

HOT AUGUST NIGHTS

July 31-Aug 2



Facility Rules:

Carlon Park:

- **No bikes, wheels, scooters, skates, etc.** Just too many people. Please do not use them within the park. The Tournament Director and Field crew need the walkways to be able to move equipment between fields.
- No smoking of anything.
- **Park in designated parking spots only.**
- **Sportsmanship is a top priority for GYGSA. IF there are any issues with a call, the only ones to speak to the umpires are the coaches or tournament director.**
- *Spectators are expected to be respectful, responsible and mindful of their behavior to ensure a positive and safe environment. If a spectator is not doing this, the game umpire will first ask the coach of the team the spectator (s) is affiliated with to have them removed away from the stands and home plate. If it continues the UIC can eject the coach and the TD will tell the spectator(s) to also leave the premises.*
- Friendly Dogs OK on a leash and IF you clean up after them.

USA Softball Rules in affect. f

GYGSA Specific Tournament Rules:

Game duration for pool play:

Pool Play: Run Rules in Effect 12/3 10/4 8/5 ; Games CAN end in a tie.

NO NEW INNING after 1 hour 20 (80 min), Home team decided by coin flip.

Bracket Play: NO TIEs - tie breaker will be used batting and courtesy runners are the same as in pool play.

HOME TEAM BASED ON HIGHEST SEED

NO NEW INNING after an 1 hour 20 min (80 min) or 7 full innings, whichever happens first

Championship- Home team decided by coin flip.

80 min no new-

- 1st place Gold and Silver will be receiving custom designed rings. Made by Engravings Unlimited

*** Protest Rule;**

- Protests can be made on **rules interpretations only**- judgement calls are not subject to protest
- All protests must happen immediately prior to the next pitch being thrown. Once play resumes, the opportunity to protest is lost
- To initiate a protest, coaches should calmly request time out and inform one of the umpires that you would like to file a protest. At that moment, the game will stop and a GYGSA UIC and a tournament director will be contacted to resolve the protest.

- \$100 cash is required for all filed protests. The cash will be refunded if the protest is deemed successful. For all denied protests, the \$100 is non-refundable

REPORT SCORE to DIRECTOR immediately after the game. We shouldn't have to look at Game Changer to find your score.

Please, Please, Please...

TEXT Team/division and score to 1- (509) 901-7911

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- **FRI-SAT Theme: GO COUNTRY**
- **SAT-SUN Theme: Glitz & Glam**
- **If you participate- please send team pictures to me (Heather). Or come have me take one of your team.**
- **Coaches need to check-in with the director at least an hour before their teams first game.**
- **When you check-in please let us know if you are interested in playing in the donut bowl Sunday Morning. This is a game for teams that lose out in the bracket play but are willing to stick around until about 2:45 am Sunday to play a fun game for donuts. There are some crazy rules like running the bases in reverse! It usually goes for 4-5 innings. Then teams get to enjoy some Krispy Kreme Doughnuts!**
- **T-Shirt Sales ONLY there FRI-SAT You can pre-purchase by texting Nicole here: 1- 541-604-4100**

MIDNIGHT MADNESS-

We will be having a **home run derby starting at about 11:00.**

Limited amount of players able to sign up due to the limited amount of time. Hitters need to provide a pitcher.

Each hitter gets 10 pitches. \$20

Money raised goes to the family of Nathan Soptich. He has been battling colon cancer. Nathan was coach of a GYGSA team in the Yakima area and now his daughter is currently coaching.

To sign up and for more information contact- Kelly Hall at 509-571-7355 Text or call.

LINE Dance Music playing by Director table and snack bar for those of you not participating in the derby. :)

CONTACTS

Tournament Committee Chair/ Tournament Director-

Heather Lee 509-901-7911 (turn in scores here too!)

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T-Shirt Sales and Logo Design

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D-Bat of Yakima- Go and get your hits in! Contact them to schedule a time.

Thank you to the GYGSA Board; Central Washington Refrigeration;
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I can't wait to see you and have a great weekend!!!

Heather / Kelly/ GYGSA Board