**Tournament Rules – Port Perry Classic May 17-19th & 24-26th, 2024**

The 2024 Port Perry Classic is a PWSA Sanctioned event. **Each team must show proof of Insurance upon sign in on the 1st day of the tournament. Insurance can be sent to** [**portperryangels2007@gmail.com**](mailto:portperryangels2007@gmail.com) **in advance.**

PWSA “By-Laws and Regulations” and Softball Canada playing rules will apply and will be followed.

**Team rosters must be submitted prior to the 1st game**. These can be submitted at the event or via email to [portperryangels2007@gmail.com](mailto:portperryangels2007@gmail.com). Teams may register up to 17 players**. All call up players must submit a signed letter of permission from their Team manager/ coach.**

Tournament Headquarters will be located at Fowler Park South - Contact U13 Darryl Swain (905) 903-8990, U15 Lorilee McKelvie (416) 949-9972, Intermediate and Women’s Rick Finlay (905) 626-2281. Association contact – Melissa Threapleton (905) 995-9234.

Teams must be ready to play at least 15 minutes prior to their scheduled game time. Teams will be allowed a 10 minute grace period. If unable to field 9 players after the grace period, they will forfeit. The 10 minute delay portion will be counted as “game time”. In the event of a forfeit the score will be 7-0 with 0 points being awarded to the forfeiting team.

**Game time limits will be as follows**:

Round Robin – No new inning after 80 minutes. U13 & U15 divisions will have a 5 run max per inning. Intermediate and Women’s divisions will be open innings.

Elimination Games – No new inning after 90 minutes - U13 – 5 run inning max, U15 and older – open.

Medal Games - U13 - No new inning after 90 minutes and 5 run max per inning except for last inning which is open. Umps need to call “Last Inning”. U15 and above - 7 full innings - All Open.

**Mercy Rule – 10 runs after 3 innings or 7 after 5**

Home team does not bat in the last inning if leading

Two Points awarded for a Win, 1 point for a Tie and 0 for a Loss

Maximum 7 run differential per game

No infield practice allowed

The home team will be decided by a coin flip @ home plate. The home team will supply the official scorekeeper & must report the final score to their designated Tournament Headquarters.

Batting helmets are mandatory and will be cleared by Umpires prior to the start of each game. Anyone warming up a pitcher must be wearing a helmet.

Protest will not be considered. **UMPIRE DECISIONS ARE FINAL**

In the event of a tie after round robin play, standings will be determined based on the following:

1. Head to head results, if more than 2 teams, this does not apply
2. Run differential (plus/ minus)
3. Least amount of runs against
4. 3 inning game

Rain Delay – If a game in progress is called due to rain it will resume from the point of interruption. Should the tournament be completely rained out before it starts, $125 per team will be retained for administrative expenses. If 50% or more of the round robin is played and the tournament is canceled due to rain there will be no refunds.

Port Perry Angels Softball Association or the Town of Scugog will not be held responsible for injuries suffered by any of the participants and /or spectators or for lost of stolen articles.

Good Luck to all Participants