HBSL Home Run Derby Rules:

* Batting order will be selected at random.
* Players must bat in their assigned group.
* Each player will get 12 swings, they do not have to swing at every pitch.
* If there is a tie after all batters have hit in an age group tied players will move to a 2nd 12 swing round.
* Pitchers must throw from a minimum of 40 ft.
* Pitchers must pitch from behind an L-Screen.
* Pitchers must be at least 16 years of age.
* Players are encouraged to bring their own pitcher. We will have someone at each field to throw in case someone does not have a pitcher for the event.
* Players can use any Bat except those listed below:
	+ Declassified bats
		- 2017 USSAA DeMarini 2 3/4 Drop 10 (blue/white) \*
		- 2017 USSSA DeMarini 2 5/8 Drop 8 (green/white)\*
		- 2018 USA Bats Easton Ghost X30-inch
		- 2020 BBCOR Slugger Meta 33 33-inch
		- 2018 USSSA Dirty South Bats KAMO (\*\*Sizes)
		- BBCOR Mattingly Balistk
		- BBCOR Nike CX2
		- BBCOR Slugger TPX Dynasty
		- BBCOR Marucci CAT 5^2
		- BBCOR Reebok TLS
		- BBCOR Marucci Black
* Players can select either Baseball or Softball before there at bat starts and they must stay with that ball for all 12 swings.
* All players under 18 must provide a birth certificate during registration.
* Adult participants (18 and over) will need to provide either a birth certificate, driver’s license, or passport during registration.
* Participants must participate in the group for their age – NO EXCEPTIONS
* A ball must clear the fence on a fly to count as a Home Run.  In fields with nets extending above the fence a ball that hits the net is a Home Run.
* All Judge’s decisions are final.