**Softball Review (Test 2)**

- On a softball field, the distance between the bases is 60 ft.

- The distance between the rubber on the pitcher’s mound and home plate is 46 ft.

- The distance from 2nd base to home plate is approximately 84 ft.

- When running the bases, you want to tag the inside corner of the bag

- The softball field resembles a diamond shape.

- A ball hit in foul territory is a strike.

- After each hit, there is at least one force play (or out) to first base.

- You can overrun first base only without being tagged out.

- The clean-up batter bats fourth in the line-up.

- When catching a ball below your waist, your fingers should point down to the ground.

- When on base taking a lead before the pitch is thrown is not allowed.

- George Hancock is considered the founder of softball using a rolled up boxing glove for a ball and a broken broom handle for the bat.

- The strike zone is an area that is the width of home plate and is from the knees to the armpits of the batter.

- Pitches that are thrown outside of the strike zone are called balls.

- Pitches that cross into the strike zone without being hit in fair territory

- Official teams have nine players and play seven innings.

- A ball that is hit into the outfield and bounces over the fence is called a ground ruled double.

- A ball is hit fair if it remains in fair territory until it passes first or third base.

- When a fielder has a base runner caught between 2 bases it is called a pickle or rundown.

- The shortstop is the player who is main cutoff or relay man.