



Beaumont - Cherry Valley Recreation and Park District



BCVRPD 2022 Adult Spring Softball Playing Rules

1. All payments and initial rosters due on posted date on application by 5:00pm.
2. All roster add/drops .will need to be done by the 3rd week of play.
3. All teams make the playoffs.
4. During the regular season you may use players rostered on another team to avoid a forfeit.
5. All games will be 60 min no new inning, will complete the inning. 4th inning is open to completion..
6. There will be a 5 minute grace period before a forfeit is declared. You will still play your game.
7. Batters will start with a 1 and 1 count.
8. The 2nd foul ball after the 2nd strike will be an out.
9. A line drive through the pitching lane will be an automatic out. A hard ground ball through the lane will be umpires discretion.
10. Pitchers must have 1 foot inside the pitching box.
11. All pitches must have an arc of between 6 and 12 feet. (Men's is also now 12 ft.)
12. There is no stealing. Runners may leave the base on release of the pitch. An attempted pick off play is a force with no tag needed. If you attempt to pick off a runner and it is thrown away runner may advance.
13. Runners must slide or avoid running into the fielder.
14. The game will be stopped after 4 innings if a team is leading by 20 or more runs.
15. Run Limits: There will be no run limits in the men's division. Coed & Women's will be limited to 7 runs in an inning with the 4th being unlimited.
16. Bat Restrictions: Coed ASA Bats only, Men USSSA bats allowed
17. Home Run limits; all games on fields other than field 1 will have a 1 up limit. Field 1 is unlimited home runs. (Men's Only)
18. Coed Rules: Teams will play with 5 men and 5 women. If short you may play with 5 men and 4 women (Male catcher) or 4 men and 4 women.
19. Coed line: All outfielders must stay behind the coed line until ball is hit.