

\*Both teams will receive a scorecard at the coin toss before each game. Each team is responsible for submitting a score card at the completion of every game to the score table located in the middle of each complex.

## Tournament Rules in Pool Play

- 1) All pitching plates will be set at 43 feet
- 2) Players are allowed to wear metal cleats
- 3) Teams may bat a minimum of 9 and no maximum number of hitters
- 4) "Last Batted Out" may be used as a Courtesy Runner for a pitcher and catcher
- 5) Courtesy Runner is mandatory for Catchers, in order to speed the game
- 6) Pitchers will get 1 minute or 3 pitches between innings
- 7) Defensive Substitution may be made without reporting to the umpire
- 8) Pool games will have 80 minute time limit or complete 7 innings. No Tiebreaker. We will complete the inning in which time expires, but not start a new inning after 78 minutes
- 9) Connect Sports will supply all game balls
- 10) Home and Visitor will be decided by a coin toss at the plate

## **Determining Pool Standings**

- 1) Overall Record (2 points for a W, 1 point for a Tie, 0 points for a L)
- 2) Head to Head
- 3) Run Differential (+7 max per game)
- 4) Runs allowed
- 5) Runs scored

## Tournament Rules in Championship Play

- 1) Teams may bat a minimum of 9 and maximum of 11 hitters
- 2) "Last Batted Out" may be used for Courtesy Runners for Pitchers and Catchers
- 3) Defensive Substitutions may be made without reporting to the umpire
- 4) Offensive Substitutions must be reported to umpire
- 5) Home Team will be official scorebook
- 6) Elimination Games will have 80 minutes time limit or complete 7 innings. Tiebreaker will be in effect after completion of 80 minutes or 7 innings. We will not start a new inning after 78 minutes. unless the score is tied.
- 7) Home and Visitor will be decided by a coin toss at the plate