

*SUN CITY WEST SOFTBALL CLUB*  
**FRIDAY CO-ED LEAGUE GUIDELINES**  
**Revision 8.....October 21, 2011**

Vision: Work towards an equal balance of men/women

*Code of Ethics: To conduct ourselves as ladies and gentlemen at all times and to do the right thing.*

A. Games:

- 1 Follow ASA and National rules, subject to modifications
- 2 Game times 10:00, 11:15, 12:30
- 3 Seven innings, no time limit other than start time of next game
- 4 Four runs per inning, last inning unlimited
- 5 Tied game - extra inning only if there is time left before next game
- 6 Men will use AL/NL approved 12" ball & women will use 11" ball
- 7 **Courtesy runners: Used ONLY after the batter has reached at least 1<sup>st</sup> base. (Revision 7.....3/25/11)**

B Duties

- 1 First game: HOME TEAM PREPARES FIELD
- 2 Officiating: (two (2) umpires, one (1) scorekeeper
  - a. Game 2 Home Team officiates First Game.
  - c. Visiting Team First Game officiates 2<sup>nd</sup> Game.
  - d. Visiting Team 2<sup>nd</sup> Game officiates 3<sup>rd</sup> Game.
- 3 Last game: HOME TEAM SECURES FIELD, stores equipment, locks clubhouse

C Managers

- 1 Shall strive for equal numbers of women on teams
- 2 *Shall draw substitutes only from other Friday teams and the Friday Placement Pool; they must bat at bottom of the order (Rev.1....11/8/09)*
- 3 Shall approve any new or replacement manager(s)
- 4 *May fill team vacancies from Placement Pool or League players*
- 5 Must file incident reports for injuries

## D      Players

- 1      Maximum THREE (3) American (Managers approved 3 & 4 rated only) per team on the field, including subs, and *using the list from the American League Placement Committee as a guideline.*

***Exception:*** *Current teams with FOUR A/L PLAYERS RATED 3 or 4 are grandfathered; extra A players who quit or become higher rated can't be replaced with extra A players; manager must eventually field a valid team.*

***Teams will only have 3 A/L Players on their Rosters. A/L players ratings changing to a #1 or #2 are immediately OFF the Friday Coed Rosters. (Rev 6...2/18/11)***

***Exception:*** *Players that do not play in the N/L or A/L that are not rated will be rated by the Friday League Managers. Rating a player as an A/L equivalent will be based on ; skill and safety to other players. (Rev.3...3/26/10)*

***Exception:*** *If an A/L player has been in the Friday Coed League for 3 years and his A/L rating changes to a rated "2", he "may" be grandfathered in by the Friday Coed League Managers. (Rev. 5...10/29/10)*

- 2      Every effort must be made to have a Minimum of two (2) women per team
- 3      *There will be no penalty against a player that;*
  - a      Quits the League
  - b      Transfers to another Team
  - c      Is asked to leave a Team per manager's discretion.
4.      **Each team must have a minimum of eleven (11) players on their roster and May have a maximum of fifteen (15) players on their roster. If a team does Not have the minimum required players of eleven on their roster they must play Short and are not allowed to get substitutes. (Rev. 8...10/21/11)**

## E      Postponement of Games

The Chairman will be charged with the responsibility of determining if Games will be played that day due to Field Conditions. If the First Game is cancelled all games will be cancelled. That Chairman for this Session will be Barb Waddell. She will notify all managers once a decision is made. She may designate a manager this responsibility.

F. Sponsors

Teams supplying own uniforms and current sponsors will continue to replace uniforms on an “as needed basis”. No additional fee will be charged. If a Team supplying own uniforms, or if a Sponsor wishes to discontinue sponsoring a team then the Friday League will have the option to find their own sponsor or go to the Sun City West Board and request a sponsor off their “waiting list”. **(Rev.4...3/31/10)**

Originally Dated: October 19, 2009

Managers Present at 10/21/2011 Meeting:

Managers: Laurel Andrew---John Dewey---Paul Moyer---Fred Sues  
Co-Managers: Tony DiBiasio---Cindy Gilbert---Joe Gallo---Julie McGlynn  
Chairman of Friday CoEd League: Barb Waddell