## INFSWINGSPIRTS TOURNAMENT RULES

All One Swing Sports tournaments and events will be played using NFHS rules with the following exceptions:

BATTING LINEUP: May bat entire team for Pool Games, standard NFHS rules for Bracket Games.

COURTESY RUNNER RULE: If batting entire team, the Courtesy Runner will be the LAST COMPLETED AT BAT for the pitcher and or catcher only. If you have players that are on the lineup card and have not been in the game, these players must be used as Courtesy Runner.

GAME LENGTH FOR THIS TOURNAMENT: Pool Play is 1hr 45min finish the inning. Bracket games are 7 inning.

COIN FLIP for ALL Games: Will decide home team

Run-Rule, 10 after 4, 8 after 5, 6 after 6.

The home team scorebook will be used as the official scorekeeper unless the team has no score book in which case the visitor book may be used. In the complete absence of a scorekeeper from either team, the umpires scorecard will be used. Both teams should check the umpires score card after every inning and after the game.

Jewelry is permitted unless deemed dangerous by the umpires in which case it shall be removed.

Headwear may be mixed and can be any color.

Protests to be handled on the field by the UIC of that site, a tournament official and the Umpire who made the call, there will be a \$50 cash PGF Protest Fee to be returned if the protest is upheld. Judgement calls are not protestable.

EJECTIONS: Adult ejected must leave the park immediately and may not enter the park for the next game. Player ejection is confined to the dudgout. Anyone ejected for the second time is eliminated from the tournament and park for the rest of the tournament.

## RULE CHANGES AS OF 2020:

## PITCHING RULE CHANGE:

Pitcher's stride foot positioning

The stride (non-pivot) foot may be on or behind the plate as far back as desired. Once the pitcher initially sets the toe of her stride foot, she may not step, drag or slide it back any farther.

This will be following the NCAA rules for pitchers this season.

I have attached the actual rules as stated by the NCAA

## Pitcher taking signal

- Pitcher must take the pitching signal only from the required pitching position (on the pitcher's plate, hands apart).
- · Hand signals/verbal may come from the dugout prior to the pitcher being on the pitcher's plate
- However, armband information must be gathered by the pitcher while on the pitcher's plate and in the pitching position.
- Pitching signals from the catcher may be given only when the pitcher is in the pitching position on the pitcher's plate.

NCAA is emphasizing that illegal pitches be called for violations of this rule.