

WASKA 12 YEAR OLD TOURNAMENT HELD ON SOFTBALL FIELDS 1 & 2

Rules & Regulations:

MSF rules & regulations will be used.

Please be familiar with the rules associated with the appropriate age level prior to the tournament. Given our games will be held at the softball complex, bases will be at 60' and pitching mound will be approximately 52'

The following rules will supersede MSF rules:

1. 6 inning games. No new innings will start after 1:45 hour time limit. There will be no time limit in the championship or 3rd place games.
2. Each team must supply 1 new leather baseball for each game to the umpire.
3. Umpire decisions are final. There are no protested games allowed.
4. There will be no infield practice before games.
5. Please have your teams prepared to begin play prior to your schedules start time. If we can start early, we will do that. That will help keep the tournament on schedule.
6. Pitching: MSF rules 85 pitches per day. Coaches will use the honor system for pitch counts.
7. All players bat. 9 players may play in the field (3 outfielders). Free substitution.
8. If a game is tied after 6 innings, each extra inning will start with a base runner on 2nd base. The base runner will be the last out of the prior inning.
9. Leading off when pitch crosses home plate. Given shorter bases, we need to do this to keep it competitive. No balks will be called.
10. Runners may advance any base at their own risk (home included)
11. Dropped 3rd strike – batter may advance to first.