

# 16/18 C STATE INFORMATION

## TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:

<b>Tournament:</b>	STATE TOURNAMENTS HASTINGS
<b>Entry Fee/Date/Location:</b>	<b>\$325.00 - July 3-5 - Hastings</b>
<b>Sign Up For State at:</b>	<a href="http://ne.registerplay.com">ne.registerplay.com</a> or Register Play. Questions email or call the USA Softball of Nebraska state office 402-462-7100 or <a href="mailto:softball1@playasaball.com">softball1@playasaball.com</a>
<b>Age and Division:</b>	<b>16/18 Class C</b>
<b>Registered Teams:</b>	All teams must be USA Softball of Nebraska individually registered and approved team on <a href="http://ne.registerplay.com">ne.registerplay.com</a> or Register Play
<b>Complex Gates Open:</b>	<b>The complex will Open 90 minutes before the first game.</b>
<b>Check-in:</b>	One hour before first game. <b>All coaches and assistant coaches must check in at the WEST GATE before the first game.</b> All Junior Olympic team personnel assisting in the dugout must wear a wristband issued by USA Softball tournament director that signifies they have been background checked and safesport approved for the current year.
<b>Format:</b>	THREE GAME GUARANTEE BRACKET
<b>GATE:</b>	\$10.00 Adult, Youth 6/18 daily \$5.00; Weekend Pass Adults \$25 youth \$15

**11.02 Run Ahead Rule** - Will be used in all Championship Tournaments.

Fast Pitch (JO)	Eight (8) runs after Five (5) innings
Fast Pitch -	Ten (10) runs after four (4) innings
Fast Pitch -	Twelve (12) runs after Three (3) innings

**11.03 Time Limits (JO)** – State & District USA Softball of Nebraska Championships

14, 16, 18-Under C & D 75 minutes

**11.04 Junior Olympic Pitching Distances:**

14, 16 & 18-Under (Class A, B, C, D) 43'



**AWARDS:** 1<sup>st</sup> place rings/necklace/pouch, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> place medals, 1<sup>st</sup> place trophy, 2<sup>nd</sup> place and 3<sup>rd</sup> place trophy. 1<sup>st</sup> place championship banner to keep and display on fence.

**SOUVENIRS:** State Championship shirts and softball wearables for purchase on site by Custom Sports.

**SOFTBALLS:** Teams will hit their own softballs. Junior Olympic teams will supply their own 12” optic yellow softball. The ball will be optic yellow and red stitch, 47 COR .375 compression. The standards set in USA Softball. Softballs will be available on site for \$10 a ball.

**WATER COOLERS** – YOUR TEAM WILL BE ALLOWED TO BRING TEAM WATER COOLERS OR INDIVIDUAL PLAYER WATER COOLERS INTO THE COMPLEX. WATER WILL NOT BE PROVIDED IN THE DUGOUT DUE TO HEALTH CONCERN ISSUES.

**Concessions**

**Complex Rules:** PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR TEAM MEMBERS AND FANS THAT FOOD OR DRINKS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE COMPLEX. TAILGATING IS NOT ALLOWED IN THE COMPLEX PARKING LOT. PETS are NOT allowed in the complex. NO SKATEBOARDS, HOVER BOARDS, SCOOTERS, MOTORIZED VEHICLES, ROLLERBLADES, BICYCLES.

Pickup Players: Nebraska Rule Book page 17-18 (7.04)

**Advancing Information** 16/18U C teams do not advance to Nationals