Chuck Harmon Softball Classic

Tournament Rules-2026

ASA (USA Softball) rules unless otherwise noted in age specific rules.

General Rules

- Each team will play 2 pool games followed by a single elimination tournament
- 6 innings or 70 min. games, finish the inning (Pool can end in tie, tournament will use tie breaker)
- Game times listed are approximate. Be prepared to take the field at the conclusion of the game prior to your game. Failure to be on the field and ready will result in a forfeit. It is recommended that you arrive 1 Hour ahead of the listed time.
- In case of inclement weather, games may be shortened
- Line-ups are to be submitted to the official scorebook and opposing team prior to game time.
- Home team listed 1st in pool play
- Home team will be determined by seed in bracket play.
- Seed determination: Win/loss record, Head to Head, RS, RA, random draw
- Tie game considered 1⁄2 win and 1⁄2 loss. Forfeited game noted as 7-0 loss.
- Home team = official scorebook, Visitors = scoreboard
- Plate umpire will announce official start time after concluding the coaches meeting
- Official start time will be notated in the official scorebook
- Tournament games will use tie breaker
    - Offensive team begins with runners on 2nd & 3rd and start with 1 out. Runners are the last 2 completed at bat

- Any rule questions or rule clarifications will be reviewed with the plate umpire prior to the start of the game.
- 9U and 10U will be separate, unless low registration in each age group, then they will be combined. Coaches will be notified if such change needs made.
- Please see next page for age specific rules
- WSC has the right to make changes, clarifications, or additions to these rules at any time.

If any issues arise, please find a WSC representative. We are all volunteers and do our best to provide a fun, safe, and educational experience for the players. We will not tolerate any unsportsmanlike behavior by coaches, players, or fans. If it is deemed necessary, a guest may be asked to leave for a specified amount of time to be determined by an umpire or WSC representative.

We ask that everyone respect each other and remember, it is just a game.

In case of inclement weather, we will notify via email or text group.

8U Coach Pitch Rules

- Time must be called to stop the lead runner. It is the umpire's discretion if the runner is under or over half way between bases and can advance or return.
- 6 defensive players allowed in the infield and 4 players in outfield. 1 outfield coach permitted.
- Player pitching must have at least one foot inside circle at the time of the pitch
- No bunting
- No stealing but base runners may lead off when ball leaves pitchers' hand.
- Unlimited bases on overthrows.
- Batters will be allowed 5 pitches/3 strikes unless the last pitch is fouled.
- Run Rule is 12 after 3, 10 after 4 or 8 after 5
- · Courtesy runner allowed for catcher, must be last out made.

9U/10U/12U/14U Rules

- Drop 3rd strike in effect
- Bunting allowed
- 3 outfielders
- Courtesy runner allowed for pitcher/catcher. Last person to make the out.
- Unlimited stealing, runners may lead off after the ball leaves the pitcher's hand.
- No intentional walks
- Run Rule is 12 after 3, 10 after 4 or 8 after 5

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Teams entering should be Rec-League All-Stars or C-level travel team. If a C-level travel team, we will be checking for classifications on the USSA website. 2025 age requirements will apply. We will go by USSA 2026 season age rules.

Accepting 8U,9U, 10U, 12U, and 14U

Team Name: _____
Coach:_____

Email:_____
Phone:_____

Address:
_____

City:_____ State: _____
Zip:_____

Does the team have accident/injury insurance? Yes_____ No_____

Entry fees listed below. Payment and registration form is due by June 1, 2026.

Notice: Team roster may be submitted with payment but will not be required until 48 hours prior to the tournament. Changes to roster will be accepted up to 48 hours prior to the first game played.

8U	$250
9U	$300
10U	$300
12U	$300
14U	$300

*Multi Team discount, if your organization is bringing 3 or more teams you will receive a $50 discount per team

Gate fees will be $10 day/$15 weekend, with ages 10 and under free.

Concessions will be available

Each division will have a Champion and finalist that will receive awards. (12 per team).

If the tournament is cancelled a full refund will be issued. If a tournament is cancelled due to weather on the weekend of play a refund will be based on the number of games played. If 1 game played a refund of 50% will be given. If 2 games played a refund of 25% will be given.

Payments can be made by check or Venmo (3% convenience fee)

Make Checks Made Payable to: Washington Youth Baseball

Email Registration Forms to:ahonaker913@gmail.com

Mail checks/registration to**:**

Alyssa Honaker, 1718 N 300 W, Washington, IN 47501

Venmo: @Alyssa-Honaker-3

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Coach Name/Role		Cellphone
Head Coach		
Assistant Coach		
Assistant Coach		

	Player Name	Birthdate
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I certify that the player's name and birthdate is correct.

Signature of Coach and date:

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