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 **12.26.15 Coed Softball Tournament Rules**

5 men and 5 women

Teams can have a male EH if there is a female EH, to bat 12 players total.

Male/female alternating batting order.

One female and one male courtesy runner per inning, for any reason. Runner can be any player active in lineup.

Runners must touch the safety base at first base.

Runners must slide/avoid contact at home plate.

Any walk to a male batter will result in a two base award. The ball is dead. The next batter (a female) will bat. EXCEPTION: With two outs, the female batter has the option to walk or bat.

45-min time limit

NO grace

5-inning games

1 pitch with a strike zone mat

No free foul

Ball is in play everywhere in the field, except bleacher area

Batted balls that get caught in ceiling netting are dead

Men hit 12-inch balls and use ASA BATS WITH THE NEW STAMP ONLY

Women hit 11-inch balls and use ASA BATS WITH THE NEW STAMP ONLY

ASA Approved Bat List: <http://usa.asasoftball.com/e/build_batlist_one_page.asp> --

No senior bats

6-12 foot arc

1 courtesy runner per inning/any reason/any player

Must start with 9 players

No grace period – forfeit if 9 players are not on field at game time

No picking up players from other teams

ASA rules if not stated

10 run rule in effect after 4 innings

5 team max/Double Elimination

Championship game is 7-innings, with no time limit

Winning team awarded: free entry into our next coed tournament

No outside food/drink other than water in facility and NO TAILGAITING in parking lot with alcoholic beverages