<u>Southeast Fastpitch Conference (SFC) – 14U - 2023</u>

Important Dates/Deadlines:

- May 8 (Final Schedules posted online)
- Game Nights

| Game Night 1: Monday June 5th* | Game Night 2: Wednesday June 7th |
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| Game Night 3: Monday June 12th* | Game Night 4: Wednesday June 14th* |
| Game Night 5: Monday June 19th* | Game Night 6: Wednesday June 21st |
| Game Night 7: Monday June 26th* | Game Night 8: Wednesday June 28th |
| | Game Night 9: Wednesday July 5th |
| Game Night 10: Monday July 10th* | Game Night 11: Wednesday July 12th |

^{*} If you are playing one night a week, these are the nights you are playing.

Inclement Weather/No-shows: In the case of bad weather, home team coaches will be responsible for making a decision on postponement and contacting the opposing coach no later than 4pm on the day of the game. Teams will have a 15 minute grace period to arrive at the playing field. Teams who do not arrive within this grace period will forfeit the game.

Rescheduled Games: All make-up game dates and locations are to be agreed upon by the two head coaches. No games that are forfeited due to lack of players are eligible to be rescheduled.

League Tournament: All participating teams in all age divisions will qualify for a season-ending tournament. The tournament date is July 15 and July 16. Location may not be Rochester. Top 8 seeds from each age division will play an 8-team double elimination bracket meaning all are guaranteed two games but some might play more. Lower seeds will play in four team brackets and/or three team pools and are guaranteed exactly two games.

State Tournament: If your team wishes to play in the state tournament, pay attention to entry fee deadlines. Please visit http://fastpitch.mnsoftball.com/ for tournament dates.

⁻ SFC Tournament July 15 and July 16

14U Details: There will be 2 divisions offered. Gold (more advanced) & Silver. 6 Weeks beginning early June and ending in July. Games will be played on Mondays and Wednesdays (No Game July 4th). Rules: Two 7-inning games will be played (time permitting) with a 5-minute break between games. No new inning should start after 75 minutes and games can end in a tie. One point will be awarded to the winner of the first game of the doubleheader only. In case of weather, 4 ½ or 5 innings is considered complete. Host team is home for the first game, the visitor for the second game. SILVER ONLY: There is 6 run limit per Inning

Hoffman Rule is optional game one and mandatory game two. 14U utilizes a 43ft. Pitching rubber.

Metal Cleats are allowed in 14U and HS Divisions

