

St. James/Smithtown Little League
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TEE BALL LOCAL LEAGUE RULES

The goal of Little League is supposed to be a fun filled experience, where each child is given a chance to succeed and learn. The Board of Directors has added the following rules to supplement the Little League Rulebook.

- No inning shall start two hours after the scheduled start of the game.
- Game time shall be 6pm in all age brackets.
- The Little League Code of Conduct will be adhered to and enforced.
- Smoking is forbidden at any Little League event.

T-Ball 5 Year Old Division:

1. Length of games is 3 innings or 90-minute time limit.
2. Set bases at 50 feet.
3. All members of team will bat in each inning. Inning will end when the last player bats. Allow all players to circle bases to end the inning (Chase the rabbit). Change the batting order each inning.
4. Catcher's position is not played in T-Ball.
5. No person other than the batter and coach is permitted in the home plate area during an at bat.
6. Scores are not kept.
7. Managers are encouraged to place coaches at each base to assist young players in running and base advancement.
8. All players play defensively. Create additional positions on the right, left and center of the pitchers mound. Play with 7 infielders and rotate them each inning. Be creative.
9. Helmets **MUST** be worn.
10. Use only league issued safety balls.
11. Remind parents that athletic supporters (cups) are to be worn.
12. Lightning or Thunder will result in immediate termination of play for the day.
13. Cancellations due to weather conditions will be posted on website by 4 pm.