STORMONT COUNTY FAIR Men's Modified Ball

EVERYONE PAYS GATE ADMISSION - must have admission bracelet

- 1.No Steal Cleats.
- 2.Stealing/lead offs are allowed after the ball leaves the Pitcher's hand. Sliding at any base including home is allowed.
- 3.No Bunting. 3 home runs allowed, off the glove or top of the fence and over will be a home run. After that it is an out.
- 4.Balls HIT that bounce over or go under the fence will be ruled as a double.
- 5. Players can tag up from 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Players will be rewarded a base if there is an overthrow into the netting, dugout or under the fence.
- 6.At 1st base, there will be a safe base. White for the defence and Orange for the offence, if there is a play at 1st. If no play at 1st, then the defensive player must give way for the runner.
- 7. If a team has an injury **DURING A GAME** and that player cannot continue play, and no substitutions are available, the team must then bat 9 players and defend with 9 players, and so on for more than 1 injury during the game. The team will not take an automatic out during the game.
- 8. Player **CANNOT** play for more than 1 team and **MUST PLAY** in one of the first two games to be eligible to play in later rounds.
- 9. Maximum 9 players on the field and 9 batters per inning. No open innings.
- 10.7 innings per game or a 1.25-hour time limit. Mercy 10 runs after 5 or 6 innings.
- 11.On the 3rd strike, if the catcher misses the ball the batter is still out.
- 12. Any contact by the runner or by the catcher at home will **NOT BE TOLERATED.** The umpire will determine if the contact from the runner or catcher is incidental or not. It may result in expulsion from the game. (Sliding is allowed at home plate.)
- 13.No illegal bats. ALL BATS MUST HAVE A THUMB PRINT/1.2 compression.
- 14. Maximum 3 courtesy runners per team per game. Courtesy runner can only run once per game. Boxed runners ARE considered courtesy, if they run for their boxed player.
- 15. If any game is tied after the 5th inning is complete, International Speed Up Rule is in effect. *Last out of the previous inning will start on second base and will start with an out.* For this inning and any after until a winner is announced.
- 16. Each game will be decided by a coin flip for Home or Visitor.
- 17.NO ALCOHOL, on players benches during the game. Alcohol is ONLY permitted in the Designated areas. NO PLAYER can consume any alcohol during the game. It may result in an ejection from the game. If Umpires or Conveners feel that a player has been drinking too much before a game and is not

suitable to play, he/she may be asked to leave, the Police may be called. This result is an automatic out for the team.

18.All Umpire Decisions are Final!!!

19.ALL PLAYERS MUST PAY AT THE GATE FOR FAIR ADMISSION.

20.No campfires. No Smoking (ANY SOURCE) in any building, or Outdoor Seating Area (grandstand, bleachers).

21.No Drugs on the Stormont Agricultural Society property.