

8th Annual Memorial “Softball on Ice” Tournament

March 6th 2021

In Front of the SandBar & Grill on Long Lake, Alpena MI

Rules for CO-ED Teams

1. Co-ed teams must have an equal number of male and female players, unless the team has an odd number of players (i.e., 6 males, 5 females, or vice versa).
2. Player must be 18 years of age or older by the day of competition.
3. Pitching arc of 12 feet only. (14 inch ball).
4. Game is either played 4 complete innings or 1 hour & 10 minutes.
5. All tourney games except championship can end in a tie.
6. Championship game is 5 innings or until there is a winner.
7. A walk is 3 balls. A strikeout is 2 strikes. A foul ball on your second strike is an out. 7 run mercy after 3 innings.
8. Batting order must alternate between male and female players (i.e., male batter, female batter, male batter, female batter, etc.)
9. If a male player receives a base on walks, the next batter (female) automatically receives a base on walks unless she chooses to bat.
10. Unlimited substitution.
11. A team may bat up to 11 batters.
12. If a team fields ten players they must bat at least ten players.
13. A team can play with 9 players.
14. Unsportsmanlike conduct of any kind will result in disqualification of a team or player at the umpire’s discretion.
15. Championship game advancement tie breakers: 1. Best record; 2. Head to head results; 3. Most runs scored; 4. Fewest runs allowed; 5. Flip of coin.
16. Teams must arrive at registration area 30 minutes before their 1st game for registration, and 15 minutes at field before the rest of their games (limited daylight).
17. If games are falling behind, games will start one ball, one strike count.
18. No metal cleats!
19. Umpire makes final decisions.
20. **HAVE FUN! Our #1 Rule!!**