

GSTC Eligibility Regulations – 2017 Season

- All teams must be from a recognized bona fide baseball association or accepted school program to participate. The MYAS Baseball Board of Advisors reserves the right to review and rule on the eligibility of any team. No “Major/Club” teams will knowingly be allowed to participate. The MYAS organization and team classification guidelines are available to view at www.myas.org.
- Any non-Minnesota team that does not participate in the Gopher State Baseball League or the Metro Baseball League during the 2017 season must play at the AAA level. No petitions to play lower than the AAA level will be reviewed.
- Any Minnesota team that does not participate in the Gopher State Baseball League or the Metro Baseball League during the 2017 season must participate at the AAA level, unless approved to play at AA or A by the Gopher State Baseball Board of Advisors (see below for petition information). **Exception:** If your Association already provides a recognized AAA team at your age level you may be approved to play at AA or A.
- All teams will be subject to review by the Gopher State Baseball Board of Advisors prior to final acceptance in the tournament. The Gopher State Baseball Board of Advisors reserves the right to deny entry to the GSTC if they rule a team is playing at the incorrect classification level.
- 9U teams may participate at the 10AAA or 10AA level in the GSTC, and/or the 9U Open tournament in July should they qualify. 9U teams will not be allowed to play in the 10A GSTC.
- These policies are in effect for all levels of play (AAA, AA, A) in the GSTC.

Teams that are eligible to petition to play at the AA or A level may do so, but must petition prior to participating in a GSTC qualifying event in 2017. No petitions will be reviewed after June 1, 2017. It is the responsibility of the team and/or the Association to ensure all teams have been accepted in the classification in which they wish to participate for 2017.

Eligibility rulings from the Gopher State Baseball Board of Advisors are final and are in effect for the entire 2017 season.

