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**Softball Learning Packet**

Be sure to answer ALL parts of the questions in COMPLETE SENTENCES. Not all the answers will be found in the packet. You will have to use other resources to find all the answers.

How many players play on a fast pitch softball team? Name all the positions of a fast-pitch team

Explain three ways a batter can be called out.

Explain the three ways a runner can be called out.

Define what an inning is in softball.

What is a “ball” in softball? How many balls equal a walk?

Briefly describe the strike zone.

Name two differences between fast pitch and slow pitch softball (Do not include the speed of the pitch).

What constitutes a foul ball? When can a batter who hits a foul ball be called out?

How must the ball be thrown to the plate by the pitcher? How many feet need to be in contact with the rubber at the start of the pitch

What places have different types of recreational leagues to play in? Please list 5 and t heir contact information.