



**FEBRUARY 28 - MARCH 1, 2014**

**MARCH 2ND  
RAIN DATE**

ALL TIME PARTICIPANTS  
Albright College (PA)  
Allegheny College (PA)  
Arcadia University (PA)  
Atlantic Christian College (NC)  
Averett University (VA)  
Barton College (NC)  
Bates College (ME)  
Bethany College (WV)  
Bloomfield College (NJ)  
Bridgewater College (VA)  
Cabrin College (PA)  
Caldwell College (NJ)  
Canisius University (NY)  
Catholic University (D.C.)  
Chowan College (NC)  
Christopher Newport University (VA)  
College of New Jersey (NJ)  
College of Staten Island (NY)  
Colorado College (CO)  
CUNY Baruch (NY)  
C.W. Post University (NY)  
Davis and Elkins College (WV)  
D'Youville College (NY)  
Eastern Mennonite University (VA)  
Emory University (GA)  
Emory and Henry College (VA)  
Ferrum College (VA)  
Franklin and Marshall College (PA)  
Frostburg State University (MD)  
Gallaudet University (D.C.)

Keystone College (PA)  
Lebanon Valley College (PA)  
Louisiana College (LA)  
Lycoming College (PA)  
Lynchburg College (VA)  
Maine-Farmington University (ME)  
Mansfield University (PA)  
Marywood College (PA)  
McDaniel College (MD)  
Meredith College (NC)  
Messiah College (PA)  
Methodist University (NC)  
Moravian College (PA)  
Mount Saint Vincent (NY)  
Neumann College (PA)  
University of Rochester  
University of Virginia at Wise  
Virginia Interment College  
Virginia State University  
Virginia Union University  
Virginia Wesleyan College  
Washington College  
Wilkes University  
William Paterson College (NJ)  
York College (NY)  
York College (PA)

Gettysburg College (PA)  
Georgia Court College (NJ)  
Glassboro State University (DE)  
Goldey-Beacom College (DE)  
Greensboro College (NC)  
Guilford College (NC)  
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North Carolina Wesleyan College (NC)  
Oneota State University (NY)  
Pace College (NY)  
Palm Beach Atlantic University (FL)  
Peace College (NC)  
Plattsburgh State University (NY)  
Polytechnic Institute of NYU (NY)  
Randolph College (VA)  
Randolph Macon College (VA)  
Richard Stockton College (NJ)  
Roanoke College (VA)  
Rochester University (NY)  
Rutgers University-Camden (NJ)  
Rowan University (NJ)  
Rutgers University-Newark (NJ)  
Salisbury University (MD)  
Shenandoah University (VA)  
Southern Virginia College (VA)  
Spalding University (KY)  
Stevenson University (MD)  
St. Andrew's College (NC)  
St. Joseph's College (ME)  
St. Joseph's College (NY)  
St. Thomas Aquinas College (NY)  
St. Thomas Aquinas College (NY)  
SUNY College at Old Westbury (NY)  
SUNY College at Oneonta (NY)  
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Susquehanna University (PA)  
United States Merchant Marine Academy (NY)  
University of North Carolina-Greensboro (NC)  
University of Mary Washington (VA)  
University of Pittsburgh at Greensburg (PA)  
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Hiram College (OH)  
Hood College (MD)  
Hunter College (NY)  
Huntington College (PA)  
John Jay College (NY)

**VIRGINIA WESLEYAN COLLEGE SOFTBALL  
ATTENTION: BRANDON ELLIOTT  
1584 WESLEYAN DRIVE  
NORFOLK, VA 23502**

Virginia Wesleyan

# BEACH BLAST

**THE NATION'S PREMIER NCAA DIII SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT**

**FEBRUARY 28<sup>TH</sup>-MARCH 1<sup>ST</sup>, 2014 (MARCH 2<sup>ND</sup> IS RAIN DATE)**

Virginia Wesleyan College once again brings the Beach Blast softball tournament to the state of the art Princess Anne Athletic Complex in Virginia Beach, VA. In its 17<sup>th</sup> year of existence, the Beach Blast continues to bring in some of the nations top teams.

**DESIGNED AND OPEN FOR NCAA DIII TEAMS ONLY**

The Beach Blast is one of the largest NCAA DIII softball tournaments and is run by an individual college team. When it comes to knowing DIII softball team's needs, there is no better place but the Beach Blast.

**THE HISTORY OF  
VWC BEACH BLAST**

Formally known as The Marlin Invitational and the Atlantic vs East, the Beach Blast has been transformed into the nation's premier NCAA DIII softball tournament over the past 16 years. Hosted by Virginia Wesleyan College, the Beach Blast is sponsored by the city of Virginia Beach and is played at the Princess Anne Athletic Complex. The Beach Blast attracts NCAA DIII softball teams from all across the country and has played host to as many as 34 teams.

**VWC BEACH BLAST  
WHAT OTHER'S HAVE TO SAY**

"This is the best early season tournament available on the East Coast. It's a great place to start your season and test your players. The field is a who's who of the NFCA's top 25."

— Charlie Dobbins, Head Coach William Peace University

"The Beach Blast tournament has always been a very strong tournament. A strong caliber of teams to start the season with at one of the best complexes in Virginia."

— Dawn Simmons, Head Coach Lynchburg College

**www.vwcbeachblast.com**



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### BEACH BLAST FIELDS

#### PRINCESS ANNE ATHLETIC COMPLEX

The Princess Anne Athletic Complex is located in the heart of Princess Anne Commons across the street from the Virginia Beach Sportsplex and Farm Bureau Live Virginia Beach Amphitheater. The complex includes eight lighted tournament-quality softball fields and a full-service concessions stand which is open during league play and tournaments.



### HOTELS

The Beach Blast makes hotel shopping easy by contracting hotels prior to your registration with the most competitive rates in the city of Virginia Beach. The 2014 Beach Blast hotels that have been contracted thus far are:



**Hampton Inn & Suites \$69**  
**Best Western Ocean Front Hotel \$74**  
**Virginia Beach Resort Hotel \$89**  
**Holiday Inn \$64**  
**Hilton Garden Inn \$75**



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\*\*\* Please visit tournament website for more detailed hotel information \*\*\*

### BEACH BLAST GENERAL INFO

- \$425
- 4 Game Guarantee (weather permitting)
- Schedule will avoid teams already on your schedule
- Hotels are contracted & rates are negotiated FOR YOU!
- NCAA Umpires for all games
- Game Balls provided for all games
- Water provided in dugouts
- Electronic Scoreboards
- Covered Spectator Seating
- Centralized Plaza with Full Concessions Stand and Restrooms

### REGISTER YOUR TEAM TODAY

All registration forms for the Beach Blast are due to the Virginia Wesleyan College Softball Program by July 1, 2013. Upon receipt of your registration a formal contract will be mailed to you. The \$425 Entry fee should be submitted with your formal contract and is due no later than August 15, 2013.

- Fill out the registration form below and return to:  
Virginia Wesleyan Softball Attention: Brandon Elliott  
1584 Wesleyan Drive, Norfolk VA 23502
- Register on-line at **WWW.VWCBEACHBLAST.COM**
- Call or e-mail Brandon Elliott at 757-455-3307 or **BELLIOTT@VWC.EDU**

### REPLY/REGISTRATION

Yes, Please send us a contract for the 2014 Beach Blast Softball Tournament

Name of College/University \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Head Softball Coach \_\_\_\_\_

Office # \_\_\_\_\_

Cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

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### ENTRY FEE

It would be much appreciated if your \$425 entry fee accompanied your contract, but in any event all entry fees are due to Virginia Wesleyan no later than August 15, 2013. Please make sure that all checks are made payable to: Virginia Wesleyan Softball

### HOTELS

Virginia Wesleyan will contract hotels to accommodate all teams, parents and fans for the 2014 Beach Blast. Teams are required to stay in a Beach Blast contracted hotel. Hotel information will be forwarded to you once your contract has been received by Virginia Wesleyan.

**NOTE: YOUR SPOT IS NOT RESERVED UNTIL YOUR CONTRACT HAS BEEN SIGNED, CHECK RECEIVED AND MAILED BACK TO VIRGINIA WESLEYAN.**