



Jackson Angry Bear

8U Coach Pitch Tournament

Regulations and Playing Rules

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- JAB.1** Teams may consist of a maximum of 14 players.
- JAB.2** Rosters must be turned in prior to the first game played.
- JAB.3** To be eligible players must not have turned 9 years old before May 1, 2019.
- JAB.4** Coaches need to have copy of player's birth certificate on hand in the event a player's age is challenged.
- JAB.5** Teams shall only consist of community players and not travel players. All players must be from the same school district and played no higher than community level baseball this spring.
- JAB.6** Tournament will attempt to have a three game guarantee.(weather permitting) 2 Pool play games followed by single elimination bracket play.
- JAB.7** Any coach, player, or fan ejected from the game by the umpire will be required to leave Jackson ball fields immediately, and not return for the duration of the tournament.
- JAB.8** No grills, alcohol or tobacco are permitted to be at the ball fields.
- JAB.9** Any playing rules not covered in these rules are subject to 2019 Jackson Community Baseball rule book.
- JAB.10** Any game not completed due to inclement weather shall be suspended and play picked up where it left off when play resumes. If game cannot

be finished in allotted time it will be considered final if 4 innings have been completed.

- JAB.11** There will only be ONE team warning for throwing bats. All batters on team will be called out after warning is issued.
- JAB.12** Bunting is not allowed
- JAB.13** Batted ball must make it past the arc drawn in front of home plate to be a live fair ball.
- JAB.14** Each batter gets 6 pitches or 3 strikes. At bat continues if 6th pitch is fouled off.
- JAB.15** Infield fly rule does not apply.
- JAB.16** Baserunners cannot leave the base until ball is hit.
- JAB.17** Teams can play 9 or 10 players in the field. There can only be 6 on the infield.
- JAB.18** Batting order will consist of the entire team.
- JAB.19** Pitching coach hit by a ball will be an automatic replay. Pitch does count.
- JAB.20** Interference by a base coach is an automatic out.
- JAB.21** There will be one defensive coach allowed in the outfield only.
- JAB.22** There are no bat restrictions
- JAB.23** Courtesy runners are allowed for the catcher or an injured player. Last player to be called out must be used.
- JAB.24** The pitching coach must start their pitch with both feet inside the pitching circle.
- JAB.25** Player pitcher must be inside pitching circle until pitch is thrown.
- JAB.26** There is a 5 run per inning limit, with the exception of the 6th inning which is 10 runs.

- JAB.27** The play is stopped when an infielder is in possession of the ball inside the baselines and calls for time.
- JAB.28** Halfway marks will be on the field. Any player that is beyond the halfway mark when times in called will receive the next base. If they have not passed the line they will return to the previous base.
- JAB.29** Over throws that stay inside the field are live balls, any balls that go out of play will result in the runners advancing one base.
- JAB.30** Time limit is 90 minutes per game. A new inning can not start after 90 minutes. (4 innings must be completed)
- JAB.31** The game will be called when it is mathematically impossible for a team to win (16 runs after 4 innings and 11 after 5).
- JAB.32** It is the responsibility of the baserunner to avoid contact when there is a play in the field. This is at the discretion of the umpire.
- JAB.33** There is no sliding into first base or the runner will be called out.

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