KICKBALL

Rules
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THE TEAM
A full team consists of eight (8) players and teams can begin and end with as few as six (6). The tournament is open to any formation of teams, with no restrictions on numbers of participating genders. If more than eight (8) players are present for the game, everyone can kick but only eight (8) people can play in the field at a time.

THE FIELD
The game will be played on a softball field. The pitchers mound shall be 50 feet from home plate and the bases shall be 65 feet apart.

THE EQUIPMENT
a. Equipment representing possible hazards to participants will not be permitted. No hats, jewelry, hard toe shoes, cleats, open toed shoes, exposed metal or hard unyielding plastic on braces, casts, etc. will be allowed
b. A round playground ball will be provided and used for play.
c. Baseball/Softball gloves shall be illegal.

THE GAME
a. The game will consist of 5 innings or a 40 minute time limit (no new inning after 40 minutes of play).
b. The game will be self officiated and the Intramural Supervisor on site will settle any disagreements.
c. Home/Visitor will be determined by a coin toss conducted by the Intramural Supervisor on site.
d. While at kick, each team shall get three (3) outs. Once the defensive team records three (3) outs, the teams shall switch sides with the team at kick going to play the field and the team in the field coming up to kick. In addition, if a team scores eight (8) runs in a half-inning, the half-inning shall be over and the two sides shall switch.
e. There are no regulations on defensive alignment.
f. The team at kick will provide the pitcher. Each batter will receive one pitch, unless it is fouled off, in which case the kicker will receive one more pitch. If fouled off again, the kicker shall be declared out.
g. A player will be ruled out if they kick two fouls, get hit by the ball from the shoulders or below before reaching the base, they are forced out such as in softball, a pop fly is caught, or if the base runner is off of the base before the ball is kicked. EXCEPTION: A player who is not in a regular standing/running position and is hit in the face/head will be ruled out! In other words if a player is bending down or falling down to avoid getting hit and they are hit in the face/head, they will still be declared out.
h. Leading off and/or stealing bases is not allowed.
i. There is no infield fly rule.
j. If a team is ahead by 15 runs after 3 innings or 9 runs after 4 innings, the game shall end and the team ahead will be declared the winner.
k. With the exceptions listed on this rule sheet, Intramural Softball and/or ASA softball rules will govern this event.