



## Diamond Bar Girls Softball – 2019 Tournament Rules

### Game Rules

- See Rules Matrix Summary

Tie breaker for pool standings/seed position is as follows: 1) Wins and losses, 2) head to head results (if applicable), 3) fewest runs allowed, 4) total runs scored, and 5) coin flip.

### Scorecards

- Scorecards will be provided for the home team for each game.
- Home team is the official scorekeeper.
- Please turn your completed scorecards in to the registration table.
- Both managers must sign the umpire's scorecard at the end of each game.

### Ground Rules

- No practice on the infield dirt.
- No artificial noise makers allowed (music is OK at discretion of the tournament director)
- The team listed first in pool play will occupy the 3<sup>rd</sup> base dugout.
- The team on the top of the bracket will occupy the 3<sup>rd</sup> base dugout.
- The home team is responsible for an official scorekeeper who has to keep score from outside the dugout and near the home plate umpire.

### Sportsmanship

- Managers are responsible for and must maintain control of their players, coaches, and spectators at all times, on and off the field of play.
- The ASA Code of Conduct and the City of Diamond Bar Code of Ethics shall be enforced throughout the tournament. Acts and behavior considered contrary to the objectives of this document and the purpose of ASA will not be tolerated. Each manager must sign ONE form for his or her team and turn it in while checking in.
- Umpires and DBGS Representatives have the responsibility and authority to eject (out of sight and sound) any team personnel or spectator for unsportsmanlike conduct.
- An ejected coach, player or other team personnel is ineligible to participate in the team's next game. Illegal participation in the team's next game by ejected personnel results in team forfeiture. A second ejection in the same tournament makes the participant ineligible for the remainder of the tournament. Each sanction (ineligible for next game, team forfeiture, and ineligible for remainder of tournament) may be appealed to the Tournament Director.
- ALL UMPIRE CALLS WILL BE FINAL! GAME PROTESTS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED!