



# YOUNGSMVILLE RECREATIONAL SPORTS PROGRAMS

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## **PONY SOFTBALL BAT RESTRICTIONS:**

The bat shall be a smooth cylinder with knobs. Only bats that pass through a 2-1/4 inch (5.7150 cm) diameter bat ring are legal. Each bat shall be no more than 2-1/4 inches (5.1750 cm) in diameter at its thickest part, no more than 34 inches (86.360 cm) in length, and not exceed 38 ounces (1077.30 g) in weight. There shall be no devices, attachments, or wrappings that cause the handle to become flush with the knob. All bats shall meet the ASA bat performance standard. Laser etching, other than on the barrel is permissible.

- a) All bats must bear the ASA approved certification mark and not must not be listed on an ASA Banned Bat list unless it bears the ASA approved recertification mark.
- b) Must be included on a list of approved bat models published by ASA.
- c) Must be in the sole opinion and discretion of the umpire, have been manufactured prior to 2000 and, if tested, would comply with the ASA bat performance standards then in effect.
- d) Safety grip or cork, tape (no smooth plastic tape) or composition material, may not exceed two layers of tape and must be a continuous spiral. Any resin or pine tar is permissible on this part of the bat. Tape must be at least 10 inches long and not more than 15 inches.