



# 2022 Indoor Fastpitch Rule

REV 11.1.21

- Tournament uses modified NFHS rules. Pitching and batting follow Federation rules.
- **Turn-in insurance certificate copy and verify roster at check-in. 3 gate passes provided for coaches.**
- No player may be on two rosters in the same event, regardless of age group.
- Bracket seeds will be determined by **ALL** pool games. Record, H to H, Runs Allowed, Coin-flip
- First team listed on schedule will take 3<sup>rd</sup> base dugout. Coin toss will determine the home team throughout the tournament.
- **DROP DEAD- score stands when time expires**
  - **Pool games- 75 min finish the inning- can end in a tie**
  - **Bracket play- 75 min finish the inning.**
- ITB (International Tie Breaker) will be used after the time limit or 7 innings. Last completed at bat will take second base.
- **All bats must be a legal fastpitch bat for 2022 with an affiliation stamp.**
  - **Penalty-** If reported or found before next pitch- Result of play is nullified, all runners return, batter is out & coach warned/restricted to dugout. **Second offense-** head coach and player removed from tournament. If not before next pitch, bat removed from the game, coach warned.
- **Bat 9 or Infinite # w/free subs-**  
Use AP's for additional spots in order, anyone not in the game is considered a sub.
- **Courtesy Runner-**
  - **Batting 9-** player not in the game, using DP/Flex with no available subs-courtesy is forfeited. DP/Flex is only allowed when batting 9.
  - **Batting infinite number-** last completed at-bat or anyone not in the game
- Run Rules - 12 run lead after 3 innings, 10 run lead after 4 innings, 8 run lead after 5 innings
- **Home team is the official scorekeeper.** Scores should be verified every 1/2 inning by the visiting team.
- Only coaches and players are allowed on the playing field and warm up areas
- Qualified teams for housing policy must be booked through LSSC housing system within two weeks of the tournament date. Teams not in compliance will not be removed from the schedule.\*\*
- *Any coach ejected from a game, misses the game ejected from, plus one.* Any person removed by an umpire or director will be subject to removal for the remainder of the tournament.
- **LSSC CEILING RULE:** Balls making contact with the roof in fair play will be deemed a foul ball. Any fair ball that makes contact with the roof and goes over the outfield fence or into the lighting netting will be ruled a home run.

## PROHIBITED INSIDE THE DOME

- **OUTSIDE FOOD OR BEVERAGES**
- **WAGONS**
- **SEEDS**
- **METAL SPIKES**
- **LOUDSPEAKER AUDIO DEVICES**