



2020 NEBO PHOENIX LEAGUE

Mapleton	Maroon	Garrett Crane	801-380-4436
Payson	Steelers	Monte Knepper	712-574-0352
Salem	Blue Crush	Jennifer Nielsen	801-717-7207
Salem	Deep Blue	Jeremy Bennett	801-360-0591
Spanish Fork	Chaos	Rhonda Jensen-Mitchell	801-787-1616
Spanish Fork	Twisters	Tenia Pena	801-499-1309

COVID-19

In order to have a safe, fun season we need all Coaches, Players and Spectators to cooperate with the State issued COVID-19 safety measures and the safety measures set by the Cities. Please read through and adhere to the following.

- **Parents/guardians need to symptom check players before Practices and Games. If anyone in the family sick, please stay home!**
- **Please limit how many people your family brings to the games. If possible, stay home!**
- **We encourage all players if possible, to bring their own equipment. If unable to do so, the cities have still issued batting helmets and catchers gear to teams that should be sanitized in between use.**
- **When your game is finished please exit the complex immediately so we can maintain safe social distancing between games and start the next games on time with safe social distancing.**
- **Sanitizer will be at the backstop for any shared equipment to be wiped down in between usage**

Thank you for your understanding and patience during this time

LEAGUE RULES

Our league will be governed by the Softball Rules of the Utah High School Activities Association. Rules listed below will be a supplement to the UHSAA Rule Book for our league play.

1. First team listed is the home team. No infield will be allowed prior to games. When playing in Spanish Fork, check the website at www.spanishfork.org/rainout or call the RAIN OUT HOTLINE at 801-804-4622 after 3:00 p.m. if weather is questionable. If/when games are in Payson call 801-465-6031 & Salem 801-423-1035.
2. Batters will get four balls & three strikes. A player cannot be called out on foul balls. A batter MAY run on a dropped 3rd strike IF 1st base is unoccupied (when there is less than two outs). With two outs, a batter MAY run on a dropped 3rd strike even if 1st base is occupied.

3. Ten players will play on defense. Four of these players will be outfielders and must remain on the outfield grass at the start of each pitch.
4. All players on a team will bat in the line-up, free defensive substitutions. Teams must have 7 players to play, no automatic outs for less than 10 players.
5. All players must be in matching uniforms. Uniforms consist of matching jerseys with number on the back.
6. Pitching distance will be 43', measured from the back of home plate to the front of the pitcher's rubber. Base distance is 60'.
7. The catcher is required to wear a chest protector, face mask and shin guards. This equipment must be worn during all warm up and game periods. Helmets must be worn by the batter, the on deck batter and by all base runners. Helmets must remain on the head of all players until they reach the dugout. An out will be called (after one team warning) if the helmet is removed at any time before the player returns to the dugout.
8. We encourage all players to slide to avoid collisions and contact. If a player does not slide and the umpire feels that interference occurred as a result of such conduct, the runner is out. If the umpire believes that a player intentionally bulldozes or runs over another player, the offending player will be ejected. Any player ejected from a game will be suspended for the following game. All other base runners will return to the base last occupied at the time of the infraction.
9. Games will last for 7 innings or 1½ hour time limit, whichever comes first. No new inning may begin after 1½ hours from the start of the game. The new inning starts when last inning ends, not with the first pitch. If a game is tied, the game will continue until a winner is established. International tie breaker will be used in extra innings or when time has expired. Games will start when they are scheduled unless backed up by previous extra inning game
10. Mercy rules will be 15 runs after 3 innings, 10 runs after 4 innings or 8 runs after 5 innings

FIELD LOCATIONS

Spanish Fork Sports Park - (Field #5 & F#6 West Complex) 495 West Volunteer Drive (950 South Main)

Monday, June 8th

5:00 Sp. Fork #5 Steelers vs Maroon	5:00 Sp. Fork #6 Blue Crush vs Deep Blue
6:45 Sp. Fork #5 Twisters vs Maroon	6:45 Sp. Fork #6 Deep Blue vs Chaos
8:30 Sp. Fork #5 Blue Crush vs Twisters	8:30 Sp. Fork #6 Steelers vs Chaos

Monday, June 15th

5:00 Sp. Fork #5 Twisters vs Deep Blue	5:00 Sp. Fork #6 Chaos vs Blue Crush
6:45 Sp. Fork #5 Deep Blue vs Maroon	6:45 Sp. Fork #6 Steelers vs Blue Crush
8:30 Sp. Fork #5 Maroon vs Chaos	8:30 Sp. Fork #6 Twisters vs Steelers

Monday, June 22nd

5:00 Sp. Fork #5 Chaos vs Twisters	5:00 Sp. Fork #6 Maroon vs Steelers
6:45 Sp. Fork #5 Chaos vs Deep Blue	6:45 Sp. Fork #6 Maroon vs Blue Crush
8:30 Sp. Fork #5 Deep Blue vs Steelers	8:30 Sp. Fork #6 Twisters vs Blue Crush

Monday, June 29th

5:00 Sp. Fork #5 Blue Crush vs Deep Blue

6:45 Sp. Fork #5 Maroon vs Twisters

8:30 Sp. Fork #5 Chaos vs Maroon

5:00 Sp. Fork #6 Steelers vs Chaos

6:45 Sp. Fork #6 Blue Crush vs Steelers

8:30 Sp. Fork #6 Deep Blue vs Twisters

Post Season Tournament- TBA

RAIN OUT INFORMATION

Spanish Fork- 801-804-4622 <http://www.spanishfork.org/rainout>

Please make every effort to get to as many of your scheduled games as possible. When teams are traveling to other communities to play, it is very discouraging when teams don't have enough players to field a team!

HAVE FUN . . . REMEMBER, IT'S JUST A GAME