

# 2019 MEN'S SLOW PITCH



# D & E/REC



# WESTERN NATIONALS

(2 Separate Tournaments)

COMING TO PORTLAND, OREGON AUGUST 16-18<sup>TH</sup>

AT THE WILLIAM V. OWENS SOFTBALL COMPLEX

\$525 ENTRY FEE / 3 GAME GUARANTEE

<http://www.portlandsoftball.com/content/16454/Mens-WESTERN-NATIONALS>



- Register your team through Tournament USA Softball (Portland Metro) by August 7<sup>th</sup>  
<https://asp.tournamentusasoftball.com/93/>
- Online Payments - <http://www.portlandsoftball.com/current-programs>

Please make sure players are classified correctly.

The D & E/Rec will follow Championship Play rules

- You can carry 20 players
- D teams can have 3 players that are classified C on their roster.  
Players classified C+ may not be on a D team
- E teams can have 3 players that are classified D on their roster.  
Players classified D+ may not be on an E team

*Championship Rosters will be checked prior to Tournament.*

*If a Player is not in the USA Softball Database we can use other Association Classification ranking.*

Players wanting to appeal their classification may do so by going to the National USA Softball website and filling out the appeal form.

<https://www.teamusa.org/USA-Softball/Players/Adult-Player-Information/Slow-Pitch-Player-Information>

The appeal will be sent to the Commissioner where the player/team is registered in.

The National date of appeal deadline is August 1<sup>st</sup>. However, you will want to have them appealed no later than July 1<sup>st</sup> for this Tournament.

If you do not receive a reply within 30 days, please contact your local Commissioner.

### Championship HR Rule-

- D HR rule is 2 any in excess will be a dead ball out
- E HR rule is 0 any over the fence HR is a dead ball out

In order to be eligible to play in the Tournament your team must have played in an Invitational Tournament prior to Western Nationals.

- Tournament Draw- Tuesday, August 13<sup>th</sup> \*Depending on Amt of teams, games could begin 1pm on Friday, August 16<sup>th</sup>

Brackets will be posted after the draw and updated throughout the Tournament on Tournament USA Softball

Official Tournament Ball:



Lodging Information - <http://www.portlandsoftball.com/content/14525/Local-Hotels>

Team Check-In, Bat Testing and Event Schedule will be available as we get closer to the Tournament.

We will update the Tournament Page, Facebook Event and posts as soon as possible.

PMSA/USA Softball of Portland would like to thank all Tournament Sponsors!!

