



2022 ICEBREAKER TOURNAMENT RULES

Date: April 15th, 16th, and 17th @ Albion Sports
Complex
Diamonds 1, 2, 4, and 5

- 1) Unlimited substitutions.
- 2) All players bat.
- 3) No new inning to start after 1hr. 20 minutes. Game is drop dead at 1 hr. 30 minutes. If last inning started is not completed, the official score will be reverted back to the last completed inning, or, if top half of inning is completed and home team is ahead, the game is over and the home team will not bat.
- 4) Each team will play 4 games, no playoffs or medals as this is an Icebreaker.
- 5) Five run limit per inning, Mercy rule: 7 runs ahead after five innings. If the Home Team is leading at 4½ by 7 runs or more the Home Team does not need to take their bats and the game is over.
- 6) The Infield Fly Rule is in effect for all Divisions.
- 7) The Dropped 3rd Strike is NOT in effect for the U13B Division.
- 8) This is a no protest tournament. Please keep in mind you may have some new and inexperienced umpires. If you notice or experience a problem with an umpire, please talk to him/her calmly and bring it to their attention. In this way, they can learn from experience and if necessary, obtain further guidance. We train our umpires to be courteous and respectful towards coaches, teams, and spectators. Please extend the same courtesy.
- 9) All teams are required to have fun.