

# Ankeny Little League Baseball

## Summary of Ground Rule changes for 2026

<u>Rule</u>	<u>Change</u>	<u>LL Rule Book Rule</u>
GR #15	Baserunners returning to base when pitcher has ball	Rule 7.13
GR #27	Extend USABat Standard back to T-Ball	Rule 1.1
GR #60	Regular season pitcher warmups outside of fence OK	
GR #50, GR #51	Change Triple A run rule per inning to 5 runs (Minors)	Rule 5.07
GR #62	Remove requirement for covering neoprene sleeve	
GR #77	Removed batter's box exception list - refer to LL Rulebook instead	
new	Added tie-breakers into ground rules (from P&P doc)	
Incomplete Inning Guide	Resuming an early season suspended non-regulation game	Rules 4.10, 4.11, & 4.12
Rule of Conduct #2 and Note	Clarified, reorganized, and added penalty for ejection	Rules 4.07 & 9.01(d)
Rule of Conduct #3	Updated prohibitions to include vaping and alcohol	
Rule of Conduct #6	Remove - coach not responsible for fans' conduct	
Juniors and Seniors	Combined Jr and Sr into one column. Where prior differences existed: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- used Junior rules: scheduling, number of innings, run limit per inning, time limit, pitch count sheets, season standings/tiebreakers.</li> <li>- used Senior rules: bat requirements.</li> </ul>	