# Huron Parks & Recreation | Huron, Ohio 2025 DAWG DAZE TOURNAMENT

Friday, Aug. 1 | Saturday, Aug. 2 | Sunday, Aug. 3 - 2025 REGISTRATION FORM

Tournament play begins: 2PM FRIDAY | 8AM SATURDAY | 8AM SUNDAY Most teams will have a FRIDAY game!

#### TWO WAYS TO SECURE A SPOT IN THE TOURNAMENT:

- 1. Fill out registration form COMPLETELY, scan and email to: parks@huronohio.us AND then call the department (419/433-8487) with Credit Card information.
- 2. Fill out registration form COMPLETELY, mail FORM and PAYMENT to: Huron Parks & Recreation, 417 Main Street, Huron, Ohio 44839

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$550.00** 

Do not delay - tournament fills up QUICKLY! A team will be entered in the tournament based on receipt date of:

Completed & signed REGISTRATION FORM and PAYMENT!

(Note: this is the team name that will be used for the Dawg Daze T-shirt. Please print NEATLY.)						
SOFTBALL AGE DIVISION (circle one):	10U	12U	14U	16U		
HEAD COACH:						
ADDRESS:						
CITY:	STATE:		ZIP:	ZIP:		
PHONE NUMBER:	CELL NUMBER:					
EMAIL ADDRESS:						
Please print clearly - conta	ct info will be used	l for IMPORTANT t	ournament inforn	nation!		

#### **REQUIREMENTS FOR PARTICIPATION:**

**#1 COPY OF TEAMS INSURANCE POLICY - by July 1, 2025** 

#2 COPY OF COACHES CONCUSSION TRAINING CERTIFICATE - by July 1, 2025

#3 PLAYING ROSTER - due at check-in if not previously submitted. Players proof of age must be available throughout the tournament, if requested.



#### **DAWG DAZE TOURNAMENT REFUND POLICY:**

A \$25.00 refund fee will be charged to any team requesting a refund prior to April 29, 2025. **NO REGISTRATION FEE WILL BE REFUNDED AFTER APRIL 29, 2025.** 

I have read the Dawg Daze packet including the refund policy and agree to abide by the deadlines and policies stated in this packet.

Signature:	Date:	

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### FABENS PARK | Huron, Ohio

#### **SOFTBALL Age Brackets:**

16 and UNDER - can NOT turn 17 before August 31, 2024 14 and UNDER - can NOT turn 15 before August 31, 2024 12 and UNDER - can NOT turn 13 before August 31, 2024 10 and UNDER - can NOT turn 11 before August 31, 2024

**SOFTBALL:** This tournament will be limited to sixty (60) total teams. Additional teams will be placed on a standby list - to be notified in case of a team withdraws.

**POOL PLAY:** Softball - Each team is guaranteed four games, WEATHER PERMITTING.

**FACILITIES:** Fabens Park is an excellent facility with nine first-class softball diamonds. Free batting cages, picnic shelters, playgrounds, restrooms, and concessions are available at this location. Huron High School Softball Field may be used for some games - located 5 minutes from Fabens Park.

**DIRECTIONS:** Fabens Park is located off Routes 2 & 6 in Huron, Ohio. Visit: cityofhuron.org for map/ directions. We are 8 miles from Cedar Point; six miles from Kalahari and half a mile from Lake Erie sandy beaches. Many hotels, motels, campgrounds and marina are nearby. Huron High School Field is located behind Woodlands Intermediate School at 1810 Maple Ave., Huron, Ohio (3 miles from Fabens Park, north on Rt. 6)

#### **CONTACTS:**

**Huron Parks & Recreation** 

p: 419/433-8487 | e: parks@huronohio.us | w: cityofhuron.org | 🚺 Dawg Daze Huron

**TOURNAMENT FEE:** \$550.00 Registration Fee

#### TWO SIMPLE WAYS TO REGISTER:

1. **COMPLETE** and **SIGN** the **Registration Form** Mail REGISTRATION FORM and PAYMENT (payable to Huron Parks & Recreation) to: Huron Parks & Recreation, 417 Main Street, Huron, Ohio 44839

2. **COMPLETE** and **SIGN** the Registration Form, **SCAN** form and **EMAIL** to: parks@huronohio.us **CALL** the Parks Office (419/433-8487) to **PAY FEE** by Credit Card.

> Teams WILL NOT be REGISTERED until BOTH the REGISTRATION FORM & TOURNAMENT FEE are RECEIVED & COMPLETE!



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**ROSTER:** Should include player's first and last names, date of birth, and shirt number. Submit to Huron Parks & Recreation by 07/01/2025. ROSTERS are DUE at TOURNAMENT Check-In, if not, previously provided. Changes to the roster may be made up to the start of your teams first tournament game.

**COACH CONCUSSION TRAINING CERTIFICATE:** State of Ohio requires Coach Concussion Training. Submit Training Certificate to Huron Parks & Recreation by 07/01/2025. Website links to obtain FREE training are available at: cityofhuron.org

**CHECK-IN:** All teams must check in at the **REGISTRATION TABLE** at least one hour prior to their first game. Proof of Insurance and Official Roster must be shown at this time. Proof of age (Birth Certificate, Driver's License, or Passport) must be shown if requested prior to the start of the game. No changes may be made to the roster after the team's first game starts.

**START TIME:** Games will start at 2 PM Friday, 8 AM Saturday and 8 AM Sunday. Times may change due to the number of team entries and/or weather. Most teams will play pool games on Friday and all will play on Saturday. Elimination games begin on Sunday.

**PARKING FEES:** Please inform all players and families of this fee! Each vehicle will be charged a parking fee of \$20 for a weekend pass. Gate attendants will be present to stop each vehicle throughout the weekend.

**OFFICIAL RULES:** Tournament play will be governed by ASA Fast Pitch Rules.

**INJURIES:** There will be a first aid kit available for minor injuries at the concession stand and near fields. The Huron Fire Department will be called for serious injuries. Firelands Regional Medical Center is available in nearby Sandusky, Ohio.

**UMPIRES:** Two sanctioned umpires will be provided for most games.

**GAME LENGTH:** All games will be seven innings unless one team is ahead by eight runs at the end of five innings. No new inning will be started after one hour and fifteen minutes. Game may end in a tie in pool play games only. The international tie breaker will be used if needed for the elimination rounds.

EXCEPTION: TIME LIMIT WILL NOT APPLY TO CHAMPIONSHIP GAMES. THESE GAMES WILL BE PLAYED THE ENTIRE SEVEN INNINGS (Weather allowing), UNLESS THE RUN RULE IS APPLIED.

**RAIN DELAYS:** In the event of rain, the game will be resumed at the point of delay, at a time designated by tournament officials.



Members of the participating teams must not leave the area until the umpires have officially called the game. Game times may be shortened to get the tournament back on schedule. Follow Dawg Daze Softball Tournament on FACEBOOK for weather -related info

**RAIN DATE:** In case of rain postponement, the tournament will be canceled due to facility scheduling and busy team schedules.

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**RAIN-OUT POLICY:** In the event that we are unable to play any games at all, 75% of the team registration fee will be refunded. A complete refund is not possible due to many expenses that must be paid whether any games are played or not. Teams starting only one game will receive a 50% refund. Teams starting two games or more will receive NO refund. In the event that weather causes a delay which would make it not possible to complete the tournament, the tournament may become modified.

**GROUND RULES:** Ground rules will be explained to managers at the start of the first game. Home teams will be determined by a coin toss, unless otherwise noted on schedule.

**SCORE KEEPING:** Home teams will provide the official score keeper and score book for the game. Visiting team scorekeeper should confirm score with home team between innings. BOTH TEAMS are responsible for reporting the final score to the tournament officials.

**PROTESTS:** No protests will be considered.

**PRACTICE:** No practice or warm-up is permitted on the playing fields. Other areas are available for this. Batting cages (adjacent to Field #2) are available on a first come, first serve basis.

**STARTING LINE-UP:** Managers must present a starting lineup to the opposing team at least 5 minutes before the game time.

**EXTRA PLAYER:** Each team may use up to two extra players (EP's) These players may play defensively without the need of substitution. This is in addition to the DP/Flex Rule. If you use the EP rule those positions in the lineup remain for the entire game. If you choose to bat 11 layers and one is injured you must put someone in that position or be charged with an out when that player would have batted.

**EQUIPMENT:** Game balls will be furnished by tournament officials. All other equipment must be furnished by the teams. Metal cleats are allowed in 14U and 16U only. All players must wear batting helmet with MASK.

**RESTRICTIONS:** Players must remain in the bench area while participating in the game. Only coaches and players are permitted on or around the benches except in the event of injury. No profanity, smoking, use of tobacco, harassment of the umpires or opposing players, fighting or unfair tactic will be tolerated. Players are not permitted to throw equipment or display any unsportsmanlike conduct. Violators will b subject to ejection from the game and/or tournament if necessary. The tournament is held in drug free and alcohol free facilities. Please abide by all City of Huron and Huron Parks & Recreation rules and regulations while participating in our tournament.

**TROPHIES:** Team and individual trophies will be awarded to the first and second place teams in each age group. Teams and coaches must remain for the presentation of the awards following the game. Any division with 16 or more teams will be divided into Gold and Silver brackets after pool play. Trophies will be awarded in both brackets.

**CONCESSIONS:** Concession stand with food and beverage will be available. There are also several restaurants available in the immediate area. Please help keep our facility clean - teams and spectators please pick up your trash.



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**DUGOUTS:** Coaches are responsible to make sure dugouts are cleaned after the game.

**REFUND POLICY:** A \$25 refund processing fee will be charged to any team requesting a registration refund prior to April 29, 2025.

NO registration fee will be returned after April 29, 2025.

A signature is required on the registration form to confirm you have read the refund policy.

#### PLEASE SHARE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION WITH YOUR TEAM LIAISON & PARENTS

**T-SHIRT & PIN PRE-SALE:** Pre-sale orders save time and money! Dawg Daze t-shirts are popular every year, with team names included on the back of the shirt, while Dawg Daze pins are collector-worthy. TEAM (no individual order) order forms will be sent to the coaches via email in late spring. No refund on pre-sales.

**PARKING FEES:** Each vehicle will be charged a parking fee of \$20 for a weekend pass. Gate attendants will be present to stop each vehicle throughout the weekend.

**LODGING:** There are many lodging options in the area; it is wise to book early. The Shores & Islands Ohio website is a great tool for information regarding the Huron area.

**LAKE ERIE FUN:** Huron is about 15 minutes from Cedar Point Amusement Park, Kalahari Indoor Water Park and Great Wolf Lodge/Indoor Waterpark. For good on-line deals on tickets/rooms, check websites!

Cedar Point: cedarpoint.com
Kalahari Resorts: kalahariresorts.com
Great Wolf Lodge: greatwolf.com

The City of Huron has an amazing park system with amenities such as swimming beaches, walking trails, picnic areas, beautiful lake views, and the iconic Huron Harbor Pier and Lighthouse.

**City of Huron: cityofhuron.org** 

**TEAM FAMILIES:** Updated information will continue to be posted on our website and **FACEBOOK**.



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