



*Ash-Carleton Little League
Local Playing Rules-T Ball 5/6 Division*

1. All games will have a 60 minute time limit. Game will be over at the end of 60 minutes from the first pitch. The game shall be no longer than 3 innings.
2. Score shall not be kept. There will be no standings as the division is instructional.
3. When a team is in the field (defense), all extra coaches and managers for that team shall be allowed on the field for instructional purposes. If a player remains in the dugout for any reason, a league approved adult must remain in the dugout with him/her.
4. Every player present will appear on the batting roster and play defense.
5. The offensive team continues batting until all players have batted. At such time, the offensive manager will notify the defense team that the last batter has batted.
6. Teams are limited to 6 defensive players in the infield. All extra players must take positions in the outfield grass. There will be no catcher. Any player choosing not to play defense shall remain in the dugout under adult supervision as noted above. **Need to rotate players from infield to outfield.**
7. Managers will attempt to make up any games postponed due to weather. There will be no double headers, no exceptions. Teams play in lieu of practice upon agreement of both managers.
8. Games will be played with safety baseball.
9. **An offensive team manager or coach shall pitch the ball underhand to his/her team. After 5 missed swings, the ball will then be placed on a tee.**
10. All batters bat until they have hit the ball into fair territory. To be fair a ball must travel beyond a 6 foot arch from the home plate and be in the field of play.
11. On a batted fair ball, batter/runner shall be called out if he/she doesn't reach first base before first base is touched by the fielder having possession of the ball. **If a player is out on any base, he/she must return to the dugout. Outs will NOT end an inning.**
12. Fair balls that do not leave the infield will limit batter and runners to one base. On fair batted balls that reach the outfield, the batter and runners can continue running until the ball is returned to the infield. If there is no play on any of the runners, the runners if between bases, can continue to the next unoccupied base. However, any runners that are tagged out while off base shall be called out.
13. There will be no base stealing.



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