

2019

MANCHESTER

LITTLE LEAGUE

TBALL MIT

LEAGUE RULES

AND

GENERAL INFORMATION

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General Information

1. This shall be a fun instructional tournament for the players. Lets teach the children good sportsmanship & to have FUN playing this game of baseball.
 2. Tball WILL NOT include, wins, loses, team standings or playoffs.
 3. The movement of players in all positions is required.
 4. There will be no umpires at the Tball level. Coaches will call players safe or out at the bases.
 5. If a ball is hit down the line and it's close to being a fair ball, let's call it fair to save some time.
 6. A batted ball shall meet or exceed a 8' mark placed on the field. Otherwise, player shall bat again.
 7. The Team mom (if certified) will be allowed to sit in the dugout to help control the children.
 8. One coach from each team **must** always be in the dugout with the players.
 9. Start every game with a pre-game discussion with the other manager. This discussion should reside near home plate and items of topic are, batting around the lineup, # of players at the game, the 90 minute time limit, etc.
 10. It is extremely important to start every game on time.
 11. Coaches should keep parents well informed of practices, schedule changes, rain outs, rules etc
 12. In Tball, a total of 4 coaches are needed in order to operate a successful program,
 - i. Offensively
 - 1 coach setting up the tee and assisting the batter and the catcher.
 - 1 coach in the 1st base coaching box and 1 coach in the 3rd base coaching box.
 - 1 coach/team mom MUST be in the dugout with the players getting them ready to bat.
 - ii. Defensively
 - 2 defensive coaches "base umpires" are on the field to assist in defensive roles.
 - 1 coach/team mom MUST be in the dugout with the players.
1. If you have enough players for outfielders, have them positioned out on the outfield grass.
 2. In Tball, only the certified coaches on the team can be base coaches, NO players.
 3. No on deck batters are permitted in Little League baseball.
 4. No bats allowed in the dugouts at all levels.
 5. **Tball will bat each player in an inning. Once each player gets a chance to bat, the inning is over.**
 6. **There is NO 3 run rule in Tball this year. The entire lineup bats and then the inning is over.**
 7. There is a 90 minute time limit on games from the SCHEDULED start of the game. Make it a point to start on time. Darkness or weather conditions may also end a game early.
 8. **Let's try and speed up the time it takes between innings. If we hustle on and off the field between innings, there is no reason why we can't complete 5-6 innings in a 90 minute period.**
 9. Please have one coach responsible for dressing the catcher in a timely manner each & every inning.
 10. We request that you rotate each of your players every inning in a different infield position.

For any questions, please contact your Player Agent at any time.

Thank you for your support and dedication to Manchester Little League.

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