

**REGISTRATION FOR CITY SPONSORED SOFTBALL LEAGUES  
OAK RIDGE RECREATION AND PARKS DEPARTMENT**

(This form must be accompanied by roster and release form)

**League Name: Men's League Softball - 2007**

\$265.00 League Registration Fee. Deadline March 27, 2007  
\$295.00 Late League Registration Fee. Deadline April 2, 2007  
\$ 20.00 Non-Resident Fee (Per Non-Resident Player – Maximum of \$35.00 per year per person)  
4/16/07 League Play Begins

**Please make checks payable to: City of Oak Ridge**

**A complete registration packet includes:**

- Roster signed by all players
- Total registration fee
- All non-resident fees and/or proof of residency for Oak Ridge residents

Name of Team: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Division: A B

*Note: Divisions dependent on # of teams*

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (h)\_\_\_\_\_ (w)\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (h)\_\_\_\_\_ (w)\_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

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**To Be Completed By Recreation And Parks Staff**

Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Paid: \_\_\_\_\_

League Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Non-Resident fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Receipt/check #: \_\_\_\_\_

Received by: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please deposit in the following accounts:**

**League Fees Acct. # 1.2640.312**

**Non-Resident Fees Acct. # 975.5611.25**

**Staff:**

- Roster and medical release form must be attached.
- All non-resident fees must be included in total amount paid. See roster for non-residents.
- Partial payment will not be accepted.
- Deposit immediately with next deposit – Do not hold checks

# CITY OF OAK RIDGE SOFTBALL LEAGUE RULES

## Recreation and Parks Department – Summer 2007

### 1. **ROSTERS:**

Player rosters are limited to 25 active members per team.

- a. The manager does not count unless he plays.
- b. All players **MUST** personally sign the Roster & Medical Release form.
- c. Additional players – Additions to rosters will not be allowed after **May 5**. Only the coach or manager may add names to rosters. The following are due 24 hours in advance of their participation.
  1. Roster & Medical Release form must be signed, completed and returned to the Recreation and Parks Department.
  2. Non-resident fee, if applicable, must be paid or resident verification submitted.

### 2. **RELEASE FORMS:**

Everyone who participates in league play, including non-playing managers, must sign a Roster & Medical Release Form to release the Recreation and Parks Department and any other person connected with league softball of any responsibility in case of an accident. This form must be turned in by the league deadline with the league fees, non-resident fees and proofs of residency for Oak Ridge residents.

### 3. **ELIGIBILITY:**

Coaches of teams are responsible for the eligibility of their players and shall be held accountable by the Recreation and Parks Department to furnish proof of eligibility. To be eligible, players:

- a. Must be 18 years of age.
- b. Must be on official roster.
- c. Must be able to verify identity.
  1. ALL players utilized by a team are required to produce, upon request, verification of identity, which exhibits their picture or signature. **IF A PLAYER REFUSES TO SHOW HIS OR HER I.D., THE GAME CAN BE PROTESTED AND, IF UPHELD, WILL BE DECLARED A FORFEIT.** If the issues can be resolved on the field, the umpires should attempt to do so. If the issue is not resolved, a protest must be filed and normal review followed.
  2. Any player in question regarding his or her identity will be required to place his/her signature on the game sheet.

### 4. **UNIFORMS: (Enforced beginning May 7)**

- a. Uniform jerseys with at least 6" numbers are encouraged.
- b. No two (2) players may use the same number during a game.
- c. It is suggested that players conform to the SEAA rule on uniforms; however, the league requirement will be:
  1. **Team jerseys must be worn with unduplicated numbers.**
  2. **If a team does not have jerseys, the same color shirts with unduplicated numbers will be the requirement.**
  3. **Legal numbers will be of no more than two digits. Symbols are not considered legal numbers.**
  4. **Clothing may not display profane or sexually explicit language or graphics.**
- d. SHOES
  1. **NO METAL SPIKES OR FOOTBALL CLEATS WILL BE ALLOWED.**
  2. Players must wear molded sole shoes, tennis shoes or softball shoes.
  3. No bare feet will be allowed.

### 5. **LEAGUE RULES:**

- a. Leagues will be governed by the playing rules of the current SEAA Softball Guide.

- Exception: Local league rules shall supersede SEAA rules. ([www.seaasoftball.com](http://www.seaasoftball.com))
- b. No infield or "pepper" will be permitted before any game.
  - c. No one is to be on the fields after they have been floated and/or lined for the games that day.
  - d. The home team is responsible for supplying one new **white 12"**, top grade, stamped maximum **.44 cor ball**. Maximum compression will be 400. The visitors must supply a good used .44 cor ball. Both teams will hit the same ball.
  - e. If a team hits a ball out of play and it does not come back in or is ruled unplayable by the umpire, it is that team's responsibility to throw in another playable ball which conforms to standards stated in 5d. Both teams will hit the same ball.
  - f. No more than two coaches per team shall be on the field and only one manager and designated team captain may confer with the umpire. **Players not in the game must remain in the dugout!**
  - g. **Game time is forfeit time. A team must have at least 9 players to start the game.** A 10<sup>th</sup> player may be added at any time during the game. At no time will the 11<sup>th</sup> player be added once the game has started. **If a 10<sup>th</sup> player is not added, there will be an automatic out recorded in that batting slot.**
  - h. All players, managers or coaches planning to be utilized during a regular league or tournament game must be seated on the team bench in uniform.
  - i. Only managers or coaches whose names are on the official roster are to be on the field or in the dugout at any time during or after a game. Anyone who is not on the roster and is on the field or in the dugout could cause your team to forfeit.
  - j. Games will be scheduled 60 minutes (one hour) apart. After one hour of actual playing time, no new inning can be started. Exception: In case of a tie, the game will continue until one team is one or more runs ahead at the end of a complete inning of play.
  - k. All leagues will be playing with a starting one and one (ball and strike) count.
  - l. In the first inning, pitchers will be allowed 5 warm-up pitches; after the 1st inning, the pitcher shall be allowed one (1) warm-up pitch. Any time a team changes pitchers, he or she will be allowed 5 warm-up pitches their first inning.
  - m. The game will be called if a team is ahead by 20 runs at the end of the 3<sup>rd</sup> inning, 12 runs after the 5<sup>th</sup> inning or 10 runs after the 6<sup>th</sup> and beyond. This rule includes tournament play.
  - n. A written, legible line-up must be given to the official scorekeeper prior to game time along with a designated captain. **Names of additional players will also be submitted at this time.** Changes in line-up are permitted until game time. A player is considered officially in the game if his/her name is on the scoresheet at game time.
  - o. Home Run Rule: Each team will be allowed 3 "out of the park" homeruns (homeruns inside the park are not included). Each homerun after that will count as a single.
  - p. For the safety of players, double and multi-walled bats are not allowed. These include any bats listed as a "double sleeve", "multi-walled", "exterior shell", or cryogenic bats with a double sleeve. Although a bat may be ASA or SEAA approved, it may not be legal in the City leagues. See the list of approved single wall bats for the current season. **The officials must approve any questionable bat before game time. If a bat is in question and has not been approved, do not use it!**
  - q. Any player found coming up to bat or found hitting the ball with an illegal bat will be ejected from the current game as well as the next scheduled game for unsportsmanlike conduct. (See City rule 6.a)
    - Co-ed Leagues – If there is no substitute available for the ejected player, a

corresponding male or female must also be removed from the game. There will be an out for each missing player in the batting order. If the offending team is only playing with 8 players and drops down to six, the game is a forfeit.

- Men's, Women's and Master's Leagues – If there is no substitute available, the missing player in the batting order will become an out. If the ejection forces a team down to a number less than that required to start a game, then the game is a forfeit.
- r. If in the official's judgment an injury has occurred requiring medical attention, play will stop immediately. Before resuming the game, runners will then be placed **at the officials' discretion** on base where they would likely have advanced should play have continued.
- s. League Champion will be determined by total number of games won. In the event of a tie, head-to-head scores, total points in head to head competition and performance against common competitors will determine the league champion, in that order. There will be no league play-off games.
- t. Forfeits –
1. **Any team whose player(s) is found inside the ballparks and/or dugouts and the surrounding area with alcohol will forfeit the game.** Any alcoholic containers (empty or full) found in a dugout will also be cause for forfeit. Reminder: Alcohol is not allowed on school property.
  2. Failure of an ejected player to leave the premises within 5 minutes (out of sight and sound) will result in his/her team forfeiting the ball game. The premises includes the general area: playing field, parking lot, bleacher, 100 ft. radius of the fences.
  3. A team must have 9 players to start a game. If a team of 9 eligible players cannot be fielded at the scheduled starting time, the team ready to play shall win by forfeit. **There will be no grace period.**
  4. Any team using an ineligible player shall forfeit all games in which that player has played.
  5. Any team found to be playing with an illegal player after game play has begun will forfeit that game. The offending player will be suspended for one week per violation from all play in leagues and tournaments organized by the Oak Ridge Recreation & Parks Dept.
  6. An official, scorekeeper or the opposing team's coach, manager or captain, may request verification of the eligibility of a player. See Rule 3c.
  7. Any league team to forfeit 3 games during their regularly scheduled league play will not be allowed to participate in the league tournament.
  8. Games forfeited on make-up dates will not be counted against teams with regard to disqualification.

## 6. **SUSPENSIONS AND PROTESTS:**

### a. **SUSPENSIONS:**

Players, managers, coaches, etc., who are guilty of unsportsmanlike conduct will incur the following penalties:

1. Ejection from remainder of the current game plus the next scheduled game.
2. The second ejection will be an automatic suspension of from four (4) games up to a maximum of 12 months suspension.
3. Any participant ejected must leave the premises within 5 minutes. The premises include the general area: playing field, parking lot, bleachers, and 100

ft. radius of the fences.

4. Failure to leave will result in the ejected player's team forfeiting the game.
5. Any person receiving a suspension has the right to appeal, in writing, within a forty-eight (48) hour period. Appeals are to be directed to the athletic office of the Recreation and Parks Department.
6. Cursing or any type of profanity will not be permitted at any time.
7. Any verbal or physical abuse of an official or player is an automatic one-year suspension.

b. **PROTESTS:**

1. When making a protest in a league game, you must notify the plate umpire and official scorekeeper before the next pitch. A written protest will be submitted to the Athletic Office of the Recreation and Parks Department by 5:00 PM of the next working day after a protested game. A \$25 protest fee must accompany the written protest. No protest money will be necessary in tournament play.
2. In all tournaments sponsored by the Recreation and Parks Department, the protest must be resolved prior to the next pitch of the game.
3. The only type of protest that may be filed is a rule interpretation.
4. **A judgment call made by an official cannot be protested.**
5. All protests will be handled by the Recreation and Parks Department.

7. **RAIN-OUTS:**

In the event of bad weather, teams may call the Recreation and Parks Department Information Line at 425-3453 after 4:00 PM to find out if games are canceled. If the line has not been updated by 4:00 PM, call the Recreation and Parks Department at 425-3453. **DO NOT CALL BEFORE 4:00 PM.** If rain occurs after 4:00 PM, report to the field where the umpire will make the decision. It is each team's responsibility to make sure the umpire officially calls the game before leaving the park. When games are called because of inclement weather, the fields will be closed and unavailable for practice. Teams who do not comply with this policy could lose practice privileges for the remainder of the season.

9. **SCHEDULING:**

Games shall be scheduled at the discretion of the Recreation and Parks Department. **NO games will be rescheduled because of individual team conflicts.** The only games that will be rescheduled will be those cancelled due to weather, field conditions and City scheduling conflicts as determined by the Recreation and Parks Department.

**Although softball is a non-contact sport, participants are warned that the possibility for injury does exist.**

Last Revision: March 2, 2007

**SEAA RULE 10--BASE RUNNING**

**At facilities that use the double base at first base:**

1. A batted ball hitting the white portion is declared fair and a batted ball hitting the colored portion is declared foul.
2. Whenever a play is being made on the batter-runner, the defense must use the white portion and the batter-runner the colored portion. The batter-runner is out when there is a play being made at first base and the batter-runner touches only the white portion.
3. On any force out attempt from the foul side of first base, or an errant or missed throw pulling the defense into foul ground, the defense and the batter-runner can use either the white or colored portion. **NOTE: This includes overthrows.**
4. On extra base hits or balls hit into the outfield when there is no play being made at the double base, the batter-runner may touch the white or colored portion. Should the batter-runner return, the runner must return to the white portion.
5. When tagging up on a fly ball, the white portion must be used.

<b>SPECIAL RULES FOR CO-ED LEAGUE</b>
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BASES DISTANCE	65'
PITCHING DISTANCE	50'
PLAYERS	10 (5 males, 5 females)

1. Defense - If a man pitches then a woman must catch. If a woman pitches then a man must catch. There are no restrictions for placing players in the field for positions other than the pitcher and catcher.
2. A team may start the game with 8 players, four men and four women, and may add the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> players at the end of the line up at any time during the game. The 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> players must be added at the same time so there will always be the same number of men and women playing at all times. **If the 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> players are not added, there will be automatic outs recorded in those batting slots.** At no time will the 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> players be added to the line-up after the game has started.
3. If a player is removed from the game for any reason and a substitute is not available, then an additional male or female player must be removed to maintain an equal number of male and female players. A player in any position of the line-up may be removed but batting order must alternate between males and females. If removal leaves less than 8 players, the game will be forfeited. **When a removed player's position comes to bat an out will be recorded.** Note: In this circumstance a "removed" player will be any player unable to come to bat or play his/her defensive position at any point in the game.
4. **There will be no switching of infield and outfield positions during an inning, with the exception of the pitcher (effecting only two players). Outfielders must stay in the outfield and infielders must remain in the infield throughout the inning.**
5. Batting order shall alternate sexes. If a man is walked, the woman who follows will have the choice to walk or hit, regardless of the number of outs.
6. The Championship game for the tournaments will be played to the full 7 innings regardless of time with the run rule in effect.
7. Courtesy runner. A team may use only one courtesy runner per inning. The courtesy runner for a woman will be a woman. The courtesy runner for a man will be a man.

Last Revision: March 2, 2007

## SPECIAL RULES FOR MEN'S MASTERS LEAGUE

1. All players must be at least 35 years of age.
2. The game will consist of 9 innings or one hour unless a tie exists.
3. A team must have at least 8 players to start and finish a ball game. Late players may be added to the bottom of the batting order after the start of a game to reach a full 10-player team. If a team can field only 8 or 9 players, it will not be penalized with an out for the missing ninth and/or tenth position in the batting order.
4. Rule Clarification: Once the game has begun, if at any time a player must leave his position in the batting order without a substitute, the team will be charged an out for the missing batter.
5. Rosters are limited to 25 active members per team.
6. Total count will be 3 balls and 2 strikes.

## SPECIAL RULES FOR WOMEN'S LEAGUE

BASES DISTANCE	65'
PITCHING DISTANCE	50'
BALLS	11", .44 cor, white
PLAYERS	10

1. The game will consist of 7 innings or one hour unless a tie exists.
2. A team must have at least 8 players to start and finish a ball game. Late players may be added to the bottom of the batting order after the start of a game. **If 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> players are not added, there will be automatic outs recorded in those batting slots.**
3. The line-up may include up to 16 players in the batting order (coach's discretion); any 10 can be used in the field.
4. Rule Clarification: Once the game has begun, if at any time a player must leave his position in the batting order without a substitute, the team will be charged an out for the missing batter.

**Although softball is a non-contact sport, participants are warned that the possibility for injury does exist.**

Last Revision: March 8, 2005



# City of Oak Ridge Fall Softball Organizational Meeting

## March 8, 2007

### Upcoming Dates to Remember:

March 27	Early Softball Registrations Due
April 1	Softball Fields open for Practice – Light fee (\$10.00/hr.) beginning at 8:00 PM
April 2	Late Softball Registrations Due (\$30.00 Late Fee)
April 9	COACHES' MEETING – SCHEDULES AVAILABLE 6:30 PM AT JEFFERSON SOFTBALL FIELD (IF RAINING, CRAFT ROOM AT CIVIC CENTER)
April 16	Men's League Play Begins
April 17	Co-ed League Play Begins
April 19	Masters' League Play Begins
TBA	Women's League Play
May 28 & 31	Memorial Day and ORHS Commencement – No Games

Early season games for leagues scheduled to play at Yearwood will be played at Big Turtle until the completion of the ORHS Softball Season. (Week of May 14?)

### Practices:

1. Call 425-3450 to schedule a field. (Non-league teams must submit a roster & \$50 deposit)
2. Practice fields available will be Jefferson and Big Turtle for Men and Co-ed, Pinewood for Women only. Teams may call a week and a day in advance to reserve a field.
3. A second practice in a week may only be reserved by calling the day of the desired practice.
4. You must pick up permits and pay light fees at the Civic Center front desk. If your team fails to pick up a permit, reservations will no longer be taken over the phone. You must take your permit to the field!
5. Credits will be given for rainouts.
6. Lights are not to be used without a permit. Please shut off the lights when you leave!

### 2007 New or Revised Rules

**Participation:** No player will be allowed to play on more than one team within a league. Ex. Players in Co-ed A cannot play in Co-ed B. Men's Division A players cannot play in Division B. No "competitive level" players will be allowed to play down in a lower division.

**Rule 5.t.1:** Any team whose player(s) is found inside the ballparks and /or dugouts and the surrounding area with alcohol will forfeit the game. Any alcoholic containers (empty or full) found in a dugout will also be cause for forfeit. Check your dugout before your game! Reminder: Alcohol is not allowed on School property (Jefferson). Please be respectful of School regulations, which include the parking lot!

Special rules for Co-ed #3: A "removed" player will be any player unable to come to bat or play his/her defensive position at any point in the game. If a player is removed and no substitute is available, then an additional corresponding male or female must also be removed. Although any player may be removed, the batting order must continue to alternate between males and females.

### 2006 New or Revised Rules

**Rule 5.f:** Players not in the game must remain in the dugout.

**Rule 5.k:** All leagues will be playing with a starting one and one (ball and strike) count.

**Rule 5.p:** If a bat is in question, it must be approved **before** game time or not used.

**Rule 5.q:** Any player found coming to bat with an illegal bat will be ejected from the game and the next scheduled game.

**Rule 5.r:** Play stops immediately if medical attention is required. Official's judgment re: advancement

**SEAA Rules re: Double first base (Also listed on page 5 of league rules)**

At facilities that use the double base at first base:

1. A batted ball hitting the white portion is declared fair and a batted ball hitting the colored portion is declared foul.
6. Whenever a play is being made on the batter-runner, the defense must use the white portion and the batter-runner the colored portion. The batter-runner is out when there is a play being made at first base and the batter-runner touches only the white portion.

7. On any force out attempt from the foul side of first base, or an errant or missed throw pulling the defense into foul ground, the defense and the batter-runner can use either the white or colored portion. NOTE: This includes overthrows.
8. On extra base hits or balls hit into the outfield when there is no play being made at the double base, the batter-runner may touch the white or colored portion. Should the batter-runner return, the runner must return to the white portion.
9. When tagging up on a fly ball, the white portion must be used.

#### **Preseason Reminders:**

1. Coaches and players must all sign the team roster form. No one should be in a team dugout or on the field if they are not on the official roster. All players and coaches are to be in uniform.
2. After team commitments are made, new players must be added at least one day in advance of the game in which they are to play. There will be a one-week grace period in this procedure if special arrangements are made with the league coordinator. **Deadline to add is May 5. No player will be allowed to play without first signing the team's roster/medical release form and either submitting proof of residency or paying a non-resident fee. Fees can only be paid at the Civic Center; they cannot be paid at the field.**
3. Non-Resident Fees - \$35.00 maximum per year (July 1, 2006 – June 30, 2007) Fall ball players only owe \$15.
4. Team jerseys must be worn with unduplicated, one or two digit numbers (No symbols). If a team does not have jerseys, same colored shirts with unduplicated numbers will be the requirement. Coaches, please have additional shirts available for those without a jersey! **This rule will be enforced beginning May 7.**
5. Jerseys, as well as other clothing, cannot display profane or sexually explicit language or graphics. Taping over inappropriate words or graphics will no longer be allowed due to the poor adhesion of some tapes. The shirt goes!
6. Division B and C coaches must respect their responsibility to see that only recreational players are allowed onto their team. Every player needs to play in the division appropriate for his/her skill level. We will look at limiting players to only one division per league in the future if there is abuse on the part of more competitive players.
7. The last team named on the schedule is the home team. The home team of the first game is responsible for the lining of the field. The combination on the storage building is **1868**.
8. The home team is responsible for supplying one new white .44 cor ball (maximum compression of 400) per game. The visitors must supply a good used .44 cor ball. Both teams will hit the same ball.
9. For reasons of safety, City leagues will be using single wall bats only. An official must approve any questionable bat **before game time**. If a bat is in doubt, do not use it. Please see the list of approved bats. This list has been compiled by the Bomani Sports Research Softball Association as a reference for leagues such as ours. New bats may be added to this list during the course of the season. Because there are so many new bats hitting the market each season, there is no way we can keep up with all of them. For this reason, we will stay with those bats identified as single wall by Bomani. We have found that information offered by manufacturers is not always reliable.
10. New Rule: Players found coming to the plate or hitting the ball with an illegal bat will be ejected from the current game as well as the next scheduled game for unsportsmanlike conduct. See rule implications for each league.
11. Coaches, please make sure all of your players are eligible. The scorekeeper will have a list of eligible players at game time so make sure your rosters are in agreement. It would be wise to keep a copy of all submitted team paperwork. **Any game played with ineligible players will be a forfeit.** When submitting line-ups, coaches must include first and last names as listed on the team roster form. No nicknames please. Please list substitutes also. All players' names, including substitutes, must be submitted to the scorekeeper prior to game time. The opposing coach, the scorekeeper or an official may question the eligibility of a player. All players must be prepared to provide proper identification if their eligibility is in question. Because of strict enforcement of this rule, rosters may include up to 25 players. **Coaches Note: There are also legal implications with ineligible players.**
12. Game time is forfeit time. There will be no grace period. Late arrivals are a team issue, not a league issue. Coaches should compare watches with the umpire well in advance of game time to avoid any confusion.
13. Forfeits: If you know ahead of game time that you will not be able to field enough players for your game, please notify Paula at 425-3440. The opposing team will then be notified.
14. A team must have at least 9 players to start a game. A 10<sup>th</sup> player may be added at any time during the game. At no time will the 11<sup>th</sup> player be added once the game has begun. **If a 10<sup>th</sup> player is not added, there will be an automatic out recorded in that batting slot.** (Note: Do not put players in your line-up if they are not present.)
15. Co-ed: If your team is short one man or woman, forcing you to play with only eight players on the field, you are then only allowed to bat 8 players even though your ninth player may be present. **Outs will be charged to the two missing players in the batting order.** You may add the ninth and tenth batters (together) at any time during the

- game. If you want 12 players in your batting order, you must start the game with them. The eleventh and twelfth batters may not be added once the game has begun. (Note: Do not put players in your line-up if they are not present.)
16. Co-ed: If a woman pitches, a man must catch. If a man pitches, a woman must catch. There are no restrictions for placing players in the field.
  17. Co-ed: There will be no switching between infielders and outfielders during an inning, other than the pitcher.
  18. Courtesy runner: One per inning. May be any player on the roster. Co-ed: Man for man and woman for woman.
  19. League Champion will be determined by total number of games won. In the event of a tie, head to head scores, total points in head to head competition and performance against common competitors will determine the league champion. There will be no league play-off games.
  20. Poor sportsmanship – Coaches will be responsible for the conduct of their team.
  21. Players who choose to play in more than one league are advised that conflicts may arise during the season between leagues, especially at tournament time. Program requirements will take precedence over individual conflicts.
  22. Alcohol – **Alcohol is not allowed at the ball field! Games will be forfeited.** Players found in possession of alcohol will cause their team to forfeit. Alcoholic containers (empty or full) found in a dugout (with or without an owner) will be cause for forfeit.  
Spectators found with alcohol will be asked to leave. Do not allow them in or around your dugout!
  23. Report any injuries, vandalism or field damage to the Civic Center Front Desk (425-3450) or Paula (425-3440).
  24. Call **425-3453** after 4:00 PM for rainout information.
  25. In the event of rain after 4:00 PM, report to the field where the umpire will make the decision as to whether the field is playable. It is each team's responsibility to make sure that the umpire officially calls the game before leaving the park. If games are cancelled, the field is closed. Any team taking the field for practice and causing damage will be responsible for the cost of repair.
  26. Please clean up your dugout and social area in the parking lot before leaving for the evening.

**SEAA Web Site for official rules: [www.seaasoftball.com](http://www.seaasoftball.com)**

# OAK RIDGE RECREATION & PARKS ROSTER FORM AND MEDICAL RELEASE – Softball

<b>TEAM:</b>	<b>COACH:</b>	<b>PHONE (h):</b>
<b>ASS'T. COACH:</b>	<b>PHONE (h):</b>	<b>ADDRESS:</b>
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	<b>PHONE (w):</b>	<b>LEAGUE:</b>

I, whose name is listed on the same line with my signature below, fully understand the risk of injury arising from my or my child's participation in softball. I hereby assume all risks and hazards incidental to such participation, including transportation to and from all activities; and do hereby waive, release, absolve, and indemnify and agree to hold harmless the City of Oak Ridge, organizers, sponsors, supervisors, and participants, for any claim or injury or liability that may hereafter arise as a result of participating in softball. I make this agreement on behalf of myself, my heirs, and my estate. I also grant permission to managing and/or coaching personnel or other department representatives to authorize and obtain medical care and treatment from any licensed physician, hospital or medical clinic, including minor surgery, deemed necessary by a duly licensed physician should I become ill or injured while participating in softball. For youth sports (under age 18), a parent or guardian's signature is required for participation.

PLAYER NAME	BIRTHDATE	ADDRESS	SIGNATURE
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