



# 2026 FALL SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Fabens Park, Huron

**SUNDAYS, AUG. 23 - SEPT. 20, 2026**

**(No Games on Labor Day Weekend)**

Huron Parks & Rec | 419-433-8487 | parks@huronohio.us

## SOFTBALL LEAGUE 2026 SCHEDULE

- ☉ Four Weeks: Aug. 23 - Sept. 20, 2026
- ☉ Rain Dates: Sept. 27 & Oct. 04, 2026
- ☉ No GAMES on Labor Day Weekend
- ☉ SUNDAYS - Games begin at 9 AM
- ☉ Teams play TWO GAMES EACH SUNDAY. Most weekends will be doubleheaders

**DIVISIONS:** 10U - Age as of January 1, 2026  
12U - Age as of January 1, 2026

**TEAM RATE:** \$850 (\$800 - Resident Huron Teams)  
Team Registration Only, No individual player registrations

**PAYMENT:** \$100 DEPOSIT (Non-Refundable) or the TOTAL FEE at time of Registration.  
BALANCE OF TEAM REGISTRATION FEE DUE BY AUG. 14, 2026  
Online Registration: Major Credit Cards Accepted!

**REGISTRATION: 2 Ways to REGISTER! (*ONLINE - Quickest, Easiest way to secure a place in the League!*)**

- 1) ONLINE REGISTRATION:** cityofhuron.org, click on Parks & Rec logo  
Select Fall Ball tab on left, click on "ONLINE REGISTRATION"  
Create an account or log into existing account  
Major Credit Cards Accepted
- 2) PAPER REGISTRATION:** Drop-off completed form and payment to: 110 Wall Street, Huron  
Office Hours: M,T & Th - 8 AM to 4 PM | F - 8 AM - Noon

**We do not recommend Mailing Registrations - Spaces fill up quickly with ONLINE REGISTRATIONS!**

**REFUNDS:** The \$100 Deposit is NON-REFUNDABLE. NO REFUNDS AFTER JULY 24, 2026  
\$10.00 Processing Fee on all refunds

### PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS:

- 1) Coach Concussion Training Cert.** (per State Law) due by **Aug. 14, 2026**. For Info: cityofhuron.org, Parks & Rec, Fall Ball page.
- 2) Player Release/Roster Form** due by **Aug. 14, 2026**.
- 3) Teams provide their own shirts & equipment. All Players need their own gloves and helmet.**
- 4) League provides umpires, balls, field prep (as allowed by weather).**

## ***First-Come, First-Served***

League spaces are **STRICKLY LIMITED**. There is NO date/deadline that **GUARANTEES PLACEMENT** in the league.  
Teams accepted in the order which paid registrations are submitted **UNTIL THE AGE DIVISION IS FILLED**.

**We cannot "HOLD" League Space! Follow Instructions above to REGISTER! Thank you!**



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## 10U & 12U SOFTBALL TEAM REGISTRATION

Coach's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DIVISION (circle one) 10U 12U

***I understand the Coach Concussion Training Certificate and Player Release Form must be COMPLETED and RETURNED to Huron Parks & Recreation by Aug.14, 2026!***

**\*\* SIGNATURE CONFIRMS THAT YOU HAVE READ AND AGREED TO THE "WAIVER FOR PARTICIPATION" AND THE INFORMATION ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM.\*\***

Signature REQUIRED: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(Coach/Participant Signature REQUIRED - if under 18, Parent/Guardian Signature REQUIRED)

I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in the above program(s) and I agree to assume the full risk of any such injuries, damages or loss regardless of severity, which I or my child/ward may sustain as a result of participating in any activities connected or associated with any such program(s). I waive and relinquish all claims I or my child /ward may have against the City of Huron and its officers, agents, servants and employees as a result of participating in any of the above program(s). I hereby fully release and discharge the City of Huron and its officers, agents, servants and employees, from any and all claims from injuries, damages or loss which I or my child/ward may have or which may accrue to me or my child/ward on account of my participation or the participation of my child/ward in any of the above program(s). I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless and defend the City of Huron and its officers, agents, servants and employees from any and all claims resulting from injuries, damages, losses sustained by me or my child/ward, and arising out, connected with, or in any way associated with the activities of any of the program(s). I have read and fully understand the above program details and waiver and release of claims. I understand and agree with all refund policies set forth by the Parks and Recreation Dept. I also understand that I may forfeit a portion or all of any registration fee according to these policies. I understand that I or my child may be photographed or videotaped while participating in the above program(s). I give permission for photos and videotapes of me or my child to be used to promote the City of Huron and its Parks and Recreation Department and such photos and video will be the property of the City of Huron. In the event of an emergency requiring medical treatment, I give my permission to the program instructor, coach, and/or league director to obtain medical treatment they feel is necessary and to call the local EMS if necessary. I understand that no medical or accidental insurance will be provided to participants.

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# 2026 Fall Girls Fast Pitch Softball League

Age based on players age on January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2026

*We will follow the 2026 Official High School Federation Fast Pitch Softball Rules.  
However, some rules listed below either highlight or supersede the High School Rules.*

1. All participants will be expected to behave within the confines of the approved playing rules and the bounds of general ethical, moral, and honesty standards of good conduct. Coaches and players may not argue judgment calls made by the umpire including balls and strikes. **PENALTY: EJECTION.** Players, Coaches and spectators may not charge, threaten, touch or yell at umpires. Coaches should be an example of good sportsmanship and expect the same of their players. **Ejected player, coach or spectator: May not participate in the remainder of that day's games and the next 2 games played. COACHES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROLLING THEIR FANS.** Any coach, player or spectator ejected from a game by an umpire must immediately leave the field and/or other area as instructed by the umpire for the remainder of the day. Failure to do so may result in forfeiture of the game in progress and suspension from the league.
2. A regulation game will consist of *seven* innings or 1 hour 10 minutes which ever occurs first. Time starts when the home team takes the field in the first inning. If the third out is recorded at 1 hr 9 minutes a new inning will start. If the home team is batting at 1hr 10 minutes and is leading the game is over. If either team holds a six-run lead or more at 1 hr 10 minutes the game is over. In the event of a tie at the end of regulation the next inning shall start with the last player scheduled to bat on second base. Limit of **one** tiebreaker inning after 1 hr 10 minutes. The umpire will keep the game time. It will be the umpire's sole discretion how much time is left in the game.
3. Maximum Runs per inning: **5**
4. Players are expected to hustle on and off the field. The pitcher will be given one minute to throw not more than five warm up pitches between innings. (Five is the maximum not the minimum.)
5. Batting helmets with a facemask are mandatory for all offensive players on the playing field. Chinstraps are optional.
6. Players are to remove all jewelry prior to the beginning of the game. Players should remove all earrings however they may be taped if unable to be removed.
7. One warning per bench for bat throwing. Second offense, batter is out and restricted to the dugout.
8. *All players must be in the lineup.* Teams may use the DP/FLEX. Any nine may be placed on the field at any time. (**10U** may play with 10 players four *must* be in the outfield grass). If it becomes necessary to vacate a position in the lineup due to injury or a player having to leave early (except ejection) that team shall *NOT* be charged an out unless they drop below nine players. If a player shows up after the game has started, she can be inserted at the bottom of the lineup. Teams may start or finish with eight players. (An out will be charged for the vacant spot in the lineup)
9. Roster. If a team does not have nine (9) players to start the game, they may borrow player(s) from any other team (**only to field 9 players**) as long as the players are registered in the league. **ALL PLAYERS MUST BE REGISTERED** in the league **PRIOR** to play. Players on the roster should play first. Players are only allowed to be on one roster in an age group.
10. Line-up cards are to be completed and exchanged with the other team five minutes before game time.
11. **ALL DIVISIONS:** Stealing of any base, including home is permitted. A base runner cannot leave the base until the pitch has left the pitchers hand. (See rule 8-4-2k)
12. Runners are never required to slide (8-4-2b Note) however no player shall initiate malicious contact (3-3-1o and 8-4-2d)
13. **ALL DIVISIONS:** The infield fly rule will be as stated in the rulebook. See rule 2-8-5 and 7-4h
14. **Courtesy Runner:** A courtesy runner *must* be used for the catcher with 2 outs. Any time the catcher reaches base safely the last player to complete a time at bat that is not a base runner shall run for the catcher. The coach may use a courtesy runner for the pitcher.  
  
The courtesy runner will be the last batter currently not on base. We NEVER use the last out rule for determining a courtesy runner.
15. The pitchers plate shall be: , **12U-** 40 ft. **10U-** 35 ft. Game Ball. **12U:** 12" ball. **10U-** 11" ball.
16. No one is permitted to move or transport any seriously injured player who requires medical attention except the players' parent or the rescue squad.
17. **10U** batter is out on three strikes caught or not. No dropped 3<sup>rd</sup>.
18. No Metal cleats are allowed.

**Rain Line – 419-433-8358**