

Neobaseball

2026 CP TOURNAMENT MEETING - 6/8/26 Randolph Town Hall

CP1 6pm and CP27:30pm

- ATTENDANCE ROLL CALL FOR ATTENDANCE:
- Next Season
 - How to propose rules changes (rep meeting 8/9/26 proposals. 10/17 vote on proposals)
 - Schedule of Events (posted online by September-October for the following year)
 - Fall Ball: Registration through 7/12 (late fee 7/13-7/17)
- Umpires:
 - Ump Fees:
 - **CP \$15/team (\$30 total) per game**
 - Contact your rep for your local area's reimbursement policy
 - Ground Rules:
 - Ground Rules should be 5-7 minutes prior to the game so the game starts on time
 - Pay ump fee at plate prior to game (at ground rules)
 - Provide Game Ball: Rawlings ROTB5 (level 5) baseballs only (**At least one new per team**)
 - Appeals during game
 - Manager should request time and make the appeal calmly to the umpire
 - Only ruling issues/concerns should be appealed (rules, not judgment)
 - Behavior
 - Managers are responsible for defusing any potential tensions (chirping) from their parents/coaches to prevent any issues
 - No smoking or vaping near the fields
 - No foul or inappropriate language
 - Only rostered kids/coaches in dugouts & on the field
 - Keep things in perspective (it's ball for 5/6/7-yr-olds) – let's have fun and civil games for the kids
- Host locations
 - CP1 is Waterloo <https://www.neobaseball.org/waterloo-directions>
 - CP2 is Edinburg <https://www.neobaseball.org/edinburg-directions>
 - Mogadore is backup <https://www.neobaseball.org/mogadore-directions>
- Rainout Notification
 - The host area makes the call on playability before games (I will notify teams), but the umpire will make the call once games start
 - If on rain delay, don't leave the venue until it is cleared by Corey or LeeAnn (we may resume games)
 - Delays/updates will be posted to the SportsEngine managers' group.
- Score reporting should be posted to the SportsEngine managers' group (please keep all the info in one post)
- Rules
 - Time limit, mercy rule, and run limits still in effect (unlimited runs in 6th for CP2 only – not CP1). TIME LIMITED ADJUSTMENT: If two rounds are played in same day (first Saturday) then both rounds shall each be 1H45Min
 - Can't end in tie (each team will have their last out placed on 2nd base at the start of the following inning)
- Scorekeeping
 - Higher seed is Home Team
 - Make sure to note the start time (and suspended game time due to rain, if applicable)
 - Home book is technically the official book (so make sure to square up books every half or full inning)
- Seeding/Brackets
 - Gold vs Silver
 - Standings
 - Trophies/Medallions: champions and runners-up in gold and silver. All losing players receive participation medallions.

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- Updated Brackets will be posted online with field #'s (and periodically after each round/day)