

RED DEER LADIES LEAGUE

GENERAL LEAGUE RULES

The league will follow the Canada softball rule book except:

- Unlimited re-entry of a player. A player can enter and exit the game as many times as they wish ***so long as they stay in the same batting order.***
 - This is for league play only, not playoffs. A player may replace the same player throughout the game.
 - They cannot replace a different player each inning.
- A game is complete if a team is up 15 after 3, 7 after 5. ***The SC rule of 10 runs after 4 innings is not used.***
- Teams must use ***line up cards*** that are provided
- Metal cleats are allowed.
- Teams will be allowed to start and end with 8 players due to Covid.
 - The 9th batter will be an automatic out.
- Time limit on games is ***no new inning after 1.5 hours***
- All diamonds must be shale, groomed and lined and approved by the umpires.
- ***Gateway diamonds will be set up by the Home team.***
 - There will be a locked box on site with all the bases and equipment necessary.
 - after the game, please ensure all equipment is returned to the box and locked.
 - The lock combination for both the box and the porta potty will be emailed out the week before league starts.
- ***Home team will take 3rd base dugout*** (exception: double headers, stay in the same dugout for your second game)
- ***A player may be picked up*** from another league team if it is your 9th player.
- A player must be on their team's roster to be eligible for playoffs.
 - June 30 in the deadline. One injury replacement player will be allowed for playoffs.
 - The team must produce a doctor's note for the injured player.
 - The replacement player must be from their appropriate pick up category.
 - The player may come from another team in the league that is not in playoffs. All players must be on your league roster by June 30 to play league games.
- Any player who is pregnant during the 2023 season may play but must obtain a doctor's note allowing them to play.

- Zero abuse/tolerance to unnecessary and unsportsmanlike behavior to any player, coach, manager, umpire or spectator.