

# SOFTBALL FORMAT

## 1. *Type of Competition*

Each installation will conduct an event for the eligible units at their installation for the Camp Commander's Cup (CC Cup) competition. Teams participating in these events will be formed in accordance with the current version of the reference and the rules listed below. The top eight teams overall in each respective CC Cup competition will also receive the right to advance to play in the Combined CG Cup competitions.

## 2. *Rules*

The Amateur Softball Association (ASA) rules will apply as modified by these bylaws or the tournament director.

## 3. *Team Size*

The team size will be limited to 15 players, plus a coach. A coach who participates as a player will count against the 15-player limit.

## 4. *Awards*

- a. One team award for the first and second place teams of the CC Cup and Combined CG Cup competition.
- b. One individual award for each member of the first and second place teams, to include the coach of the Combined CG Cup competition. Awards will not exceed 16 per team.

## 5. *Officials*

There will be one home plate umpire, one field umpire, and one scorekeeper for all games.

## 6. *Bylaws*

- a. During all games, except the championship game, there will be a 20 after 3, 15 after 4, and 10 after 5 run rule and/or a 1-hour time limit, whichever occurs. At least three innings must be played, for a 20 run rule to be in effect, unless the home team is ahead by 20 runs in the third inning. At least four innings must be played for the 15 run rule to be in effect, unless the home team is ahead by 15 runs in the fourth inning. At least five innings must be played for the 10 run rule to be in effect, unless the home team is ahead by 10 runs in the fifth inning.
- b. During all championship games, there will be 75-min time limit with no run rule.
- c. Championship games are defined as follows:
  - (1) Championship game
  - (2) "If" game
- d. There will be no home run limit during any game, unless modified by the tournament director. (i.e., short field)
- e. NO ALCOHOL OF ANY KIND IS ALLOWED IN THE TEAM AREA OR ON THE FIELD OF PLAY. COACHES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE TEAM AREAS AND WILL BE EJECTED ALONG WITH INDIVIDUAL POSSESSING THE ALCOHOL. ANY PLAYER APPEARING TO BE UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF ALCOHOL WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE TOURNAMENT. THERE WILL BE NO GLASS CONTAINERS OF ANY TYPE PERMITTED.
- f. There shall be no pets of any kind allowed on any athletics field or within spectator seating.