

Plain City 2010 Tournament 8U Softball Rules:

- Time limit of no new inning after 1 hour and 20 minutes, Championship game play full 6 innings no time limit. Play maximum of 6 innings.
- Run rule is 6 runs per inning. Lead of 13 or more after 4 complete innings or 7 after 5 innings concludes game.
- No Bunting Allowed
- No Slap hitting (Slug Bunting) Allowed
- No Stealing bases
- Once a ball is hit into play, runners advance as many bases as possible, until ball is controlled by infielder in circle then play is considered stopped. Once ball is controlled by infielder in circle any runner between bases must be past line to advance to next base.
- Ball fielded in circle is live until lead runner is stopped and time is called by umpire.
- Defensive pitcher must have 1 foot in circle until ball is pitched.
- Defense plays 10 fielders. Must have minimum of 9 players to start game.
- Offense must bat entire lineup.
- Ball hit back up middle and strikes coach pitching is immediately a dead ball, runners must go back to original base and batter is still up with original pitch count.
- 7 pitches maximum unless last pitch is fouled, then at-bat will continue. 3 swinging strikes and batter is out unless 3rd strike is fouled.
- Coach must start and finish pitching within the circle. Pitching coach must make attempt to get out of field of play once ball is put in play.
- **Have Fun and remember this is for our girls to learn and have a good experience.**