GATEWAY BEEPBALL REGIONAL

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BeepBall is an adaptive form of America's Pastime. Here is the makeup: A team has three outs per inning and 6 innings per game. On offense, there are 6 blind/low vision batters and a sighted pitcher and catcher whose goal is to get the batter to hit the ball into play. On defense, there are 6 blind/low vision fielders and up to 2 sighted spotters relaying information about where the ball is hit so the players can pick up the ball. All Players are blindfolded to even the discrepancies in individual vision. The ball is a Chicago-style softball weighing 1lb with electronics inside that make a beeping noise, hence the name BeepBall.

Here are the actions: The pitcher is on the batter's team and will underhand pitch the ball to get the batter to place the ball into the field of play. Once the ball is put into play, the batter will run to first or third base. The bases are four-foot-high padded cylinders placed one hundred feet down the respective baselines and ten feet outside the foul lines. The bases contain units that give off a continuous buzzing sound when activated. The batter does not know which base will buzz. When the ball is hit, the base operator activates one of the bases. The runner must identify the correct buzzing base and run to it before a defensive player fields the ball. A player does one of three things when batting: hit the ball and be put out by the defense, hit the ball and score a run, or strike out after 4 missed pitches. After the outcome of the play, a new batter is up until the side is retired on outs. The team with the most runs after the game wins!

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