

2014 Relay For Life Co-Ed Tournament Rules

- 1: Teams must use 12 inch softballs (375 max compression with a 44 cor)
The home team of each game will provide game balls and be the official Score book of that game.
- 2: Games will be 6 innings or one hour. Mercy Rules are: 15 run lead after 3 innings, 12 run lead after 4 innings, or 10 run lead after 5 innings.
- 3: Steel spikes are not allowed.
- 4: Each batter will begin with a 1-1 count. No courtesy foul after 2nd strike.
- 5: A team is considered 10 people. A team may choose to bat 12 people if all 12 are present at game time. The batting order must alternate male then female (or female then male) each batter. A game may begin with 8 people (gender specific) and add up to 10 players (gender specific).
- 6: Defensive Alignment: 10 defensive players are allowed on the field.
If a male is pitching (suggested) then a female must catch, and if a female is pitching a male must catch.
A team must use 2 male and 2 female players to cover the other 4 infield positions. A team must also use 2 male and 2 female players to cover the 4 positions in the outfield.
- 7: Any walk to a male batter will result in a 2 base award. (Runners advance when forced)
The following female batter must bat with less than two outs, and has the option of walking or batting with 2 outs.
- 8: Stealing is not allowed.
- 9: There is no home run limit per inning.
- 10: A courtesy runner is allowed for any player once per inning. This runner must be the gender specific last person who was the batted out.
- 11: Three bats per field will be provided. A 26, 27, and 28 oz bat per field.
These are the only bats allowed in the playing field area.
- 12: Please remember that this is a Relay For Life FAMILY event. Please refrain from cursing and inappropriate behavior. Young eyes and ears are watching and listening. Coaches are responsible for their players.
- 13: Have Fun!!!!