



OFFICIAL DOME GAME PLAY RULES

Turn in insurance certificate copy and verify roster at check-in

*All spectators must remain on the concrete apron *

Only coaches and players are allowed on the playing field and warm up areas

In an area in the dome 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.
 - No step back
- **Ceiling Rule** – Balls making contact with the roof will be deemed foul regardless of where it makes contact, fair or foul. However, batter will be declared out on a **fair** 3rd strike that makes contact with the roof.
- **Contact with the outfield netting is ruled a homerun**- The only result that would occur without the netting being there is a homerun therefore ruled as such.
- All teams must verify roster and hand in proof of insurance. Birth certificates must be available upon request.
- No player may be on two rosters in same event, regardless of age group.
- Teams must be ready to play 30mins prior to scheduled time.
- Bracket seeds will be determined by all pool games.
- Coin toss will determine home team throughout tournament.
- 75min. time limits for Pool & Bracket. Championship games will have 75 min time limit.
- Bat 9 OR roster
- Run Rules- 12 run lead after 3 innings, 10 run lead after 4 innings, 8 run lead after 5 innings
- 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.
- Courtesy runner- Batting Roster- last made out, anyone not in the present lineup or furthest removed if in first inning. If batting 9 then NFHS substitution rules apply.
- Tie Breaker: Record – Head to Head – Runs Allowed – If 2 tied after runs allowed we will revert back to head to head, otherwise coin flip.
- 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.
- Any forfeited games shall be scored 7-0.
- Home team will be the official scorekeeper. Scores should be verified every 1/2 inning by the visiting team.
- Scorekeepers should verify their game scores with the plate umpire.
- 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.
- 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.