



SALEM STATE RULE NOTES

State Tournament played strictly by the NSA Rule Book!

1. **Arguing and questioning Balls and Strikes will not be tolerated! This is first and last warning! All violators can and will be subject to removal from playing area and or field!!!!**
2. If a coach, player, or fan is ejected from a game, he/she is subject to being suspended for remainder of tournament.
3. **Must wear helmets WITH face guard. Please inform the girls to always wear one while in playing area.**
4. **Hats must be same kind if worn. Shirts must be tucked in. (Not protestable).**
5. Tie Breaker. The last batter out in the inning before starts on 2nd base in the extra innings or after time limit.
6. Slaughter Rule. 8 runs after 4 1/2 Innings, 10 after 4 and 12 after 3.
7. 7 Innings or Time Limit.
8. Only 1 Charged conference with pitcher is allowed per inning
9. **Home Team is the official scorer. Winning Team turns in Line-up card with Score to the Site Director.**
10. **2 E.P.'s can be used if desired. 9,10, or 11 Players in Batting Order - Any 9 in Defense if using EP. D.H. can also be used – the DH can NOW play defense.**

Again, please remember to ask your players to clean the dugout before leaving the field. THANKS!

Realizing that there are some differences in the rules from different associations, please play the game on the field and please don't focus on technicalities. Please ask umpires if you're not sure!

HAVE FUN AND LET THE GIRLS HAVE A POSITIVE & FUN experience!!!

***As Always, we Thank You for playing NSA
In Salem, Roanoke County and Botetourt County
John, Mike, Donna and Glenn***

***John Counts – Tournament Director
Mike Walthall – Tournament Director
Donna Wooldridge – Area Director
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