

Pulaski Softball Organization

Pulaski Girls Softball Invitational Tournament

2012 14U, 16U, & 18U Rules

- Final Roster must be turned into tournament director 30 minutes before your first game – NO changes can be made after this time.
- Girls, who turned 19, 17, or 15 before January 1st, 2012 and graduated seniors are not eligible to play. Coaches must have available copies of birth certificates for each player should any questions arise. **All players must be from the same school or school district and a player may play on only one team during the tournament. With Tournament Director approval, a team may use a player from another team from the same school and age bracket to fill an opening caused by hardship or injury in order to provide the minimum to field a team.**
- (Games in which an illegible player has been used shall be declared a forfeit)
- Please keep the game moving. Intentional stall, as deemed by the umpire or tournament director, may result in forfeiture of the game.
- All players on lineup must bat, with players arriving late being added to bottom of lineup.
- Each game will be 7 innings. With a 15 run rule after 3 innings and a 10 run rule after 5 innings. Championship (1st and 2nd place) game only will be 7 innings with no time limit.
- 14u will have a 40' mound and 16u & 18u will have a 43' mound.
- Each game has a time limit of 1 hour and 15 minutes. No new inning will start after the time limit has expired. In case of inclement weather, games may be shortened.
- Trips to the mound may not exceed one trip per pitcher per inning.
- Free substitution.
- Courtesy Runners may be used for Pitcher and Catcher. The courtesy runner will be the last out.
- No re-entry of pitcher in same inning.
- Profanity or harassment by a team member, coach, or fans toward an opposing team or official of the tournament will not be tolerated. This type of activity will lead to ejection of team members, coaches, or fans.
- Home team decided by coin flip. Home team is the official scorebook keeper.

- During the preliminary games if tied after regulation or tied after time limit has expired, only one extra inning will be played. If still tied at the end of the extra inning, the game will be recorded as a tie. Championship games (Sunday games) will continue play until there is a winner. When extra innings are required the international tiebreaker will be used. Last completed batter will start at second base. (This inning is not considered a regulation inning.)
- Coaches are responsible for cleaning up their dugout after the game.
- Seeding bracket tie breakers after preliminary games.
 - Head to head competition.
 - Total runs allowed.
 - Total runs scored.
 - Coin flip.
- All decisions of head umpire are FINAL.
- The tournament directors reserve the right to change any of the rules previously listed.
- WIAA fast pitch softball rules will be followed unless listed above.