

## **Lexington Men's Senior Softball League season set to begin**

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The 2024 Lexington Men's Senior Softball League season is set to get underway this upcoming week, as seven teams from last week are back to start a 14-game regular season schedule this Tuesday evening.

Similar to last year each team will play an average of one game a week through the middle of August, and at the completion of the regular season the seven teams will start to compete in a double-elimination playoff to determine this year's league champion.

The major difference from last year is the departure of the Battle Green squad, which dropped out of the league after playing in the league for several years. The other seven teams from last year are all back, with each squad playing four of the other six squads twice, and two teams three times each.

The three-time defending champion Five-O's, which has won the league title the last three years and will be seeking to earn its fourth straight league championship. The other six squads which will attempt to knock the Five-O's from its lofty perch are Prime Time, Foul Play, Metro Contracting, MJB Consulting, Midnight Express, and the Goodtimers.

Similar to last year, the regular season games are scheduled to be played at Estabrook field most Tuesday and Thursday nights, and two games at the Center 2 field with games starting at 6:30 and 8:15 most Tuesday nights. The season will start this Tuesday, May 7, with Foul Play going up against Midnight Express at Estabrook field at 6:30, while MJB Consulting will play the Goodtimers and the Five-O's will battle Prime Time at the Center 2 field at 6:30 and 8:15 respectively. On Thursday night MJB Consulting will play Metro Contracting at Estabrook at 6:30.