



Windsor Essex County Senior Sport Organization



RULES FOR INDOOR SLOPITCH 2024-25 SEASON

1. **Force play** at every base.
2. Runners can run through the base.
3. Pitch count starts at **1-1**, allowed **one foul ball** on **3rd strike**.
4. Walks may be rejected. Count remains.
5. Maximum runs per inning **Five**.
6. Ball hits net in FAIR - lands in FOUL territory - FAIR BALL.
7. Ball hits net in Foul - lands in FAIR territory - FOUL Ball.
8. Infielders must play in **front** of white line, outfielders play **behind** white line.
9. Runners cannot be thrown out at first if ball lands **behind** the **white line** (OF).
10. Once ball goes out of bounds (white outer line), advance **One Base Only**.
11. Fair ball that goes into the hall area is **Two Bases**.
12. Fair ball that hits half way up the back wall is a **Home Run**.
13. Depending on time last inning may be declared **Three outs** or **Unlimited runs**.
14. Courtesy runners allowed for injured players upon request.
15. Runners from the backstop are allowed but cannot proceed from first base.
16. Only approved bats (**thumb print**) may be used.
17. **Umpire decisions are final** -refrain from arguing a call – “grin and bear it”.
18. WECSO Code of Conduct applies to indoor ball as well.
19. **No standings** are kept, **No playoffs**, - scores are kept for “bragging rights” only
20. Winning takes a back seat to having FUN! FUN! FUN!
21. If screen is used by a pitcher and the ball hits the screen-**Dead ball & No strike**.
22. If ball hits designated rafter (beam) - **Dead ball & No strike**.
23. If a Fair ball gets stuck in netting then base hit runners (if any) **Advance One base**.
24. If a Fair ball gets stuck in the soccer goal netting then **Advance Two bases**.
25. Above ALL-remember it is JUST A GAME!!!!!!