

ECIC SOFTBALL SPORTS STANDARDS:

1. Official Rule Book: a. The ASA rulebook shall be the official rules of softball games.
2. Scheduling: a. All division softball games shall take precedence over non-divisional games starting with the first game of the season. Postponed league contests must be rescheduled on the next available day on which neither team has a league contest scheduled.
3. Procedures: a. Double first-base must be used.

b. Visiting teams must be allowed on the field for a minimum of 15 minutes for warm-up.

c. The visiting team, if possible, shall notify the host school due to bus breakdown, accidents or traffic problems that they may arrive late.

d. Umpires shall complete the game at hand despite their own commitments.

e. Anytime a team whose coach is expelled and cannot be replaced by a licensed school personnel (teacher, coach, administrator), that team shall forfeit said game.

f. Protests- All protests must be filled within 24 hours of said game through regulated ECIC procedures. The umpire must be told before the next pitch that the game is being played under protest. The situation and reason for the protest must be noted and signed by the umpire in both scorebooks. Protests may be lodged only on rule interpretation and not on judgment rulings.
4. All Star Procedures: • Each division will select their own all-stars. From that Division 1&2 will select an all star team and so will Divisions 3&4.
5. All-WNY: • Coaches rank the Girls from the ECIC teams to bring to the All-WNY selection meeting.