



BUFFALO SPORTS

Co-ed rules – 6 guys – 4 girls

1. You can play with 9 (but must take an automatic out)
 - a. You can bat 12 – but it must be a guy and girl or 2 girl's
 - b. If a player gets hurt or ejected you must take an out
 - c. If you start with 9 you can add a 10th if they show.
 - d. If you start with 9 and you lose a player you forfeit

2. 3 courtesy runners (only 1 per inning). You have to use the last gender out.

3. Mercy rule:
20 after 3
15 after 4
12 after 5
10 after 6

4. Time No inning can start after 7:10 / No inning can start after 8:20 for the second game.
 - a. A game must be given 1:20 minutes unless the game starts late.

5. Reporting scores –
 - a. Captains of the winning team must e-mail or text score 24 hours after the game.
 - b. After 24 hours a 1-0 win is recorded.

6. Coin flip –
 - a. all games are coin flip

7. Base running
 - a. Remember a forced runner must give himself up at the base. No collisions runner will be called out.

8. Defensive players cannot lineup for a throw in the base paths.
 - a. If a runner collides with a defensive player they are out and a dead ball is called. The runner may be ejected per umpires ruling.

9. Third strike foul batter is out for men players. Women get a courtesy 4th. strike if a 3rd. strike is a foul for women.

10. Walk rule-
 - a. If a male walks with a female on deck the male goes to second and the female has a player has the option of walking to first.
 - b. If there is no girl on deck (because the team only has 9) the male player stays on 1st.

c. Teams cannot substitute a girl player for a guy to get the free walk. The switch must be made before the at bat.

11. Outfielders cannot throw batters out at 1st.

12. There is a strict no argument rule between umpires and players.

a. A player may question a call at the time of the play. After the next play starts if a player continues to argue they can be ejected by the Umpire

b. If a player is ejected they must leave the ballpark. – 2 minutes.

c. If a player or players are arguing with the other team an Umpire can request you stop. If you continue the umpire can remove you from the game.

13. Bat protest. - If teams (players) are suspected of using an illegal bat

a. AFTER the bat is used ask the umpire to check the bat. If the bat is not ASA regulation the player is called out. The bat must be removed from the area.

14. Protest –

a. To protest a rule violation you must inform the umpire that you are protesting the rule infraction. Have the umpire sign the book at the time of the protest.

b. if for any reason the Umpire refuses to sign the book or acknowledge the protest immediately text the league (553-3839) and file by text.

C. the league will rule on the protest within 3 days.

15. Defensive line-up

a. One girl must be in the infielder – One female must play outfield. The pitcher/catcher combination must be guy/girl.

16. batting order –

a. In 6-4 3 guys may never bat in a row. You can also bat an extra guy only if you bat an extra girl.

5 on 5 rules (Fridays)

1. Batting order must be guy/girl. You can bat an extra guy only if you bat an extra girl.

2. Defensive Line-up-

- a. There must be 2 girls in the outfield and 2 girls in the outfield.