



HBL Home Run Derby Rules:

- Batting order will be selected at random.
- Players must bat in their assigned spot, if you are selected to bat 5th and are not at the field when your turn is up, you will not be allowed to bat.
- 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
 - Easton Hype drop 5
- Players can select either Baseball or Softball before their at bat starts and they must stay with that ball for all 12 swings.
- All players under 18 must provide a birth certificate or passport 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.
- For safety, all observers must stay to the side of the fencing, no observers can be behind 2nd base/ in the outfield.
- All Judge's decisions are final.