



City of Revere Adult Co-ed Softball League 2019 League Information and Rules

Season begins Friday, June 28 and will continue until August 30th/Early September

Games will be played at the fields at Griswold Park (formerly St. Mary's) on Friday nights
between 6:00 and 11:00 pm

Opening Tournament: The Parks & Recreation Department will be hosting a 1 day tournament for league softball teams on Saturday, June 21st beginning at 9:00 a.m. This is a FREE tournament for league teams only. Teams must confirm their intent to play by the league registration deadline, 5/28/19; same day registration is not allowed.

Registration Deadline: Tuesday, May 28th

Applications must be complete and returned to the Parks & Recreation Department in person by this date. A completed application includes registration cost, completed roster, and team name.

Registration Cost

\$300 | registration cost does not include umpire fees

Umpire Fees

\$20 per team, per game (in addition to entry fee); please pay umpire prior to the start of the game. Failure to pay your team's portion of the cost will result in a \$40 charge on the team captain's credit card.

If for any reason an umpire doesn't show, please contact Charles Giuffrida at (617) 455-9079 to inform him of the issue and continue the games as best as you can unless directed otherwise.

Balls

Each team captain will be provided with 18 official league softballs upon registration. Teams are to supply softballs for each of their 4-5 "home" games. If you run out of balls, your team will be charged for an additional case.

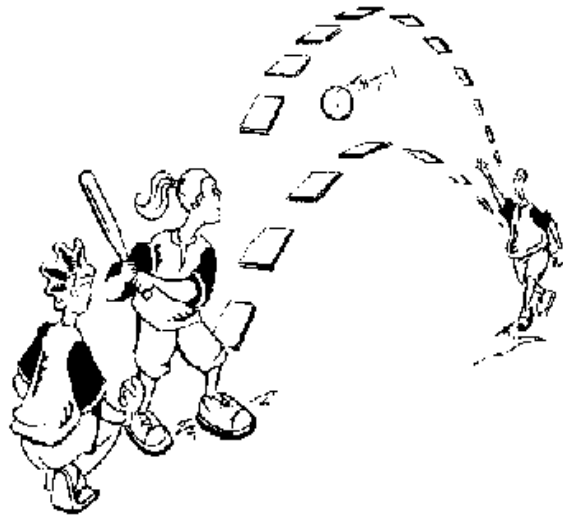
Player and Team Requirements

Players must be at least 18 years of age. This is a co-ed league that requires teams to feature a roster of at least 12 players and at least four (4) women in the lineup and on the field at all

times. Players must be listed on the team roster submitted to the Parks & Rec Department prior to the season starting. Players may only play on one softball team. Teams may not add players to the roster after the start of the season without the league coordinators permission.

Game & League Information

- All games will last 7 innings and will be no longer than 70 minutes in length. No inning may begin after the 70 minute mark.
- Games will be played with modified softballs. The Easton Incrediball 12" Neon SoftStitch Training Softball
- Wooden bats are required. No metal. Department is providing wooden bats.
Teams may not use their own bats!
- Each batter will begin with a 1-1 count. A batter is out on their third foul ball of the at-bat.
- This is an arc pitch league. The trajectories pictured in the image below are both acceptable; 6' – 10' arc. Any pitch that's not of this arc length will be considered a ball.



- Teams will play with 10 people on the field.
- 4 players must be on the outfield grass at all times.
- No stealing
- Teams have 15 minutes from the start of the game to appear on the field or the match will be ruled a forfeit. You may start the game with nine (9) players and three (3) females.
- Due to the high volume of games, there will be no warm-up period on the field between games. Please use the baseball little league field to get ready for your game!

Practices

Teams are eligible to reserve fields for practices prior to and during the season. Please call (781) 286-8190 to schedule

Home Run Rule

Teams are allowed to hit 8 home runs per game. Any ball hit for a home run after the 8th will be considered an out.

Report Scores

Captains are to report scored to the League Coordinator after each game.
Please text scores to Charlie at (617) 455-9079

Playoffs

Every team makes the playoffs. Playoffs are scheduled to start on 8/23/19

In the event of a tied record, a coin will be flipped.

Only players appearing on the original roster form submitted at the beginning of the season are eligible to compete in the playoffs. **Players need to be prepared to provide identification at a playoff game to the league coordinator.**

Conduct

The purpose of the league is to promote co-ed sports and to offer participants a safe, fun environment in which to spend their leisure time. Poor sportsmanship or behavior will NOT be tolerated. Team captains are responsible for their players and any incident, whether it's the first time, or a secondary occurrence could result in suspension or expulsion from the league.

Any coach, captain, or player found pushing or hitting an umpire, league official, player, or anyone at the park will be automatically suspended for the next game while the incident is reviewed. Revere Police will be notified if necessary.

Consumption of alcohol is not allowed on city property.