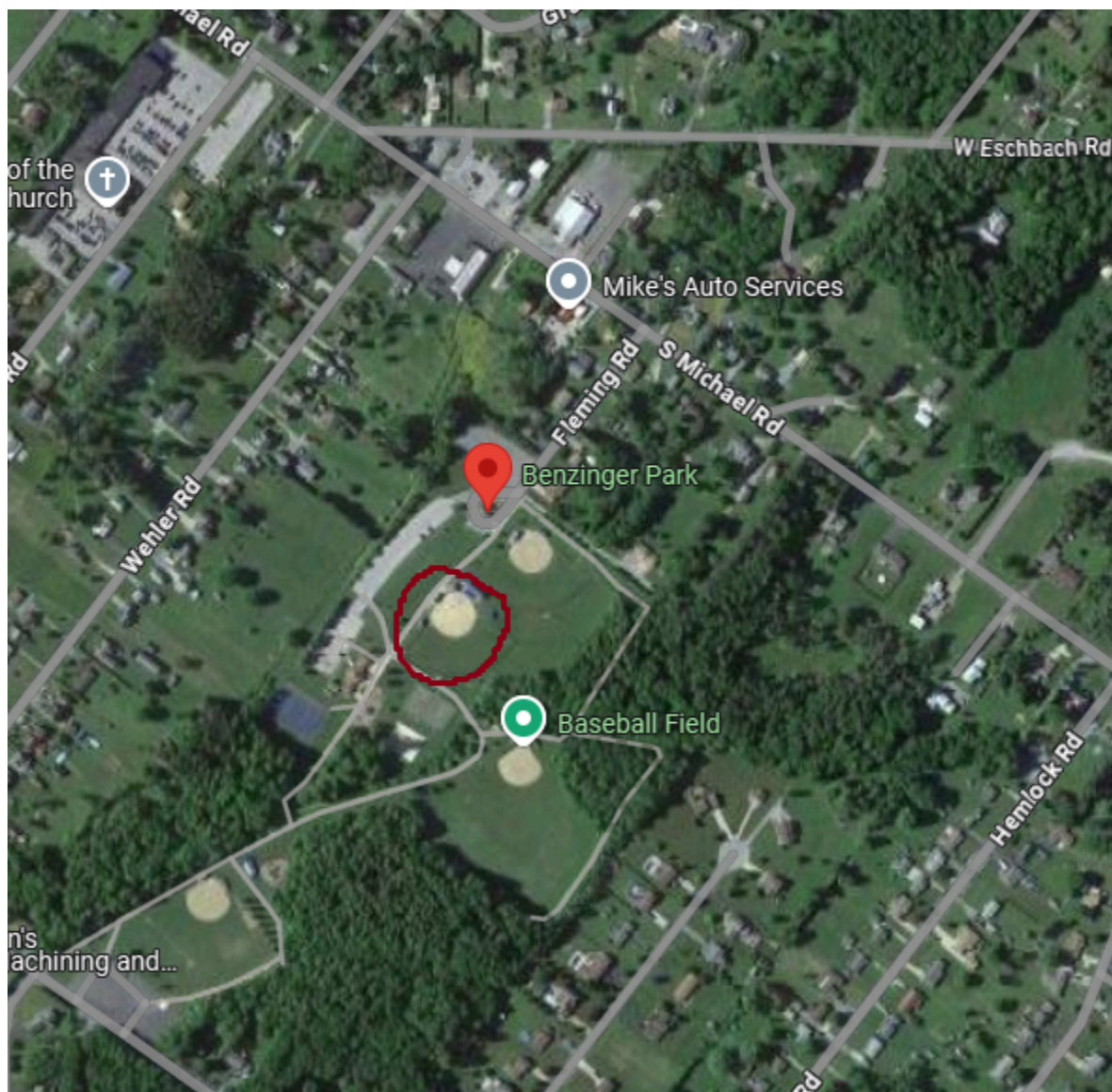
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States
 July 9-13
 Nanticoke LL
 District 16

L6 If First Loss

Dist 1	Titusville
Dist 3	FLAG
Dist 10	St. Marys
Dist 25	Clarion

All games will be played on Field 2



Local Lodging

Best Western

Hotel

1002 Earth Road,
St. Marys PA 15857
814-834-0000 [View website](#)

Cozy Afghan Bed & Breakfast

Bed & Breakfast

152 Center Street,
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-834-2699 [View website](#)

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

Hotel

195 Comfort Lane,
St. Marys PA 15857
814-834-2030 [View website](#)

Cobblestone Inn & Suites

Hotel

328 Depot Street,
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-245-2020 <https://www.staycobblestone.com/pa/st-marys/>

Wapiti Woods

Cabin Rentals

5186 River Rd., SR 555,
Weedville, PA 15868
814-787-7525 [View website](#)

There are also beautiful cabin and home rentals throughout Elk County, listed through Airbnb.

Local Restaurants

<https://stmaryschamber.org/area-information/food-drink-lodging/#restaurants>

Areas of Interest

Beimel Softball -315 Bruxelles St., St. Marys	Phone:814-603-1484
Apollo Theatre of St. Marys- 19 North Michael Street	Phone:814-834-7434
Jireh Lanes (Bowling)- 103 Sheeley Road, Kersey	Phone:814-885-8017
Historical Society of St. Marys & Benzinger Township	Phone:814-834-6525
Elk Country Visitor Center	Phone: 814-787-5167
St Marys Disc Golf Assn. - St Marys Area High School	

Additional information on the area can be found on the St. Mary's Chamber of Commerce website at <http://www.stmaryschamber.org/site/>

ZERO TOLERANCE

PA District 10 always promotes good sportsmanship and all levels of play. Throughout this Tournament, any conduct that is meant to demean or incite opposing teams, spectators or officials will not be tolerated. All verbal comments must be positive and encouraging. Any offenders, if spectators, will be removed from the complex for the remainder of the Tournament. Coaches or players ejected from a game, per Little League Rules, will not be permitted to participate in the next scheduled game. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Medical Facilities

Penn Highlands Elk
763 Johnsonburg Road
St. Marys, PA 15857
814-788-8000

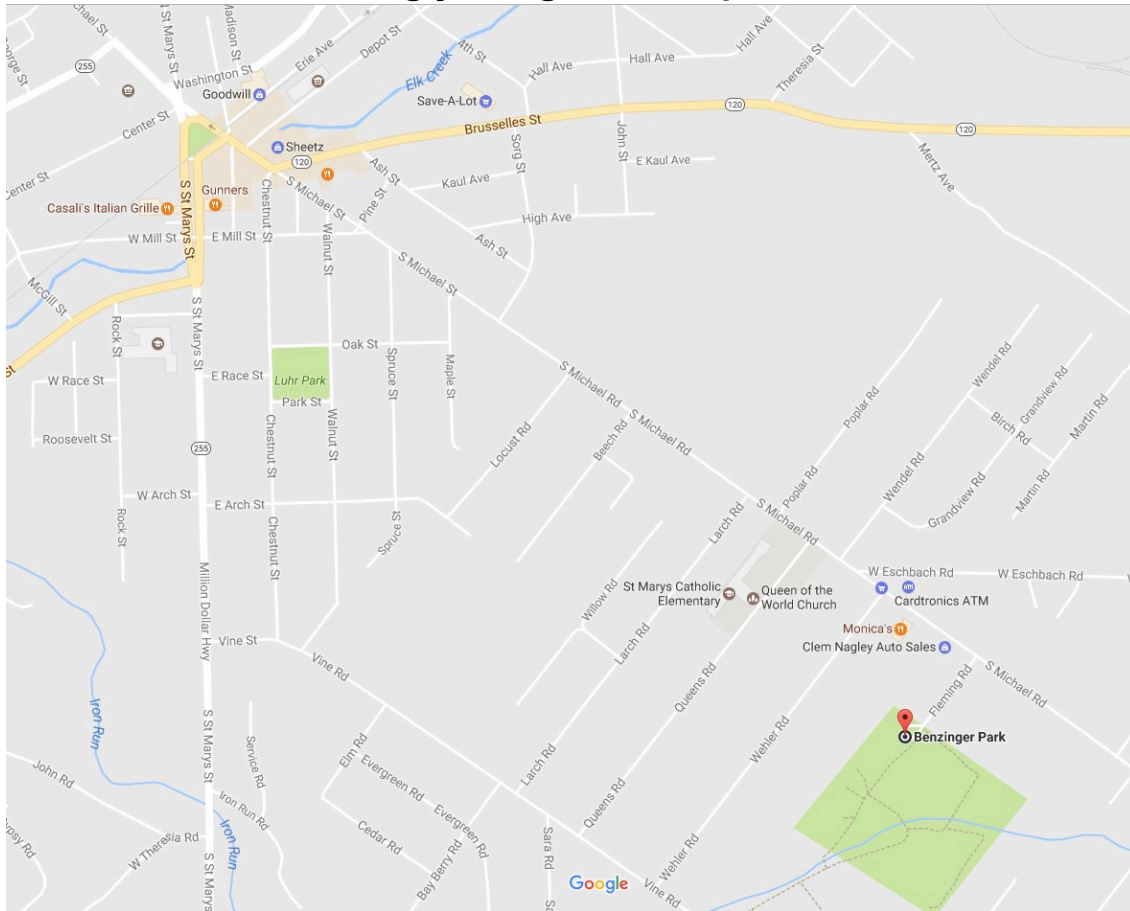
Penn Highland DuBois
100 Hospital Drive
DuBois, PA 15801
814-371-2200

Emergency Assistance

9-1-1

St. Marys City Police	814-781-1315
Crystal VFD	814-781-1717
St. Marys Ambulance	814-781-1571

Directions to St. Marys Little League at Benzinger Park
Benzinger Park and/or Fleming Rd. entered into Phone or GPS will
bring you right to our park!



Additional Parking at Benzinger Park

Please see the picture below.

