

USA Softball of Nebraska State Tournament

Men's Fast Pitch Class D

Congratulations in participating in our Men's Fast Pitch Class D USA Softball state tournament. USA Softball of Nebraska wishes you and your team a successful state tournament. Thank you for playing USA Softball the national governing body of softball.

Date/Location: July 18-20, 2025 – 6:30 pm Friday start – Hastings, Nebraska Softball Complex

Entry Fee \$475 **NO GATE**

DEADLINE: July 11

REGISTRATION: Send \$475 and \$40.00 or \$515 USA Softball registration fee if your team is not USA Softball registered to:
USA Softball of Nebraska, 4103 Osborne Drive East, Hastings NE 68901

Format: *3 GAME GUARANTEE BRACKET*

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Website: www.nebraskasoftball.org - 402-462-7100

Check-in: One hour before first game at complex. Players must provide ID when requested by a tournament official. Bats will be tested prior to your first game through a bat tester. All approved bats will get a hologram sticker.

Dugout: The team listed on the bottom portion of the bracket will occupy the third base dugout.

Advancing Info: Teams do not advance from this tournament.

WATER COOLERS – YOUR TEAM WILL BE ALLOWED TO BRING TEAM WATER COOLERS OR INDIVIDUAL PLAYER WATER COOLERS INTO THE COMPLEX. WATER WILL NOT BE PROVIDED IN THE DUGOUT DUE TO HEALTH CONCERN ISSUES.

Concessions

Complex Rules: **PLEASE NOTIFY YOUR TEAM MEMBERS AND FANS THAT FOOD OR DRINKS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE COMPLEX. TAILGATING IS NOT ALLOWED IN THE COMPLEX PARKING LOT. PETS are NOT allowed in the complex. NO SKATEBOARDS, HOVER BOARDS, SCOOTERS, MOTORIZED VEHICLES, ROLLERBLADES, BICYCLES.**

Awards: For adult state tournaments sponsors shall furnish: 1st, 2nd and 3rd place team awards if 8 or more teams are in the tournament or 1st and 2nd place team awards if 7 or less teams are in the tournament. **State Championship T-shirts or championship rings will be provided for first place. THE STATE CHAMPION PAID STATE ENTRY FEE FOR 2026.**

11.02 Run Ahead Rule - Will be used in all Championship Tournaments.
Fast Pitch (MFP)

Seven (7) runs after Five (5) innings
Ten (10) runs after Four (4) innings
Twelve (12) runs after Three (3) innings

(c) **Adult Fast Pitch first games** - State tournaments may not begin prior to 6:30 pm on Friday.



Adult – (Men’s Fast Pitch only) Tournament brackets will be drawn so that teams shall be protected, from playing a team in their own league in the first round of the tournament if possible.

11.05 Tie Breakers - (All Adult Slow Pitch, Adult Fast Pitch, Women and Junior Olympic Girl’s Fast Pitch, Men’s Senior Slow Pitch) If, after the completion of seven (7) innings of play, or time, and the score is tied, the tie-breaker rule will be played to determine a winning team.

(f) Teams achieving a .500 or better record (excluding forfeits) at a state tournament will be classified in the same class or higher the following year provided the team has four (4) or more of the players (including pickup players) that participated the preceding season.



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