Wood Bat Rules UPG Baseball - 2023



Rule & Notes:

- 1. No dogs are allowed at either ball park, in Salem or Payson.
- 2. If we are presented with weather issues we will update status on <u>www.upgbaseball.com</u>
- 3. Games will be 1 hr and 45 minutes. Pool games will end in a tie. In seeded games, International tie breaker will be used in extra inning or after time has expired.
- 4. Home Rock / Paper / Scissors. (Seeded & Championship highest seed is home Championship will have a 2hr. time limit)
- 5. Pitchers will have 7 innings per day. Take care of your pitchers and arms.
- 6. Game ending Mercy Rule will be **9 after 5 innings** or **12 after 4 innings**.
- 7. Bats, must be wood or wood composite. Bamboo is approved.
- 8. Leave the umpires alone.
- 9. Parents and coaches are encouraged to remember it a kids game and experience. Don't ruin it.
- 10. High School Federation rules will be the rules used for this event. 3rd to 1st pick off move is good.
- 11. This is a wood bat tournament, enjoy the game as it was meant to be played.
- 12. If a team has less than 9 players, there will be no automatic outs.
- 13. All teams are required to have birth certificates and proof of ID on site. All players must play at least 1 pool play game in order to play in the match up games.

Tie Breakers

- 1. Record a tie will be worth .5 of a win. So, it is better than a loss.
- 2. Head to head
- 3. Runs allowed common opponent
- 4. Total runs allowed
- 5. Coin flip