

# UMPIRE TRAINING

Each year we offer free training classes to individuals wishing to learn the skills of fastpitch softball umpiring. Upon the successful completion of the class training some or all of the participants will be offered the opportunity to umpire games within our recreational league program.

We are very pleased to announce that this year our program Umpire In Charge (UIC) is Stephen J. Schiller. Steve is the National Softball Association UIC for the State of Florida and is very well respected within the umpiring community. Through Steve a well organized and very complete training program will be initiated prior to the beginning of the recreational ball season.

## \*\*\*TRAINING CLASSES\*\*\*

The first of four training classes for potential league umpires will be held at 7:00pm Thursday (1/18/06) in the meeting room of the Lake Catherine Softball Complex. All interested participants must be 14 years of age or older. Coaches and parents are welcome to attend. The classes are free and will provide a wealth of knowledge to those interest in learning more about the rules of softball. The classes will be taught by highly respected umpire **Anthony Vocaturo** with Tournaments Unlimited, Inc.

We look forward to seeing all those interested in umpiring at the park!