



6th Annual Derek Whiting Memorial Co-ed Slow Pitch Tournament



Registration Form

Registration fee: **\$200**

Cash or Cheque only

(cheques payable to the Derek Whiting Foundation)

Maximum 14 players/ team

(must have a minimum of 5 women on the field at all times)

Team Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

of Players: _____

Mail registration and payment* to
The Derek Whiting Foundation
70622 Bluewater Hwy.
PO Box 789
Grand Bend, ON N0M 1T0
(* no payment= no registration)

Please sign in at the pavilion prior to first game with roster of players and to pick up any rule changes

OFFICE USE ONLY

Payment received date: _____

Method of payment: _____

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Rules and Regulations

Goal: To have a fun weekend of baseball! And to raise funds for the Derik Whiting Foundation.

1. EACH PLAYER WILL PLAY FOR ONE TEAM ONLY. TEAM ROSTERS WILL BE SUBMITTED PRIOR TO THE FIRST GAME. VIOLATION WILL RESULT IN GAME FORFEIT FOR OFFENDING TEAM.
2. Rules:
 - a. Pick up a copy of the rules at the registration table prior to the first game to ensure that you are aware of any additional or changed rules.
 - b. Rules will be posted by the registration table for the duration of the tournament
3. Time limit: 45 minutes or five innings, whichever comes first. All innings must be completed.
 - a. "A" and "B" division final games are played with full 7 innings, no time limit, two umpires
 - b. 15 run mercy rule in effect (must be ahead by 15 runs) after completing 3 innings.
 - c. Maximum 8 runs per inning in effect
4. Roster must be complete before first game. An insert may occur if the batting order has not been completed once, providing gender order has not been passed.
5. 15 grace period between games. Late teams forfeit and opposing team get automatic win earning 2 points
6. 14 player maximum. Batting order must alternate man/women
7. Each team is guaranteed 5 games.
8. 3 homeruns (over the fence) per team per game. Further over-the-fence hits will be considered doubles.
9. Any ball that goes into the bushes, only the person going after the ball can put up both hands and it will be called a ground rule double by the umpire.
10. Teams must supply own bats. Any bat in question, the other team can use that bat.
11. No sliding at home plate or first base.
12. Incoming runs will not touch home plate, passing over safety line is sufficient. Touching home plate is an automatic out.
13. No stealing bases
14. Lead-offs will result in automatic out.
15. Pinch Runner:
 - a. Must be requested each time at bat for injured player
 - b. Must be last person "out" of same gender.
 - c. Injured player must stop at first base to insert pinch runner.
16. Divisions will be decided by points, ties, runs for and then runs against.
17. All complaints are to be made in writing and presented to Larry Whiting. Decisions (which are final) will be made by the start of the next day's game.
18. Everyone should conduct themselves in a sportsman like conduct. Failure to do so will result in being required to leave. Failure to leave will result in a whole team suspension. Extent of suspensions will be up to the convener.
 - a. Example of unsportsman like conduct: yelling at the umpire and/or anywhere on the grounds of the tournament; language on the fields and/or anywhere on the grounds of the tournament; etc.