

BYS Baseball

Tee Ball Rules and Regulations

Field Preparations:

1. All coaches should go over the field removing rocks or other hazards from the field prior to play.
2. Bases will be placed and lines marked, including a 10 foot dead ball line which is placed 10 foot up each foul line from home plate.

Players:

1. Players will consist of children age 4-6 years old prior to May 1st.
2. All players must wear proper attire. No shorts. Shirts must be tucked in.

Game:

1. **HAVE FUN!!!**
2. Equipment bags with bats, helmets, catchers gear and protective vests are provided in the shed. Please keep bags organized and return to hangers when practice or games are completed.
3. Bases are 45', Pitchers mound is 35'
4. Games will be 60 minutes or 5 innings in length. The final batting team must start prior to 10 minutes before the 60 minute time limit. Each inning will consist of each player batting once, or when 3 defensive outs are made. Removal of players on base will occur when 3 outs are recorded.
5. No score is kept.
6. Coaches are permitted on the field, however they are not allowed to field balls or assist in making plays.
7. Batters and base runners must wear helmets at all times.
8. Batters will hit off tee or swing at pitches from a coach. Players will be given 5 "pitches." If after 5 pitches the coach may assist the player to "hit" the ball. There are no strike outs or walk.
9. Players must hit the ball past the 10 foot "dead ball" area otherwise the ball is dead and batter takes another attempt.
10. There are no leads or base stealing. Runners remain on base until the ball is hit.
11. Runners may advance one base unless ball goes into outfield in which case player may attempt a double. Final batter will "circle the bases."
12. All players will play the field, unless injury, illness or disciplinary reasons. Player positions should be rotated so that all players get equal opportunity for infield and outfield positions.

Conduct:

1. **No coach, player, parent or fan shall at any time, whether from the bench or elsewhere, use abusive language or visible signs that will in any manner refer negatively on their own or the opposing team. If this occurs the coach will immediately be removed from his/her position, and a player, parent or guest will be asked to leave the field.**
2. No coach or parent is permitted to smoke on the field, players' bench or any area visible to players.
3. No one except for coaches and players are permitted on the bench.
4. No one is allowed to damage other players' belongings, team equipment, field facilities, sheds or porta-potties.
5. Both teams will pick up and remove trash after each game. Trash bags are provided in the shed.
6. Coaches should rake/drag the field, bases stored and base plugs inserted after last practice of the day is completed

Misc:

1. Make up are scheduled through Kurt Freer kafreer@gmail.com or 610-428-7085
2. Be prepared with lineups prior to arrival.
3. Start on time