



FORMAT AND GUIDELINES

- All teams will play a **minimum of 5 Games / 4 pool and single elimination**
- Pool games will be 5 innings or an hour and 20 minutes finish the inning. The game is over when a winner is determined. Pool games can end in a tie. Bracket games will be 5 innings or 80 minutes finish the inning.
- Run rules will apply in all pool and bracket games. 12 after 2, 10 after 3 and 8 after 4 innings of play.
- Free defensive substitutions in pool play and bracket. That means a player does not have to be in the batting line up to be playing a defensive position.
- Teams **WILL HAND IN A LINE UP FOR ALL GAMES!!** You may bat a minimum of nine or your entire roster. You must maintain the integrity of your line up in pool and bracket play. You must report all offensive substitutions.
- In pool play any runner can run for anyone at any time. **EXCEPTION:** If the runner subs in and is on base when her at bat comes up. If this happens the team will take an out for delaying the game.
- If a batter walks or gets hit by a pitch they will take their base. No repeat at bats.
- In bracket play courtesy runners will be used for catchers and pitchers only. Courtesy runners will be reported. If you are batting your entire line-up, then your last recorded out will be your only option for courtesy. All other pinch runners must follow normal check in procedures as a sub.
- All teams will progress to the Single elimination tournament regardless of pool play performance.
- Single Elimination Bracket will be seeded based on pool play finish. Games will be 5 innings or 80 minutes on Sunday.
- Dugouts will be pre- determined throughout the event. If you are listed on the left side in pool you will occupy the first base dugout. If you are on right

you will occupy the third base dugout. In bracket the team on the bottom will be in the third base dugout. EXCEPTION: If a team is playing back to back and is already in possession of a dugout they will stay.

- **Teams are welcome to bring player profiles to hang at dugout.**
- **Balls will be provided throughout the entire event.**
- **Games will begin on Friday at 5:00 PM. All Teams must be prepared to play early and exceptions will be made only if necessary.**
- **The official website for this event is greenbrooksoftball.com**
- **Pick up player policy is as follows: No pickups during the event. Your USSSA roster and &USSSA pick up rulers will apply. Guest players reported properly on line prior to the event are welcome.**
- **College players are welcome as long as they have not aged out.**
- **Team coolers will be allowed in the dugout. Please be sure to let your parents know that pets are not permitted inside the confines of the field. ALSO Please **bring personal chairs** as there are no bleachers.**
- **Gate fee is \$5.00 per day and three coaches per team will have free admission.**
- **In the event of rainout placing will be determined by progress in the single elimination bracket. 4 complete innings is a complete game.**
- **Please be advised that coaches are responsible for the department of your fans. Judgement calls on the field are final and there will be no protests.**
- **If an illegal player is identified both the player and coach will be ejected from the game. (For example: too old or not on your roster) Must be reported during the game or there is no consequence. This is the only allowable protest.**
- **If a coach is ejected from a game for any reason, it is the USSSA rule that the coach will also have to sit out the next game. This is for the kids let's keep it fun.**

On behalf of the Coach K and the City of Southaven we thank you for joining us and Good Luck.