

Eastmont Cal Ripken LOCAL RULES

T-Ball LEAGUE 2010

1. Games shall be at least three (3) innings in length and extra innings may be added with the consent of both coaches.
2. Games will be limited to 1½ hours maximum. Games can be shortened due to bad weather.
3. An inning shall consist of each team batting the first 10 batters of their roster. The next inning the batting order will be continue and resume at the top once the roster has hit once. Maximum 10 batters an inning. While making solid outs is emphasized, 3 outs will not shortening the inning.
4. Coaches will field entire team although the option is open to alternate a few players off the bench if it's more manageable.
5. Coated rubber Tee Balls will be used for the practices and games. (Risk Injury Factor 5 Impact balls provided by league.)
6. A coach must be in the batting area during game time to assist players in adjusting the tee and to give coaching tips. It is the same coach's responsibility to remove the tee when a player is advancing to home.
7. When a player hits the ball off the tee, it must travel 25 feet (according to the rule book) An arc can be drawn from foul line to foul line and from the tip of home plate to represent this distance.
8. Batting helmets must be used at bat and as base runners.
9. Play will stop when an attempt is made to throw to the pitcher by an infielder or outfielder.
10. The bases will be placed at regulation distance of 60 feet.
11. As the season progresses and the team's coaches expectations have been met, the "T" may be replaced with coaches pitching (soft toss) to their own team's batters. This must be agreed upon by both head coaches. This rule also applies to any point in the game and does not have to include all players on a team. **If they elect to coach pitch, (soft toss - underhand or overhand), a maximum of three pitches is allowed. If no contact is made, the child must hit off the tee.**
12. PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL LITTER IS PICKED UP BEFORE YOUR TEAM LEAVES YOUR BENCH AREA.
13. PLEASE CONTROL YOUR BENCH AREA SO NO ACCIDENTS OCCUR.
14. When your team is on field Waste Management or Pepsi field, each team must provide 1 parent to help with concessions. This is a direct financial advantage to all kids in the league. Please coordinate this in advance of the season or each game.