

PLAYOFFS

GAME LENGTHS

Intermediate 5 innings; Seniors & Majors 7 innings.
Please encourage your teams to be quick between innings.
No game can end in a tie.

PITCHERS

Pitchers may only pitch a maximum of 4 innings in the seniors and Majors division and a maximum of 3 innings in the intermediate division. Any part of an inning they pitch in, will count as an inning. Only the figure eight and bowling style pitch will be allowed. Pitch must be an “easy pitch”
No slingshot pitches.

PLAYER ADDITIONS

In the event a team is aware that they will be short players to field a team, that team may “call up” players from the lower age division. No players may cross over from other teams in the division regardless of their playoff status. Once a player is called up to play for a team that player may not be called up by another team while the first team is still active in the playoffs.

COACHES

Coaches must remain in the dugout while their team is on defence unless time is asked for, and granted by the umpire.

SCORING

Maximum of 5 runs an inning unless trailing by more than 5. If trailing by more than 5 the team behind may score enough runs to tie the game, but may not go ahead. The final inning of the game is an open inning.
Completed line-ups must be provided to the opposing team prior to the game.
Official team score books to be used.
During play - offs, the scores are to be compared at the end of each inning.
No play- off game may end in a tie.

PLAYER PARTICIPATION

Each participating team must have at least 8 players present or the game is a FORFEIT.
A 15 minute grace period will be allowed each team to achieve at least 8 players. The grace period extends from the beginning of the scheduled game time for 15 minutes. The umpire will be in charge of making the determination of whether a team is in default or not.
A team playing with only 8 players will do so with a line-up of 9 spots with the vacant spot being an automatic out.

If due to player “call ups”, a team has more than 9 players on their game roster the “call ups” must take a turn sitting out an inning. A “call up” may not participate in a complete game in the field, at the expense of one or more of the regular players.

Team shirts are to remain unaltered and be worn at every game.

No jewellery may be worn, piercings may be taped.