Welcome to the 2021 Mattoon Pride Summer Kickoff Tournament

Following are the general rules and guidelines that will be followed during this event.

This is a non sanctioned event, however we will be playing by NSA rules, with the option to bat your entire roster. Rosters must be turned in, along with a copy of your insurance certificate, before your first game is played at the check in table. Check in will be located near the concessions on the East end. Birth certificates should be available upon request.

<u>Game times</u>: teams should be ready to play 30 minutes prior to scheduled game time. If not ready to play by game time, a forfeit will be declared. Forfeited games will be recorded as a 7-0 score. No protests allowed, final decisions are made on the field.

Time Limit: 75min

NSA run rules will apply: International tie breaker will be used. Run rule is 15 after 3, 12 after 4 and 10 after 5.

<u>Coin Flip</u>: home team will be determined by a coin flip for all pool games. For bracket games, higher seed will be home team.

<u>Seedings</u>: Seedings will be determined after pool play.

Should a tie occur in pool play seeding will be determined by:

- Win loss record
- Head to head
- runs allowed
- run differential

<u>Dugouts</u>: Dugouts are not predetermined, first come first serve. Coaches please throw away all garbage in your respective dugouts when your game concludes. <u>NO sunflower seeds allowed.</u>

<u>Line up exchanges</u>: Line-ups will be exchanged prior to game time with a copy to the home plate umpire during the coin flip. Teams will be required to have 9 players to begin the game.

<u>Official Scorers:</u> Umpires will record the final score on the clipboard designated to each field.

Any delays or weather issues will be communicated via Tourney Machine

<u>8u, 10u, 12u:</u> 2 pool games into double elimination. NSA Rules Apply

*Additional parking across 6th street just west of the football field. NO parking allowed directly on the hiking/bike trail that surrounds the complex.