



2017 MJCCA PRE-K T-BALL RULES

The MJCCA Pre-K T-Ball league will combine instruction and game play each week. The first 30 minutes of field time will be designated for each team to practice skills. After 30 minutes, teams will play a two inning game. Game rules are as follows:

1. Hitting:
 - a. All players bat every inning. First time from 1 through 8. Second time from 8 through 1.
 - b. All players at bat should be sitting on the bench until it is their turn to bat.
 - c. Movable Waffle bases should be positioned at 36 feet. (~12 paces)
2. Defense:
 - a. All players play in the field. Regular infield without catcher. All others in outfield. (E.G. 4 infield 4 outfield)
 - b. Each inning players should play a different position. Switch entire outfield to infield. By the end of the season hopefully everyone will have gotten to play every position in the field.
3. Coaches:
 - a. Offensively:
 - i. There may be one offensive coach at 1st base and 3rd base to direct runners
 - b. Defensively:
 - i. 1 coach may be positioned between the pitcher's circle and 2nd base to give verbal instruction to the infield, not physically help.
 - ii. 2 coaches may be positioned in the outfield to give verbal instruction, not physically help.
 - c. On an overthrow to first base, the runner may only advance one base.
 - i. If the overthrow occurs at first base the player that batted the ball may only advance 1 base and go to second. Even if the ball is then thrown away in error again, that base runner may not advance.
4. General Rules:
 - a. At the end of the game, all players and coaches shall line up and shake hands.
 - b. All games will be 3 innings or 30 minutes long. Whichever occurs first.
 - c. Parents must be outside of the fence during the game

5. First Aid Kits are available on Field #1 in the sheds at Zaban.
6. Officiating:
 - i. The defensive coaches will serve as the base umpires.

**NOTE: THIS LEAGUE IS 100% INSTRUCTIONAL, FUN, & RECREATIONAL.
.....LET THE KIDS HAVE FUN AND LEARN THE GAME OF BASEBALL.
..... No scorekeeper, No scoreboard, No standings.**