



Tomball Little League FAQ

What divisions do you offer?

For the Fall 2020 Season we will be offering 4/5U T-ball, 6U Coach pitch, Single A 7-8U Machine Pitch, Double A 9-10U Kid Pitch, Triple A 11U Minors, 12/13U Intermediate 50/70, 14-16U Seniors (see bottom of FAQ for division descriptions).

We will not have a 12U Majors and 13/14U Juniors division this fall. These ages will fall into the 50/70 and Seniors division.

How do I know if I live or attend school within the Tomball Little League boundaries?

Enter your address [HERE](#)

If your home address does not fall within the Tomball Little League District but your child attends a school within the District they would be eligible to play at Tomball Little League.

Where are the fields located?

125 W. Huffsmith (corner of Cherry and Huffsmith), Tomball, TX

Our field map is [HERE](#)

What age group does my child belong in?

Review the age calculator [HERE](#). For the Fall 2020 and Spring 2021 seasons your child will play in the age group that matches up with their age as of August 31, 2021 (league age).

Why do we use the spring league age in the fall season?

The purpose of the fall season is to prepare each child for the next spring season. This allows kids to experience new age groups (ex – Machine Pitch and Coach Pitch) to allow them to work on fundamentals. The fall season is geared toward skill development.

What is included in registration?

For the fall season we provide each player with a jersey and hat. There will be 10 games plus an end of season tournament (weather permitting).

For the spring season we provide each player with a jersey, hat, belt, and socks. There will be 12 games plus an end of season tournament.

What does my registration money go towards?

Field and park upkeep and maintenance, umpires, uniforms, baseballs, baseball equipment, Little League charter and other Little League expenses, utilities, etc.

Can I request a specific Coach or for my child to be with another player?

We do our best to honor all coach and teammate requests in our T-ball and Coach Pitch divisions. We do not honor these requests for machine pitch age group and older as these kids will be drafted to teams by the Managers.

Why are there player evaluations?

Note – we will not have evaluations In the Fall 2020 season to limit large gathering because of COVID-19

Evaluations allow Managers to evaluate each kid for purposes of drafting their teams. Evaluations take place for kids league age 7 and above. Kids will get the chance to hit, run, field, and pitch (if they choose to do so for age 9 and up). If your child is unable to attend one of the scheduled evaluations you should contact one of the Player Agents prior to the scheduled evaluation sessions (contact info can be found on the Board Member list) to schedule an alternate day/time. Managers will rank every player on the skills listed above and each player will end up with an average ranking. Managers will utilize these rankings as well as their own notes to draft players to their team.

What is the refund policy?

Our refund policy can be found [HERE](#).

How often are there practices/games?

All children in T-ball and Coach Pitch will have 2 activities (games/practices) per week. All children in Machine Pitch and older will have 3 activities (games/practices) per week. Activities are from Monday-Saturday and there is no specific set schedule for day's and times. We are unable to make and communicate specific schedules until registration is closed and teams are formed.

When are practices and games?

Prior to games starting we have practices from Monday through Saturday. Once games begin practices are on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. Games are on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. If needed, we may make up cancelled games on practice nights.

What kind of bat should I buy for my child?

Little League requires that all bats be USA Baseball Standard bat. These bats will have a USA sticker/designation on them.

What equipment do I need?

Baseball bat, glove, batting helmet, cleats with plastic spikes.

How do I sign up to be a Manager, Coach, or Team Mom?

During the registration process, you can select the option to volunteer in one of these positions.

What are the responsibilities of a Manager?

The Manager is the leader of the team. They can delegate as they see fit but are ultimately responsible for leading the team. They can work with the parents of their team to seek volunteers to help (coaches, team mom, etc).

What are the responsibilities of a Coach?

The Coach is responsible for helping the Manager run the team. They can help with a variety of roles, but a coach typically helps with teaching the kids the game of baseball and helping during practices and games.

What are the responsibilities of a Team Parent Coordinator?

The Team Mom is responsible for helping the Manager handle administrative tasks. They will attend the team mom meeting, pass out information to the team, help coordinate communication with the team, help coordinate game day volunteers, etc.

Division Descriptions

- 4-5U T-ball
 - Kids will learn the fundamentals of baseball and will hit off of a tee
 - 2 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is not kept and there is no end of season tournament for this age group
- 6U Coach Pitch
 - Kids will be given three pitches from the coach and if they do not hit the ball will be given three swings off of the tee
 - 2 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is not kept in the regular season
 - There will be an end of season tournament in which score will be kept
- Single A Machine Pitch
 - This league is for all kids league age 7 and 8
 - Age group will be split into two divisions
 - Kids will learn how to hit the ball off of a pitching machine
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - 5 runs max per inning
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars
- Double A Kid Pitch
 - This league is for all kids league age 9 and 10
 - Age group will be split into two divisions
 - Kids will learn how to pitch and how to hit off of other kid pitchers
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - 5 runs max per inning
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars

- Triple A
 - This league is for kids league age 11 who do not play up in Majors (exceptions can be made for 12 year old's to play in this division)
 - Age group will be split into two divisions if there are enough kids
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - 5 runs max per inning
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars
- Majors (not offered in Fall 2020)
 - This league is for kids league age 12 and possibly some 11 year old's (all 12 year old's play in this division unless there is an exception made for the child to play in Triple A)
 - Age group will be split into two divisions if there are enough kids
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - Cumulative runs per inning (5 in the 1st, up to 10 in the second, etc)
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars
- Intermediate 50/70
 - This league is for kids league age 12 and 13
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - Cumulative runs per inning (5 in the 1st, up to 10 in the second, etc)
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars
 - In 50/70 base runners are allowed to take leads off of the base (open bases). The pitching rubber is 50 feet away and bases are 70 feet apart
- Juniors (not offered in Fall 2020)
 - This league is for kids league age 13 and 14
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept and there is an end of season tournament
 - Cumulative runs per inning (5 in the 1st, up to 10 in the second, etc)
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars
- Seniors
 - This league is for kids league age 15 and 16 (note: For Fall 2020 this will be for kids league age 14-16)
 - 3 activities (games/practices) per week
 - Score is kept
 - No run rule per inning
 - In the spring season, kids are eligible for All Stars