

Idaho District 2 Inter-League Rules  
Softball Juniors Division  
2017 Season

All teams shall follow the rules as set forth in the current Little League Softball Official Regulations and Playing Rules, with the following options/exceptions/additions.

1. Home team shall occupy the third base side of the field and visitors will occupy the first base side. The home team will provide the scorebook and scorekeeper for the management of the game.
2. Each team will furnish a minimum of one (1) District Certified Umpire for all inter-league games. The home team should provide the plate umpire. If only one umpire shows up a manager, coach or parent (if District Certified) may umpire in the field. If more than two umpires are available, one shall be designated Umpire-in-Chief and the other umpires shall be field umpires [Rule 9.03(b)]. It is **highly recommended** that each team have their coaching staff District Certified in cases where umpires may be unavailable.
3. Prior to the start of the game, the home team shall provide two (2) new balls to the home plate umpire. This division uses yellow softballs of 12" in circumference (as defined in the current Little League Softball Official Regulations and Playing rules). No marking aside from factory lettering is allowed on the balls. The plate umpire may require additional balls during the game and select the best used balls for the teams.
4. The Host team is responsible for preparing and setting up the field, to include chalking forty-five minutes prior to game time. Player safety is essential and therefore it is mandatory that field prep include loosening then smoothing the dirt around 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> base and home plate (if on dirt field).
5. Weekday games will begin promptly at 6:15pm.  
  
As a courtesy, during times of severe inclement weather it is requested that playing conditions be reviewed and cancelled by 3pm weekday and two hours prior on non-weekday games to save teams from traveling to a site that is unplayable.
6. The entire District will comprise the Inter-League.
7. Each manager will be provided with a list of managers' names, phone numbers and e-mail addresses.
8. No pitching affidavit is needed.
9. The ten (10) run rule is in effect.
10. This Division will adopt continuous batting order at this level. [Rule 4.04]
11. On deck circles are allowed. If there are two on deck circles the batter shall use the backside – i.e. if the batter at the plate is right handed the on deck batter goes to the circle on the third base side and if the batter at the plate is left handed the on deck batter goes to the circle on the first base side.
12. We encourage every team to have more than one pitcher and one catcher.
13. Complete game is seven innings. Legal game is four and one half innings if home team is ahead.

Approved/Acknowledged by the League Presidents on 3/19/2017

| <u>League</u> | <u>Printed Name</u>     | <u>Signature</u>        |
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