Men’s Slowpitch Softball League

* Bat List
  + ASA/USA bats allowed.
* Ball
  + Tattoo NX3 balls will be provided.
* Time Limit
  + 55-Minute Drop Dead
  + 5 Minutes in between games. If we can start a game early, we will.
* No Run Rules
* Pitch height
  + Between 6-10 feet.
* Pitch Count
  + All batters will start with a 1-1 count.
  + 1 foul is allowed. 2nd foul is an out.
* General Rules
  + Team roster of 11, 9 players in the field.
    - Subs allowed, must sign a wavier at front desk before playing.
  + The home team will be decided by coin flip.
  + Balls hit off the side nets will be considered a dead foul ball.
  + Balls hit off the ceiling are live and can be caught for an out.
    - Fair or foul is determined by where the ball lands, not where the ball strikes the ceiling.
    - A ball may land fair and roll foul if in front of 1st & 3rd base.
  + Pitchers must wear a helmet or mask.
    - We will not enforce the mask rule for pitchers, but it is for their own safety! Teams can have the option to play with an L-screen in front of the pitcher as long as everyone agrees to it! If a batter hits the L-screen, it will be called a foul ball the first time. If they hit the L-screen a second time, it will be an out!
  + Balls hit off the back wall, including home runs, may NOT be caught for an out.
  + No 5-man infield. Must have 3 designated outfielders. Total of 9 players in the field.
  + Everyone must stay in the dugout at all times when not playing defense. Or if they are the on-deck or in-the-hole batters on offense.
* Home Runs
  + Home runs will be any ball hit OVER the second lateral beam from the floor. Ball may hit the ceiling and carry over the beam for a home run.
  + Hit and sit
  + Max homeruns is 8 per game. If you hit a homerun after your team already has 8 total, it will be recorded as an out.
* Courtesy Runners
  + Last out
* Prize
  + $50 gift card to winning team that can be used in Café, to get in another league, or to buy swag from the front desk.
* **REPORTING OF SCORES**
  + EVERY WEEK, ALL TEAMS MUST SEND IN THEIR FINAL SCORES TO [OLIVIA@ETHICINDOOR.COM](mailto:olivia@ethicindoor.com).
* ABSOLUTELY NO CARRY INS
* NO CLEATS & NO ALCOHOL OR FOOD ON THE TURF

Program director may change rules at any time, as long as notice is given.