



OFFICIAL DOME GAME PLAY RULES

Turn in insurance certificate copy and verify roster at check-in. Only coaches and players are allowed on the playing field and warm up areas. In an area far removed of all spectators and parents you will find... *Coaches Paradise.*
Ample warm up area, four batting cages, pitching lanes & toss nets are all at your disposal during your warm up.

- ❖ Tournament uses NFHS rules. Pitching exception- Both feet must maintain contact with rubber.
- LSSC CEILING RULE-**
- ❖ Batter will be declared out on a fair 3rd strike that makes contact with the roof.
 - ❖ Balls making contact with the roof with less than 2 strikes will be deemed foul regardless of where it makes contact, fair or foul. *Exception: Any fair ball that makes contact with the roof and goes over the outfield fence will still be ruled a homerun.*
 - ❖ Contact with the outfield lighting netting is ruled a homerun regardless of whether it went over the fence- In a limited amount of area the lighting netting is approx. 20' above the outfield fence. The only result that would occur without the netting being there is a homerun therefore ruled as such.
1. All teams must verify roster and hand in proof of insurance. Birth certificates must be available upon request.
 2. No player may be on two rosters in same event, regardless of age group.
 3. Teams must be ready to play 30mins prior to scheduled time.
 4. Bracket seeds will be determined by all pool games.
 5. Coin toss will determine home team throughout tournament.
 6. 75min. time limits for Pool & Bracket. Championship games will have 75 min time limit.
 7. Bat 9 **or** roster – if batting 9, NFHS substitution rules apply.
 8. Run Rules- 12 run lead after 3 innings, 10 run lead after 4 innings, 8 run lead after 5 innings
 9. In pool and bracket play, ITB- International Tie Breaker- will be used after time limit or 7 innings. Last completed at bat will take 2B to begin inning.
 10. Courtesy runner- batting 9/NFHS rules apply- batting roster/last made out
 11. Tie Breaker: Record – Head to Head – Runs Allowed – If 2 are tied after runs allowed we will revert back to head to head, otherwise coin flip.
 12. Team managers must maintain contact with tournament director at all times. TD reserves the right to alter the tournament format due to weather or unforeseen circumstances.
 13. Any forfeited games shall be scored 7-0.
 14. Home team is the official scorekeeper. Scores should be verified every 1/2 inning by the visiting team.
 15. Scorekeepers should verify their game scores with the plate umpire.
 16. Qualified teams for housing policy must be booked through LSSC housing system within two weeks of tournament date. Teams not in compliance will not be scheduled into the tournament.
 17. Any coach or player removed from a game for unsportsmanlike conduct will be subject to removal from any and/ or all additional games if so deemed appropriate by tournament staff.