



2025 Lindsay Rose Memorial Tournament Rules

Locations:

Dos Pueblos High School Softball Fields:

7266 Alameda Avenue Goleta,
CA 93117

San Marcos High School Softball Fields

4750 Hollister Ave. Santa
Barbara, CA 93110

In accordance with USA Softball Rules **with the following modifications:**

- Check in time is 1 hour before first game. USA Softball cards and signed off, Perfect Binders are required for check in.

Dugouts:

- Team listed 1st shall be in the 1st base dugout (exceptions being back to back games—team shall remain in the dugout occupied in game one)
- On the last day, highest seed occupies 3rd base dug out (unless back to back games).

Gameplay:

- Run limits for all divisions (except 8U, refer to attached official USACC rules) in pool play: First two innings, 5 runs per inning, 3rd inning on is open.
- Round-robin batting **MUST** be used in pool play in all divisions. Round-robin batting permitted in all divisions **on all days** (courtesy runners for pitchers and catchers shall be last player put out.) EP, DP/Flex, EP+DP/Flex permitted.
- Home team will keep official scorebook.

- Pool play, home team will be determined by coin flip. Elimination games home team shall be the higher seed. In the event two number 1 seeds from different pools meet, a coin toss will determine home team
- Min. 8 players per team to start a game. 9 players per team on the field for 10U, 8U has 10 defensive players for all games.
- Pool play games can end in tie.
- Following pool play games coaches will hand out the spirit award as outlined in the document in your tournament packet.
- All balls must be returned to umpire after game.
- Scores must be turned in by the home team immediately following your game to the snack bar/tournament director. The score sheets must be initialed by both coaches and signed by umpire.
- No infield practice between games.
- Forfeits will be scored 7-0.
- Pool play seeding for bracket play on the last day: Win 2 points, Loss 0 points, Tie 1 point. If points are tied then the following will determine the tiebreaker:
 - Head to head record > Fewest runs allowed > Most runs scored > Coin toss

8U Specific Rules

- USASoftball of CC 8U Rules for 2 (included in separate attachment) BUNTING IS ALLOWED IN 8u
- Rules for 8 under include the following : Coach pitch permitted in All Pool games, and Silver Bracket games **EXCLUDING Championship (refer to “8U_Rules”)**
- **Coach pitch is NOT permitted in Gold Bracket Games (refer to “8u Championship Rules 25”)**

Sunday Brackets:

- **The tournament director shall, in the spirit of fair play, modify seeding and place teams in bracket appropriate to playing level as necessary.**
- 10u/12u games up to Championship game will be no new inning after 1 hour 20 minutes or 7 innings, whichever comes first.
- For elimination games; if tie after 7 innings or 1 hour 20 minutes or then game will go to international tiebreaker until there is a winner at the start of the next inning.
- Championship game: 7 innings OR 1:45 no new (Games starting at 6 shall be 6 innings or 1:40 no new inning).
- Games will start on time, no grace period.
- Run rule will be in effect: 15 after 3, 12 after 4 and 8 after 5.

Manager, Coach, & Crowd Etiquette:

- Protests will be handled by the U.I.C. and tournament director. All protests must be known prior to the next pitch. A \$20.00 fee will be charged for each protest. Refundable if ruled in favor of.
- No infield practice between games.
- All balls must be returned to umpire after game.
- All youth sports events are drug, alcohol, and tobacco free.
- **Dogs are not allowed on Dos Pueblos or San Marcos campus.**
- Unsportsman-like cheers directed at or singling out a specific player, position, or team will not be tolerated. Additionally, cheers using inappropriate language will not be tolerated. This behavior may lead to coach ejection or team forfeiture.
- Strict rules of conduct will be enforced. Players, coaches and fans will be ejected from the game for inappropriate language, abuse to players or umpires. Any fighting is automatic suspension from Tournament.

Official Equipment:

**The following balls will be provided
8u:10" RIF 10u:11"DreamSeam 12u & 14u: 12" DreamSeam**

Pitching distances:

8u = 30ft 10u = 35ft 12u = 40ft 14u = 43ft

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