



The nature of the unprecedented 2020-2021 competition year for collegiate athletics can best be described as a roller coaster of unpredictability. While it is no secret that every sport has been impacted by the emergence of COVID-19, each activity has been affected in very different ways; some sports have faced repeated delays to their season, others have

they are allowed to participate in and one sport may not even be able to have a season this year at all.

For softball, the team's practice formats have changed dramatically. Most of their practices during the week involve working out in groups of three or four while wearing face masks and social distancing. A few teams that the Lady Owls compete against during the regular season have also opted out – as a result, the team has been limited this year with gameplay and have had to adapt

on how the year has gone for the team thus far, "The