



2012 Bat Rule

The following bat rules will be in effect for the 2012 season.

Rec League (PreK-8):

No limitations will be in place other than no wood bats. For the 2013 season it is possible that we will implement the new USSSA bats rules for certain age groups (more information will be available by January 1, 2012).

Rec League (High School):

Teams must use a -3 bat in the high school rec league. No wood bats allowed.

Gold Glove League (9U-14U):

No limitations will be in place other than no wood bats. Participants are encouraged to follow the new USSSA bat regulations as you will be required to follow these rules for all USSSA tournaments that you participate in.

BVRC tournaments sanctioned by USSSA:

Teams must follow the USSSA bat rule.

USSSA Rule Link:

<http://www.ussa.com/ussa/ussa-general/2011-12NewBaseballBatMarksGrandfatheringRulesAnnouncement.pdf>

If you have questions on the new USSSA bat rules you can contact the USSSA office at 816.587.4545.

We strongly encourage all players to start using/buying the new USSSA stamped bats since these will be used in all USSSA sanctioned tournaments starting January, 1 2012.