

Jeff Warden

USSSA Director Activity Profile - Executive Research Summary

USSSA Classification	Total Calculated Team Entry Fees	Baseball	Softball
Area Director	\$87,400	\$87,400	\$0
Teams	Divisions	Minimum Games	Minimum Required Officials
1,468	243	2,950	5,218

Executive Overview

The Hidden Valley - Integrity of the Game USSSA Director Activity Profile identifies **Jeff Warden** as a **USSSA Area Director**. The report organizes publicly available Oklahoma USSSA activity into a standardized analytical framework covering sport, teams, divisions, minimum games, minimum required officials, seasons, municipalities, counties, facilities, and Calculated Team Entry Fees. The broader Hidden Valley Oklahoma USSSA Research Dataset (2001-2026) includes tournament and league activity.

This is a USSSA Director Activity Profile, not a revenue, income, compensation, profit, or tax report.

Tournament and League Activity

The broader Hidden Valley dataset includes both tournament play and USSSA league activity. Some league records may identify teams, divisions, start and finish dates, directors, facilities, locations, and other operational information while displaying a **\$0.00 Team Entry Fee**.

\$0.00 in Calculated Team Entry Fees does not necessarily mean \$0.00 in documented operational activity. It means the public USSSA information captured did not identify a Team Entry Fee for that record. Additional records would be needed to determine whether another fee arrangement existed. The methodology does not estimate or impute unsupported fees. This two-page Jeff Warden profile does not separately quantify tournament-versus-league activity.

Calculated Team Entry Fee Methodology

Participating Teams x Publicly Posted Team Entry Fee = Calculated Team Entry Fees. This methodology applies to applicable tournament and league records where a Team Entry Fee is publicly identified.

Calculated Team Entry Fees are analytical measurements derived from public USSSA information. They are not USSSA-reported aggregate revenue, director income, personal compensation, profit, taxable income, net proceeds, or audited financial statements. The **\$87,400** displayed here does not establish that Jeff Warden personally received \$87,400.

Page 1 - Sport and Operational Activity

Page 1 reports **\$87,400 in total Calculated Team Entry Fees**. The entire displayed calculated amount is categorized as **baseball - \$87,400**, while softball displays **\$0**. A \$0 sport total should not automatically be interpreted as proof that no operational activity existed in that sport because underlying records can display a \$0.00 Team Entry Fee.

The profile identifies **1,468 teams, 243 divisions of play, 2,950 minimum games played, and 5,218 minimum required officials**. These operational measures describe scale separately from the Calculated Team Entry Fee measurement.

Calculated Team Entry Fees by Season

Season	Calculated Team Entry Fees
2019	\$10,713
2018	\$8,865

Season	Calculated Team Entry Fees
2017	\$9,580
2016	\$2,245
2015	\$13,485
2014	\$2,712
2013	\$12,640
2012	\$10,237
2011	\$16,923

2011 at \$16,923 is the largest displayed season, representing approximately 19.4% of the \$87,400 calculated total. The next-largest displayed seasons are **2015 at \$13,485** and **2013 at \$12,640**. The profile spans nine displayed seasons from 2011 through 2019, with considerable year-to-year variation.

This chart measures Calculated Team Entry Fees by season, not necessarily all operational activity occurring during each year. \$0.00-fee league/event activity may contribute to operational measures without increasing the season-level dollar totals.

Municipality and County Concentration

Dimension	Association	Calculated Team Entry Fees
Municipality	Claremore	\$87,400
County	Rogers	\$87,400

100% of the displayed \$87,400 is associated with **Claremore** at the municipality level and **Rogers County** at the county level. These are geographic associations in the applicable USSSA records and should not be characterized as municipal or county revenue.

Facility Analysis

Facility	Calculated Team Entry Fees
Claremore Youth Baseball Sports Complex	\$87,400

The report displays **Claremore Youth Baseball Sports Complex - \$87,400** as the sole facility category. This is a **single-facility classification**: the amount represents Calculated Team Entry Fee activity associated with records identifying that facility without another facility appearing in the same facility grouping.

The facility chart does not, by itself, establish facility rental payments, revenue sharing, facility income, allocation of Team Entry Fees, distributions, net proceeds, or subsequent disposition of event funds.

Page 2 - USSSA Organizational and Financial Structure

Page 2 provides contextual organizational and payment-flow information rather than additional Jeff Warden-specific financial calculations. The infographic depicts the organizational authority flow as **USSSA National -> State Director -> Area Director -> Tournament Director -> Tournament/Event -> Teams**.

USSSA National is depicted as establishing rules, policies, and procedures and appointing State Directors. State Directors administer the program within the state, approve events, and oversee Area Directors. Area Directors are depicted as USSSA appointees/independent contractors operating within the jurisdiction defined by the State Director and ensuring compliance with USSSA requirements. Tournament Directors manage sanctioned events, while event records encompass divisions, entry fees, and teams.

Page 2 reiterates that Tournament Directors at the state level and below are classified by USSSA as Area Directors and that USSSA appointees generally operate as independent contractors rather than employees.

Applicable Online Payment Pathway

The financial-flow infographic depicts an applicable pathway as **Teams -> USSSA Online Payment System -> USSSA -> ACH Transfer -> Event/Fiscal Director -> Tournament Operations**.

The diagram states that teams may pay tournament entry fees during registration; USSSA documentation describes online event-payment processing through its platform; applicable online event payments are processed through USSSA's payment system; and USSSA documentation describes event funds being transmitted to the applicable director through ACH.

The report does **not** establish that every tournament or league payment associated with Jeff Warden necessarily followed this pathway. The diagram summarizes USSSA documentation concerning applicable online event-payment processing rather than tracing a particular Jeff Warden transaction.

Critical evidentiary limitation: Page 2 states that the subsequent disposition of event funds is not determined by the dataset unless independently documented. The infographic does not establish ownership of funds, individual compensation, tax liability, legal liability, expenses, profit, or ultimate disposition of tournament proceeds.

What the Profile Establishes - and What It Does Not

Publicly Documented Activity: Jeff Warden's displayed Area Director classification; sport, teams, divisions, seasons, municipality, county, facility, minimum games, minimum required officials, and related information shown in the profile.

Calculated Financial Activity: participating teams multiplied by publicly posted Team Entry Fees where a fee is identified, producing the displayed \$87,400 Calculated Team Entry Fee total.

\$0.00-Fee Activity: the broader methodology recognizes that documented tournament or league activity can exist where the publicly available Team Entry Fee reports \$0.00; no unsupported fee is imputed.

USSSA Organizational and Payment Documentation: Page 2 provides context concerning director classifications, independent-contractor status, organizational relationships, and applicable online payment processing.

Unknown Financial Activity: the report does not establish locally administered fees, refunds, discounts, expenses, distributions, compensation, net proceeds, tax treatment, or ultimate disposition of event funds.

The methodology does not fill evidentiary gaps with assumptions.

Director-Specific Conclusion

The profile identifies **Jeff Warden as a USSSA Area Director** associated with **\$87,400 in total Calculated Team Entry Fees**. The displayed sport breakdown is **\$87,400 baseball** and **\$0 softball**. The report identifies **1,468 teams, 243 divisions, 2,950 minimum games, and 5,218 minimum required officials**.

Calculated Team Entry Fee activity spans **2011 through 2019**, with **2011 at \$16,923** as the largest displayed season. The geographic footprint is completely concentrated in **Claremore / Rogers County**, and the facility chart identifies **Claremore Youth Baseball Sports Complex - \$87,400** as the sole facility category.

These figures do not establish that Jeff Warden personally received \$87,400, nor do they establish that Claremore, Rogers County, or Claremore Youth Baseball Sports Complex received the corresponding amount. The larger Hidden Valley project applies the same methodology across approximately 249 Oklahoma USSSA director profiles so that tournament activity, league activity, sport, Calculated Team Entry Fees, \$0.00-fee activity, facilities, geographic concentration, and operational scale can be evaluated using a

common analytical framework.

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Calculated Team Entry Fees are estimates derived by multiplying publicly reported team participation by the posted entry fee applicable to the corresponding tournament, event, or division. These amounts should not be interpreted as USSSA-reported revenue, director income, profit, taxable income, or audited financial statements. The organizational and financial-flow graphics are provided for research and explanatory purposes and should not be interpreted as establishing ownership of funds, individual compensation, tax liability, legal liability, or ultimate disposition of tournament proceeds.

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