

## SOUTH DAVIS RECREATION BASEBALL 2023 T-BALL 5&6 YEAR OLD LEAGUE

## **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Game Schedules can be found at <a href="https://www.quickscores.com/southdavisrecreation">www.quickscores.com/southdavisrecreation</a>

- 1. Have fun and be safe!
- 2. Game will consist of four (4) innings **OR** 55 minutes. And be played on 50 ft. base paths.
- 3. Entire lineup will bat, then alternate regardless of outs each inning.
- 4. Entire team will play in the field. Outfielders must play behind the base paths.
- 5. Players need to rotate fielding positions every inning.
- 6. Once a ball has landed or has been caught in the infield from the outfield, it is no longer in play. The runner goes to the nearest base.
- 7. No lead offs or stealing.
- 8. The batter cannot hit the ball off the tee until the pitcher is in position.
- 9. Runner cannot run on any overthrows.
- 10. Batter gets five (5) attempts to hit the ball into play. If a batter fails to hit the ball after five (5) tries, the batter will be awarded first base and have a chance to run the bases.
- 11. The batter will have the option to take two (2) swings with the coach pitching. If missed twice, they must use the tee and will only have three (3) swings remaining.
- 12. The catcher stands away from the batter until after the batter hits the ball or the ball hits the ground. The catcher may return the ball to the tee after the play is over.
- 13. No forfeits. Teams may play regardless of the number of players.
- 14. Balls, bases, helmets, bats & tee will be provided for **games only**. We will be using a FlexiBall Low Compression/Safe-T-Soft baseball for game play.
- 15. Win-Loss records will not be kept. Games may end in ties.
- 16. The designated home team will keep track of game time, innings, player's at bats and make sure both teams are playing fair & adhering to the rules.
- 17. Only players and coaches are permitted in the dugout area.
- 18. Practice time & place is determined by coach\*.
- 19. Adhere to all West Bountiful City Park Rules & Regulations:
  - a. The lawn may not be used for golfing, skiing, or snowboarding.
  - b. The use of motorized vehicles is prohibited except in designated parking areas.
  - c. Amplified music is not permitted without prior written consent of the City Council, or its designee, as allowed by ordinance.
  - d. Water activities are not permitted without prior written approval from City Staff.
  - e. Ice-blocking and waterslides are prohibited.
  - f. No drugs or alcoholic beverages may be possessed, dispensed, or consumed at any time.
  - g. Pets or animals are not allowed except for service animals.
  - h. Glass containers are not permitted.

<sup>\*</sup>Practice time & place is determined by the coach. Coaches can reach out to Haley at 801-298-6235 or <a href="mailto:haley@southdavisrecreation.com">haley@southdavisrecreation.com</a> to reserve a practice time slot at the West Bountiful Baseball Fields. Practice reservation schedules will be available at the fields.