## **Softball Worksheet**

- 1. Softball was first played where and when (indoors and outdoors)?
- 2. How many players play in a slowpitch softball game? And how many play in a fastpitch softball game?
- 3. How many innings are played?
- 4. Once a player is removed from the game, they can reenter the game how many times?
- 5. The visiting team bats when?
- 6. The four most common ways to record outs are by?
- 7. By when and by whom must an appeal play be made?
- 8. Explain the difference between an error and a hit?
- 9. Define "base on balls".
- 10. What is the "base path"?
- 11. What is a "double"?
- 12. Explain the difference between "fair territory" and "foul territory".
- 13. Define a "force play".
- 14. What is a "ground rule double"?
- 15. When does the "infield fly rule" go into effect?
- 16. When may a base runner be called for interference?
- 17. When may a runner lead off in fastpitch?
- 18. What is the one and only base the runner may overslide?
- 19. What does RBI stand for?
- 20. A sacrifice fly does not count as a what?
- 21. Define the batter's "strike zone".
- 22. What are the criteria for a starting pitcher to be credited with a win?
- 23. When must a runner tag up?

24. Name the five ways to record a win:
a. –
b. –
c. –
d. –
e. –
25. Which official stands behind the catcher?

\*\*\*Diagram a softball field: Include all of the players for a fastpitch game.