TBALL FCFA League Rules

Play will be governed by USSSA Rule Book, unless specified in this section.

- 1. Ball: 10-inch ball will be used and is provided by the league with your equipment.
- 2. T-shirts will be ordered through the league and handled by a designated company
- 3. Equipment is provided by the league if a player chooses to wear personal equipment it must have the NOCSAE stamp. Bats must have the USSSA thumb print.
- 4. TBALL league team fee \$250
- 5. All players must be registered through the league website
- 6. Distances:
 - a. The pitching rubber shall be set at thirty-five (35) feet for T-Ball.
 - b. The base length is sixty (60) feet.
- 7. Innings: A regulation game shall be four (4) innings.
- 8. Time Limits: There will be a 45 minute time limit. Drop dead in league
- 9. We do not keep score
- 10. WE do not have outs
- 11. Offensive:
 - a. Bat your entire lineup (if 13 players show up, 13 must bat, if 8 shows up, 8 will bat, etc.)
 - b. The "T" will be provided by either team
 - c. NO COACH PITCH
 - d. The batter is permitted to swing as many times as it takes to put ball in play
 - e. When the last batter comes up to bat notify the opposing team.
 - f. Each team has the option to have the last batter run home, the defensive team will make sure that the defensive players do not chase the girls.
 - g. Batter/Runners are permitted 1 base at a time, "Station to Station".
 - h. A runner may not leave a base until the ball has been batted from the "T"
- 12. Defensive Positions: Six fielders including the catcher must be in the infield. The rest must be in the outfield. The outfield is defined as at least 10 feet outside of the base lines in fair territory.
 - a. Defensive players must remain behind the pitchers plate line extended until the batter has hit the ball.
 - b. One player shall be in the pitcher's position on the pitching mound with at least one foot within 8 feet of the pitcher's plate at the start of each play. The pitcher cannot leave its position until the ball is hit off the "T".
 - c. The Pitcher must wear helmet with face mask or game face protective gear.
 - d. Catchers must wear protective gear
 - e. Defensive player are encouraged to wear helmet with face mask or game face protective gear.
 - f. If you have 8 or less defensive players show up, borrow defensive players from the opposing team so that you have a minimum of 9 defensive players on the field.
- 13. Coaches/Assistants: Each team is permitted to have up to 6 coaches assisting on the field during defense (Behind catcher, behind 1st base, behind SS, behind 3rd, behind outfielders left and right center). During offense you will have your "T" Coach, 1st & 2nd base coaches.
- 14. Badges are to be worn by all coaching staff or anyone present in the dugout or assisting players.