

# Pride Sports USA - Softball Official Rules PrideSportsUSA.com 4.9.21 

Pride Sports USA Softball

1. Batters will start with a 1 and 1 count.
2. Batters will get 1 courtesy foul after having two strikes.
(Example)
New batter to the plate... Starts with a 1 ball and 1 strike count... Batter swings and hits a foul ball. The count is not 1 ball, 2 strikes. The batter then hits another foul ball. The count is 1 ball and 2 strikes with the courtesy foul gone. If the player swings and missed or swings and hits a foul ball again, that would be strike 3 and the batter is out. 3.Games are 50 mins or 7 innings. (No new innings after 50 mins)
4.Pitchers are required to wear a face shield.
3. 8 runs max per inning, except for the last inning.
4. Each regular season game will be a coin flip to determine home and away.
(Please ignore which team is listed as Home and Away on the schedule)
5. For the playoff games the Higher Seeded team is the Home team.
6. Pride Sports USA is supplying the bats. Only these bats are allowed.
7. We will follow ASA softball rules. That can be found
http://files.leagueathletics.com/Text/Documents/13338/35721.pdf

Captains - All players that show for that weeks games must be in the batting order and all players must play at least one inning on defense.
Captains - Remember we are FUN focused so please create even playing time for all players.

## Uniforms

Each team will receive an official Pride Sports USA uniform.
All players must use this as their official team uniform for games.
Players must be in their uniform to play.
Alterations
Players may only cut off the sleeves.
Players can not print/draw or put anything on their uniforms.
Players (if cutting the sleeves off) may not cut into any of the logos printed on the shirt.
If any of these rules are broken (the player must pay $\$ 25$ for a new uniform)

