





2021 Rochester Summer Heat June 12th and 13th

June 12: 10U and 14U

June 13: 12U and 16U

\$260

Format: Single day, 3 game-guarantee, bracket play, awards for 1st and 2nd place

Entry Fee: \$260 (Balls provided)

Age Levels: 10U, 12U, 14U, 16U

Location: Rochester Softball Complex

827 36th Ave SE

Rochester, MN 55904

Time limit: No new inning after 65 minutes

Amenities: On-site concession stand, covered dugouts, indoor toilets, no admission

and free parking

Deadline to Register: June 5, 2021

Hosted by: Rochester Youth Fastpitch Softball Association (RYFSA)

Contact: Ken Nance at ryfsa01@gmail.com

Register online at

https://ryfsa.sportngin.com/register/form/791455268

Teams may make **online payment with registration or by mail-in check** after registration is completed. Make all checks payable to RYFSA and mail to this this address:

Rochester Youth Fastpitch Softball Association

P.O. Box 6792

Rochester, MN 55903

ROCHESTER SUMMER HEAT TOURNAMENT RULES

General:

- All protests will be settled on the field. Umpire decisions are final.
- The Tournament Director reserves the right to shorten the length of games or format in the event of bad weather.
- Coaches are responsible for bench and fans behavior. ONE WARNING! If behavior continues, guilty party will be asked to leave the premise within 2 minutes or team will forfeit.
- No renegade or all-star teams. Players can only be rostered and play on one team within the tournament.
- Awards for 1st and 2nd place teams

Games:

- Game time is start time.
- Coin toss will determine home team.
- Team listed first or on top of bracket must take first base bench or dugout.
- Games are 5 innings for 10U and 7 innings for 12U, 14U, and 16U or until time has expired, whichever comes first.
- No new inning may start after 65 minutes. In bracket play, the international tie-breaker rule will be used if time has expired and additional innings are needed.
 - o International Tie-Breaker Rule: The last batter of the prior inning will start on second base.
- **Teams must bat their roster.** If injury occurs, you may shrink roster without penalty.
- There are no restrictions on the number of innings a pitcher can pitch.
- There are unlimited substitutions of players on defense.
- For 10U only:
 - o Batter cannot advance on dropped 3rd called strike.
 - o Teams may use 10 defensive players.
 - o Teams may start a game with 8 players.
 - o Runners may advance only one more base beyond a steal.
 - o Pitching rubber at 35 feet. (12U will be at 40 feet.)

• Run rules:

- o Teams may score a maximum of five (5) runs per half inning.
- o Max of runs scored on passed ball is 3 per inning.
- o This applies to all teams and all games.
- o 15 after 3, 12 after 4, 8 after 5 innings.