## **2023 SOFTBALL TRAINING SCHEDULE**

- 1. January 30:
  - a. VHSL Policy Webinar
  - b. Professionalism
  - c. Cover new rules
  - d. Cover comments of new rules
  - e. Cover Point of Emphasis
    - i. Sportsmanship
    - ii. Time Between Innings
    - iii. Jewelry and Electronic Communication
    - iv. Comparable Drying Agents
- 2. February 06:
  - a. Interference: (Dead ball)
    - i. Example Videos
  - b. Obstruction: (Defense) (delay dead ball)
    i. Example Videos
  - c. Interference mechanics --- Demo
  - d. Obstruction mechanics --- Demo
  - e. Malicious contact:
    - i. Example Video:
- 3. February 20:
  - a. Pitching rules --- Videos
  - b. Plate mechanics (balls/strikes) --- Videos
  - c. Plate mechanics (balls/strikes) --- Demo
- 4. February 27:
  - a. DP/Flex Rule
  - b. Infield fly rule --- Videos
  - c. Infield Fly rule --- Demo
  - d. Plate mechanics (ball is hit) --- Videos
  - e. Plate mechanics (ball is hit) --- Demo
- 5. March 06:
  - a. Base mechanics --- Videos
  - b. Base mechanics --- Demo
- 6. March 13:
  - a. Plate mechanics --- Demo on field
  - b. Base mechanics --- Demo on field