

2025 Men's Softball Tournament

- Play will be governed by the <u>2025 ASA Official Rule Book</u>, with the following notations:
- Home team determined by schedule. Umpires will keep the official score on the scoreboards.
- Batters will start with a 1-1 count. One "courtesy foul" on third strike is allowed.
- Time limit of 50 minutes w/ no new inning after time expires. After 50 minutes or 7 innings, go to a 1-pitch format with runner on 2nd base.
- Run Rule: 20 runs after 3 innings, 15 after 4 innings and 10 after 5 innings.
- Run Rules, time limits, pitch count, etc. applies to all games, including championship game(s).
- HR Limits: Men's = 1; Over-the-limit HR's are outs only.
- No stealing allowed in this tournament.
- Men hit 12"cor 52./300 softballs. Game balls will be provided.
- Lineup cards should be ready 10 minutes prior to game time with first and last names. Teams can start or finish with 9 players (except for ejection). All missing spots in thelneup will be an out.
- ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY FOR PROFANITY, TAUNTING, AND TRASH TALKING. Any player, manager, and/or coach will be ejected for the use of such. The manager is the onlypoint of contact for each team. Any player or group of players that approach an umpire at any-time will be subject to ejection. Managers are responsible for their players' and fans' behavior prior to, during, and after all games.
- On ejections regarding sportsmanship, City Staff and Event Coordinator will decide if playeran return.
- Verbal abuse of umpires, tournament officials and other employees will not be tolerated.
- Teams are responsible for understanding bracket. If you don't understand, ask the Event Coordinator.

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2025 Co-Ed Softball Tournament

- Play will be governed by the 2025 ASA Official Rule Book, with the following notations:
- Home team determined by schedule. Umpires will keep the official score on the scoreboards.
- Batters will start with a 1-1 count. One "courtesy foul" on third strike is allowed.
- Time limit of 50 minutes w/ no new inning after time expires. After 50 minutes or 7 innings,go to a 1-pitch format with runner on 2nd base.
- Run Rule: 20 runs after 3 innings, 15 after 4 innings and 10 after 5 innings.
- Run Rules, time limits, pitch count, etc. applies to all games, including championship game(s)
- HR Limits: CoRec = 1; Over-the-limit HR's are outs only.
- No stealing allowed in this tournament.
- Men hit 12"cor 52./300 softballs & women hit 11" cor .562/300 softballs. It is the managers & pitcher's
 responsibility to hit or pitch the correct ball. If the wrong ball is hit, all play stands. Game balls will be
 provided.
- Automatic walk rule DOES apply to league play. If the male walks, (intentional or unintentional), it is an automatic two-base walk. The female has the option to hit or walk. Once the female enters the batter's box, they must hit.
- Offensive team must alternate batting line-up according to gender.
- Defensively, teams may place players in any position on field.
- Lineup cards should be ready 10 minutes prior to game time with first and last names. Teams
 can start or finish with 9 players (except for ejection). All missing spots in thelineup will be an
 out.
- ZERO TOLERANCE POLICY FOR PROFANITY, TAUNTING, AND TRASH TALKING. Any player, manager, and/or coach will be ejected for the use of such. The manager is the onlypoint of contact for each team. Any player or group of players that approach an umpire at any-time will be subject to ejection. Managers are responsible for their players' and fans' behavior prior to, during, and after all games.
- On ejections regarding sportsmanship, City Staff and Event Coordinator will decide if player can return.
- Verbal abuse of umpires, tournament officials and other employees will not be tolerated.
- Teams are responsible for understanding bracket. If you don't understand, ask the Event Coordinator.