

## LIONS LAKE EVENTS RULES AND INFO:

Lions Lake Park | 101 Dutchtown Rd | Voorhees Twp NJ 08043,  
and/or Kresson School fields, 7 School Lane, Voorhees, NJ 08043

**Coaches, please review ALL rules and IMPORTANT information below and inform all spectators.**

### GAME AND FIELD RULES – FOR COACHES

- Valid Team insurance certification, SIGNED USA ROSTER and birth certificate copies must be presented at check-in. Check in will be at Lions Lake Park concession stand (between F2 and F3) or catch me on golf cart. Director contact: Alex Massa gatorball66@yahoo.com, Cell: 609-634-7445
- First round: ground rules take place 10 minutes prior to game start time. Timer starts after ground rules are completed.
- **NO Infield warm up WHILE the ground crew is performing field maintenance.** These fields are in great shape, we want the players and staff to be safe while they perform their tasks.
- ALL TEAMS PAY AT THE PLATE FOR UMPIRES \$60 per game, per team. Exact cash only.
- Line up Cards WITH LAST NAMES AND PLAYER NUMBERS must be presented for every game, both days.
- SCOREKEEPERS ONLY ARE TO BE IN DUGOUT, OR at sides of BACKSTOPS.
- SATURDAY and SUNDAY Optional: Bat the bench and free defensive subs. Courtesy runner for pitcher/catcher only. MUST BE A SUB, OR LAST BATTED OUT (if no subs)
- Coin flip for home / away on SAT. SUNDAY HIGHER SEED HAS CHOICE.
- SATURDAY Pool Play: 80 minutes finish the inning. Games can end in a tie.
- Run rule: 12 after 3, 10 runs after 4, 8 after 5 innings.
- Teams are responsible to retrieve ALL foul balls outside the field areas.
- If you need to move fields after game completion, PLEASE exit dugouts swiftly. Please be considerate of next team arriving to play on your field. Do not hold a team meeting in dug out or on the field after your game ends.
- ALL GAMES, TEAMS must be ready to play 25 minutes prior to official start time. In case there are any games ending early to keep schedule moving.

### SUNDAY ELIMINATION

- Bracket play – Single elimination, 90 minutes finish inning.
- Must have a winner, ITB rule in effect.
- Bat the bench, OR EP and/or a DP Flex optional.
- Courtesy runners for pitcher/catcher only. Must use bench player OR last batted out, if no subs.
- There are no protests of any kind, umpires have final decision using USA JO Softball rules.
- Tournament host will pay umpires for championship game.
- TEXT ALL SCORES TO: 609-634-7445 AT THE END OF EACH GAME. Example: 8am 12U OUTLAWS 5-3.

### LIONS LAKE COMPLEX RULES FOR PARENTS & COACHES

- **DO NOT WARM UP ON or NEAR WALKING PATHWAYS.** Plenty of warm up area behind outfields of Field 2&3. Please use common sense for safety.
- **DO NOT PARK WHERE “NO parking” signs are indicated.** EXAMPLE: **CHURCH PARKING**  
**ONLY** signs in lot behind field 4.
- **Do not DRIVE OR PARK on walking paths and or ENTRANCE TO PARK.**
- NO NOISE MAKERS OF ANY KIND.
- **PLEASE DISPOSE ALL TRASH IN CONTAINERS AT ALL LOCATIONS.** Including dug outs after each game.
- **NO SPECTATORS BEHIND OR AROUND BACKSTOPS DURING THE GAME(S).** Spectators should be down the lines or in the OF.
- **Spectators are NOT to engage with any umpires whatsoever,** it will not be tolerated. Let the girls play!
- Coaches - Always call timeout and once granted time, calmly approach any umpire that you may need to talk with for help. I cannot promise you will get the result you want, but the example you show your players will help them more than you may know!