





## **8U Tournaments Rules**

- 1. Game Ball-Yellow 11 inch-red or blue stitched. 47 core 375
- 2. No Baseball Bats.
- 3. Play 7 innings or 55 min. time limit.
- 4. You may only score 7 runs per half inning.
- 5. Run Rule 12 10 after 8
- 6. Pitching distance- 35' Base path 60'
- 7. You get 5 pitches only or 3 strikes.
- 8. Can bat everyone on your team if you choose too.
- If a line drive hits the coach pitcher-Dead ball bat again, If the umpire believes the pitcher intentionally interfered with the ball, the batter is out.
- 10. When the ball is hit, the pitcher coach must exit into foul territory on the opposite side of where the ball was hit.
- 11. You play 10 players on defense but 4 girls have to play 10 feet behind the base line.
- 12. Must have 8 players to start the game and your 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> batters are not out. less than 8 players is a forfeit.
- 13. Coin flip determines the home team.
- 14. Home team is the official score keeper.
- 15. Defensive chatter is allowed.
- 16. Catcher must wear a helmet with a face mask.
- 17. Batters are required to wear helmets from the time they leave the dugout till they return to the dugout.
- 18. You may lead off the base once the ball has cross home plate but you can steal.
- 19. Any coaches that are not on the field while on defense or pitching or base coaches on offense has to stay at their dugout.