

T-Ball Rules & Information



1. Time Frame:

- Game time will be 50 minutes.

2. Information:

- Field Set-up: Bases are 30 feet or 10 paces apart.
- Batting Line-up: All players present will bat. A half inning of play is completed when all players have completed one (1) turn at bat.
- Official Line-up: All players on the official roster must be placed in the batting line-up and in the defensive line-up.

3. Rules:

- Base Running: No stealing. All teams shall adhere to a "one base at a time" mentality except in the following occurrences:
 - 1) Bases empty and a ball clears all outfielders.
 - 2) Runners on, ball clears all outfielders-may take extra base, but must stop when a fielder touches the ball.
 - 3) Last batter. Runners may continue until the last batter scores or the ball is placed on the tee by a fielder.
- Out/Safe: Coaches will be umpires at each base. Hitters and runners will be called out or safe.
- Safety Rules: *Catchers must wear a helmet and must stand away from the tee and batter (at least 15 feet behind the tee) *Players may not handle a bat unless the coach hands it to them. Remind your players to never go near another player that is holding a bat.
- **NO SCORE KEEPING!**

4. Equipment:

- All equipment will be available at the fields for games and practices.
- The home team will take the field first.