24th Annual Lady Hornet Softball Tournament

February 20-22, 2020 @ Kit McConnico Park Lufkin, Texas

Coach,

Enclosed is a copy of the Hudson Lady Hornet Softball Tournament. The tournament is a 42 team, 6-Bracket Tournament, each team will be guaranteed 6 games.

To sign up, go to the Hudson ISD website>>High school campus>>sportszone>> 2020 softball tournament. Submit online registration to enter

Please take note that there are only 4 varsity brackets and 2 JV brackets this year so you will want to examine that in choosing your bracket. I had a tough time filling 7 brackets last year so hopefully this will be a little easier.

** The entry fee for the tournament is \$400 for Varsity teams and \$250 for JV teams and Varsity teams playing in the JV bracket.

Please make the check out to Hudson High School Softball Booster Club

Send them to Hudson High School C/O Wes Capps
6735 Ted Trout Dr
Lufkin, TX 75904



Tournament Bats Provided by:



RULES FOR TOURNAMENT ARE LISTED BELOW:

- 1. There will be no soft toss or pitching into the fences. This is a Kit McConnico Park rule.
- 2. Foul balls over the first base side of the field will be the responsibility of the team in the first base dugout, and foul balls over the third base dugout will be the responsibility of the team in the third base dugout.
- 3. Home team will be official scorebook.
- 4. Games will be 90 minutes drop dead due to umpire pricing after 90 minutes. A tie will be decided upon by home scorebook based on penetrations (Most runners to third, most runners to second, most runners to first... ect.) JV Games in The last two brackets will be 75 minute finish the batter.
- **5.** Black, Gray, Blue, and Green brackets will follow Varsity bracket rules. Maroon, and Orange brackets will follow JV bracket rules.
- **6.** No in/out will be allowed prior to games. This will ensure that we start on time if possible.
- 7. In each game the <u>Home Team</u> is listed second. Each team will be visitors three times and home team three times unless it is an inter- bracket game. In Those games there will be a flip at home plate.
- **8.** Bucket/Stools will be permitted outside of the dugouts. Two buckets/stools are permitted outside the dugout.
- 9. If any team drops out of the tournament and we cannot find a replacement, each team will have a bye where they are scheduled to play the team that dropped.
- 10. Any team that drops out after the tournament bracket and tournament rules have been released will be responsible for paying the umpires for their games. This includes teams that cancel game due to BB playoffs.
 - New this year, We will provide 1 dozen game balls for each field at the beginning of the tournament. Once those balls are gone it will be the responsibility of the home team to provide game balls for the game. I tried not to do this but We have lost 10 dozen balls the last two years in a row.