

COED LEAGUE RULES 2024 SEASON



A few reminders...

- This is a **LEARNING** experience
- The purpose is to hit, run, play defense, listen, watch their coaches, and to have **FUN**

Rules:

1. Everyone bats (1/2 of the team bats one round, then the 1/2 bats the next round)
2. No time limit – Games should be 1 – 1 and ½ hours (each player should bat 2 times in total before the game ends)
3. All helmets must have chin straps
4. All base runners, batter, and batter on deck must wear helmets and always keep them on
5. Catchers must wear the helmet and mask
6. Pitching – each player will have up to six (6) pitches thrown. If the ball is not hit within the six pitches, then they may advance to first base.
7. Adult pitches pitch to their OWN team
8. Prefer to have three (3) adult coaches on the field and the adult pitcher
9. Bases (50 feet)
Pitching (up to coach but prefer a minimum of 30ft, pitch to own team)
Softballs used (11-inch softies)
10. No youth “bat” person allowed (no youth “helper” should be on the field)
11. Game times: **Monday & Wednesday’s at 6:00pm**
12. First come, first serve for who gets home and away dugouts

We wish every team a good season this year

If you have any problems or questions, please contact one of the YSSA board members

8U LEAGUE RULES 2024 SEASON



A few reminders...

- USA Rules Apply (please read your rulebook)
- League rules are listed below, they apply to both YSSA League and End of Year Sponsor's Tournament only

Rules:

1. Run Rules: Five (5) runs per inning, 15 after 3 and 10 after 5
2. Must start 10 players maximum, in the field (if only 9 players are available you may start and/or finish with the 10th player position being counted as a team out, the only exception will be for an injured player being unable to re-enter the game, runners on base may be substituted with the last previous batter not on base, the runner substitute will only be that at bat)
3. No new innings will start after 50 minutes. All games will end at 60 minutes with the final score coming from the last complete inning
4. All helmets must have chin straps (If not used, the batter is out, helmets are to remain on the batter/runner until they are off the field of play, or when the umpire calls time, if not the batter/runner is out)
5. Roster...
Bat all players, all players must play at least two (2) full innings in the field by the end of the 4th inning each game, free substitution is allowed
6. No defensive chatter is allowed towards the offense
7. All batters receive a maximum of 6 pitches or 3 strikes to hit a fair ball
8. If an adult pitcher is hit while showing an effort to dodge the ball, everyone advances one base
9. Adult pitches to their OWN team
10. Infield fly rule is eliminated
11. A ball hit to the outfield must be thrown to an infielder or the pitcher helper before play can stop; unless the play has stopped while an infielder has the ball
12. One pitcher's helper on the infield, defensive players must be in their correct positions
13. No offensive coaching from adult pitchers
14. All outfielders must be on the grass prior to the pitch by the adult.
15. Coin toss will determine home and away
16. Teams must be ready to play 10 minutes prior to scheduled game times
17. Code of Conduct will **BE ENFORCED FOR PLAYERS, COACHES, AND SPECTATORS**

Other information...

Game Times (6:00, 7:00, & 8:00)

Innings (5 maximum / 2 minimum)

Pitcher mound (30 feet)

Bases (50 feet)

We wish every team a good season this year

If you have any problems or questions, please contact one of the YSSA board members

10 & UNDER LEAGUE RULES 2024 SEASON



A few reminders...

- USA Rules Apply (please read your rulebook)
- League rules are listed below, they apply to both YSSA League and End of Year Sponsor's Tournament only

Rules:

1. Run Rules: 15 after 3 and 10 after 5
2. Must start 10 players maximum, in the field (if only 9 players are available you may start and/or finish with the 10th player position being counted as a team out, the only exception will be for an injured player being unable to re-enter the game, runners on base may be substituted with the last previous batter not on base, the runner substitute will only be that at bat)
3. No new innings will start after 50 minutes. All games will end at 55 minutes with the final score coming from the last complete inning
4. All helmets must have chin straps (If not used, the batter is out. Helmets are to remain on the batter/runner until they are off the field of play, or when the umpire calls time, if on the batter/runner is out)
5. Roster...
Bat all players
All players must play at least two (2) full innings in the field by the end of the 4th inning each game
Free substitution is allowed
6. No defensive chatter is allowed towards the offense
7. Eliminate 'intentional walks' when adult pitches batter gets 6 pitches or 3 strikes to hit a fair ball
8. If an adult pitcher is hit while showing an effort to dodge the ball, everyone advances one base
9. A foul on the third strike is an out
10. Infield fly rule is eliminated
11. If there is a total of three (3) walks by the youth pitcher per inning, the adult will come into pitch
12. The youth/adult pitching is for 1-3 weeks, starting the 4th week it will be the youth pitching with no adult coming into pitch
13. No offensive coaching from adult pitchers
14. All outfielders must be on the grass prior to the pitch by the adult.
15. Coin toss will determine home and away
16. Teams must be ready to play 10 minutes prior to scheduled game times
17. Code of Conduct will **BE ENFORCED FOR PLAYERS, COACHES, AND SPECTATORS**

Other information...

Game Times (6:00, 7:00, & 8:00)

Innings (5 maximum / 2 minimum)

Pitcher mound (40 feet)

Bases (60 feet)

We wish every team a good season this year

If you have any problems or questions, please contact one of the YSSA board members

12 & UNDER LEAGUE RULES 2024 SEASON



A few reminders...

- USA Rules Apply (please read your rulebook)
- League rules are listed below, they apply to both YSSA League and End of Year Sponsor's Tournament only

Rules:

1. Run Rules: Ten (10) runs per inning, 15 after 3 and 10 after 5
2. 1 – 1 count will be instituted
3. Must start 10 players maximum, in the field (if only 9 players are available you may start and/or finish with the 10th player position being counted as a team out, the only exception will be for an injured player being unable to re-enter the game, runners on base may be substituted with the last previous batter not on base, the runner substitute will only be that at bat)
4. No new inning will start after 55 minutes
5. All helmets must have chin straps (If not used, the batter is out, helmets are to remain on the batter/runner until they are off the field of play, or when the umpire calls time, if not the batter/runner is out)
6. Roster...
Bat all players, all players must play at least two (2) full innings in the field by the end of the 4th inning each game, free substitution is allowed
7. No defensive chatter allowed towards offense
8. Number on the shirt must always show when on offense
9. Each team is limited to 3 'over the fence' homeruns per game, any ball hit over the outfield fence after 3 will receive an out
10. No 'youth' bat person or helper is allowed
11. Coin toss will determine home and away
12. Teams must be ready to play 10 minutes prior before game starts
13. Code of Conduct will **BE ENFORCED FOR PLAYERS, COACHES, AND SPECTATORS**

Other information...

Game Times (6:00, 7:00, & 8:00)

Innings (7 maximum / 2 minimum)

Pitcher mound (46 feet)

Bases (60 feet)

We wish every team a good season this year

If you have any problems or questions, please contact one of the YSSA board members

14, 16, & 18 & UNDER LEAGUE RULES 2024 SEASON



A few reminders...

- USA Rules Apply (please read your rulebook)
- League rules are listed below, they apply to both YSSA League and End of Year Sponsor's Tournament only

Rules:

1. Run Rules: Ten (10) runs per inning, 15 after 3 and 10 after 5
2. 1 – 1 count will be instituted
3. Must start 10 players maximum, in the field (if only 9 players are available you may start and/or finish with the 10th player position being counted as a team out, the only exception will be for an injured player being unable to re-enter the game, runners on base may be substituted with the last previous batter not on base, the runner substitute will only be that at bat)
4. No new inning will start after 55 minutes
5. All helmets must have chin straps (If not used, the batter is out, helmets are to remain on the batter/runner until they are off the field of play, or when the umpire calls time, if not the batter/runner is out)
6. Roster...
Bat all players, all players must play at least two (2) full innings in the field by the end of the 4th inning each game, free substitution is allowed for league play only
7. No defensive chatter allowed towards offense
8. Number on the shirt must always show when on offense
9. Each team is limited to 3 'over the fence' homeruns per game, **any ball hit over the outfield fence after 3 will receive an out**
10. No 'youth' bat person or helper is allowed
11. Teams must be ready to play 10 minutes prior before game starts
12. Coin toss will determine home and away
13. Code of Conduct will **BE ENFORCED FOR PLAYERS, COACHES, AND SPECTATORS**

Other information...

Game Times (6:00, 7:00, & 8:00) – Thursday's

Innings (7 maximum / 2 minimum)

Pitcher mound (50 feet)

Bases (65 feet)

We wish every team a good season this year

If you have any problems or questions, please contact one of the YSSA board members