

Men's Fall Softball League Rules

1. ISA rules will govern play with the exception of any local rules.
2. No base stealing.
3. Players must be 17 years of age to participate.
4. Grace period for the first game only, 15 minutes max, this time will come off the allotted 1 hour time limit. If each team has 9 players, game will start, no waiting for the 10th player to arrive. For all other games, game time is forfeit time. Teams may pick up players from another team to be able to play but the game is still a forfeit. Umpires will not call forfeited games.
5. Home team keeps the official scorebook.
6. Bats: No titanium, Ultra or Ultra II allowed. Anyone caught using an illegal bat will be called out. Umpires should check bats before games.
7. Batter will start with a 1 & 1 count and will have an extra foul.
8. Home Runs: 6 per game with all others being an out. Any ball tipped over the fence by a player will be considered a 4 base error.
9. Run Rule: 15 runs after 4 innings or 10 runs after 5 innings.
10. Courtesy Runner: 1 courtesy runner per inning, needs to be someone not in the game or the player that made the last out.
11. Time Limit: 1 hour limit, no new inning will start after time has expired, exception: tie game.
12. Tie Game: International Tie-Break Rule will be used, last out goes to 2nd base to start each team's at bat.
13. Protests: The ONLY protest is an illegal player, MUST be done before the game ends.
14. Balls: Each team will hit their own ball, must be a .44 core with 375 compression and should be legible on each ball used. Or stamped
15. Teams may choose to bat 12 players, if a team starts with 12, they must end with 12 or take an out in the spot of the player that is no longer playing.
16. A double elimination tournament will follow the regular season, tournament will be seeded according to regular season standings. A player must play in at least 6 games to be eligible for tournament play. Regular season rules will apply with the exception being NO time limit on the championship game(s).
17. 2 umpires will be used for each game.
18. Ejections: Any player ejected for profanity, fighting, disrespectfully addressing an umpire, etc. will be suspended for the next scheduled game. A second ejection will result in suspension for the remainder of the season including the tournament.
19. There is to be NO consumption of alcohol by ANYONE at these games. ANYONE that shows up under the influence will be asked to leave or removed by the Seneca Police Department.
21. The pitching net MUST be 1 foot from the rubber on either side at all times.
22. Players are not allowed to change teams during the season.

****ROSTERS ARE DUE BY FIRST GAME!!**

OFFICIAL ROSTER

TEAM Name: _____

[illegible]

MEN'S SOFTBALL

TEAM: _____

NAME: _____
(First) (Middle) (Last)

ADDRESS: _____ ZIP CODE: _____
TELEPHONE: Home: _____ Work: _____ Cell: _____
DATE OF BIRTH: _____ GENDER: _____
EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING

I, the above participant hereby agree to participate in such activities at the Recreation Department, and do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify and agree to hold harmless all persons responsible for injury or death. I shall also agree to hold harmless City of Seneca, the employees or program volunteers liable for same. I agree to grant permission to managing personnel or physician, hospital or medical clinic should the participant become ill or injured while participating in Department activities away from home or at an emergency treatment. I also agree to abide by the rules and regulations adopted by the Department.

(SIGNATURE)

(DATE)

INSURANCE:

Seneca Recreation Department requires each participant to be covered with an Insurance Program. If you have insurance, please provide the following information for our records.

AGENCY'S NAME: _____ POLICY NUMBER: _____

YOU MUST HAVE INSURANCE TO PLAY!