# Ansted Events Committee 2024 Co-Ed Softball Tournament Rules 

**** RULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE ****

In addition to traditional softball rules, the following rules will be in place:

1. All games will be played with "Restricted Flight" softballs. (Provided by the Ansted Events Committee)
2. Only ONE homerun per inning, any homeruns hit after the first one per inning will be considered an automatic OUT.
3. Each team must play with an equal number of males \& females on the field.
4. Games will be 7 innings long, or $11 / 2$ hours if time constraints exist. In the event of a tie an extra inning will be added. If game is still tied after that, at the start of the next inning a runner will start on 2nd base. Mercy Rule of 15 runs after 3 complete innings, 10 runs after 4 complete innings. Due to the growing popularity of the tournament, game length is subject to change depending on the number of registered teams. Games can be cut short due to time constraints.
5. Runners can't steal bases.
6. Only the Team Captain may address the umpire. When addressing the umpire(s), the Captain is expected to be courteous!

UMPIRES WILL BE VOLUNTEERS, BE KIND!
Volunteer umpires are needed! If you or anyone you know would be interested in volunteering, please contact Ansted Town Hall at 304-658-5901 or s.wilson@townofansted.onmicrosoft.com.
*** Please keep in mind this is a FUNDRAISER! The tournament is held locally, and funds are raised to support other local events and activities that the Ansted Events Committee holds. This event is for FUN, so please keep bad attitudes at home. PLAY BALL! ***

