

# Braintree Summer Classic Softball Tournament Rules for 12U

#	Rule(s) Description:
1	Each team will be required to have in their possession a team roster, complete with birth certificate for each player. Please check in at the snack bar before your first game to insure we have your correct contact information.
2	Game captains, coaches and umpire meeting. Line-ups, ground rules discussed. Double coin toss to determine home team in Round Robin play.
3	Standard ASA rules apply with the following exceptions.
4	Substitutions through plate umpire.
5	Mercy rule: 15 runs after 3 innings, 12 after 4 innings, 8 after 5 innings. No inning can start after 1 one hour and 30 minutes. <b><i>Coaches please keep the game moving by quickly getting the girls on and off the field between innings.</i></b>
6	Each team may list 10 players on the line-up card. The player listed in the 10 <sup>th</sup> spot (flex) can play any defensive position and may enter the game on offense only in the designated player (DP) batting position. The DP is the player who was initially on the line-up card in the teams batting order but not in the defensive order.
7	Round robin games can end in a tie. The home team of all round robin games will be determined by a double coin flip.
8	Sunday's Single elimination games will use the international tie-breaker after 7 innings or 1 hour 30 minutes (whichever occurs first- except for the Semi-Finals and Championship games which will have no time limit.) Mercy rule in effect on Sunday is 15 runs after 3 innings; 12 after 4 innings, 8 after 5 innings.
9	Highest seed is home team in single elimination for Sunday's play. At the conclusion of pool play the seeds will be determined at end of Saturday by (1) head-to-head, (2) runs allowed, (3) runs scored or (4) coin toss.
10	Tournament director can change schedules, shorten games, and revise format in the event of inclement weather.
11	Umpire in charge will settle all disputes at the field.
12	No Slashing allowed

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