

## **TOURNAMENT RULES**

- LEAGUE TOURNAMENTS WILL BE HELD JULY 24th AND JULY 31st (August 7th - IF NECESSARY).  
IT WILL BE A ONE-GAME ELIMINATION WITH RECORDS DETERMINING THE SEEDS.
- AMERICAN AND NATIONAL DIVISIONS WILL BE PLAYED SEPARATELY WITH CHAMPIONS DETERMINED IN EACH DIVISION.
  
- HEAD TO HEAD WILL BE THE TIE BREAKER FOR TWO OR MORE TEAMS.
- HEAD TO HEAD WILL BE THE TIE BREAKER TO BREAK A TIE AFTER MULTIPLE TEAMS TIED.
- EVERYTHING ELSE WILL BE DECIDED BY TEAM NUMBER. (HIGHER NUMBER)
  
- ONLY PLAYERS WHO ARE ON YOUR CURRENT ROSTER MAY PLAY.
- UMPIRES WILL HAVE CURRENT ROSTERS; USE OF ILLEGAL PLAYERS WILL RESULT IN A FORFEIT.
  
- HIGHER SEED WILL BE HOME TEAM. GAME BALL WILL BE AT THE FIELD
  
- GAMES ARE SCHEDULED FOR 1 HOUR 30 MINUTES EACH - GAMES MUST BE FINISHED.  
THIS IS NOT A TIME LIMIT, JUST A REMINDER THAT GAMES MUST MOVE ALONG.
  
- THERE WILL BE A 12-RUN MERCY RULE AFTER 4 1/2 INNINGS THROUGHOUT THE TOURNAMENT.
  
- IF A PLAYER LEAVES THE GAME DUE TO INJURY, SKIP THE PLAYER'S NEXT TURN AT BAT EACH TIME AFTER.  
OTHER THAN AN INJURY, AN OUT WILL BE RECORDED EACH TIME THE PLAYER'S TURN COMES UP.
  
- THESE ABOVE RULES OVERRIDE THE 2011 WESTAMPTON REC. CO-ED SOFTBALL RULES.  
ALL OTHER LEAGUE RULES / POLICIES WILL APPLY.