



SLOWPITCH Utah Summer Games Tournament Information

This event will adopt Rules of the OFFICIAL **United States Specialty Sports Association (USSSA)** (www.ussa.com) with the following exceptions:

Check-In: Please check in with KATHY STAHL at the Fields at the Hills before your game to get game balls and your USG swag bag. **Home Run wristbands must be purchased here as well (\$20 Per band, 1 per division)**
Fields at The Hills address is 2090 W Royal Hunte Drive, Cedar City.

1. **There is ZERO tolerance** for disruptive behavior by fans, coaches, or players. Derogatory comments, poor behavior, and negative verbal communications toward any event staff will be cause for removal from the event and complex. **SPECTATORS ARE NEVER TO ADDRESS UMPIRES.**
2. **Rosters/Waiver(s)** are all to be completed online through your Tourney Machine Team account. Each player must be listed on the online roster and sign the online Waiver to be eligible to play. There cannot be any additions made to the roster at the event*. ***There may be an emergency add-on at the Tournament Director's approval.**
3. **Identity** - Managers who register their team for the event acknowledge that their rosters are complete and accurate. If a player's identity is questioned, that player must present a valid State ID to the Tournament Director upon request or the player will be ruled Illegal. **Any team caught with an illegal player or roster will be subject to removal or forfeiture.**
4. **Game Ball** - **Game balls will be issued at Check-In at the Fields at the Hills.** These are the **official event balls** and no other ball can be used. Additional balls can be purchased for \$7 per ball with no exceptions. Teams caught **not using event balls** will be warned the first time and then issued subsequent outs thereafter.
Coed/Mix - 3 Mens & 2 Womens Mens - 3 Mens Womens - 2 Womens
5. **The home team** shall be decided by a coin toss. **In the Championship Game**, the undefeated team gets the choice of Home or Visitor. No IF game, the **winner takes all Brackets**. The home team is required to have a scorebook. Umpires will keep score on the field and will refer to the scorebook if/when questions arise.
6. **ALL Bats** must have the USSSA Mark and be on the USSSA-approved bat list. Our first priority is the safety of all those participating. The manager (s) and players are responsible for making sure all equipment used is legal to play. Umpires and directors have the authority to remove bats at their discretion.
 - a) A bat may be removed from the game IF, the pitcher is HIT by a batted ball that the umpire deemed undefendable. **A second offense in the same event** will be grounds for the bat to be removed from the event completely.
 - b) The owner/user of the bat will be asked to relinquish the bat, which will be cataloged. If the owner/user refuses, they will automatically be suspended from the event.
 - c) Confiscated bats will be returned to the owner(s) after the first game offense **OR** after the event for a second offense.



7. **Home Run Rules** - 4 Home Runs per team per game (women are unlimited), all others are outs (over-the-fence home runs)

8. **Home Run Wristbands** - 2 Home Run Bracelets can be purchased per team for \$20 per bracelet. Each bracelet is good for the Division it was purchased for (**Coed only, men's only, women's only, must purchase per division**). The **Wristband designee has unlimited home runs**. IF the Wristband designee walks then the next batter who hits an Over The Fence (OTF) home run may do so without penalty. * **Must be purchased from KATHY at Fields at the Hills.**

9. **Run Rules** - 20 runs after 3 innings, 15 runs after 4 innings, and 10 Runs after 5 innings have been reached. ***flip/flop rules apply**

10. **Game Time** - 50 Minutes **FINISH THE INNING** (including the championship game). Teams must be checked in and ready to play 15 minutes before the scheduled time. Games may start up to 15 min early when possible. Game time is forfeit time.

11. **Defense** - **COED** - 2 men/2 women infield, 2 men/2 women outfield, and pitcher/catcher must be a guy/girl combination.

12. **Pitch** - The pitch must ARC at least 3 feet after leaving the pitcher's hand and before it passes any part of the home plate. The pitched ball **shall not rise higher than 10 feet** above the ground.

13. **Pool Play** - Pool play games may end in a tie. Tie Breakers - Head to Head, Runs Allowed, Run Diff, Runs Scored, Winning percentage.

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Our goal is to make this experience memorable. If you need assistance please feel free to contact us
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