

WHAT TO EXPECT

Minors B

Baseball ages 9-10
Year Olds*click for
age chart

of teams - 7-8

Team size - 12-13
players

April 11 - June 13

If your child's baseball age falls within 2 divisions, register in the lower division or the division played last season. Players may be moved up or down divisions after assessments.

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Program

This division is introduced to competitive game play, progression of skill development and understanding of rules to assist progression into Majors. Live pitching is introduced. Players are rotated through infield and outfield positions at the discretion of the head coach.

Fair play rules are followed to ensure that all players are given same opportunity to play an approximately equal time in all positions over the course of the season.

Schedule Overview

Late January - Players attend assessment session.

February/Early March - Head Coaches will attend draft meeting and team assignments will be confirmed. Head Coaches will contact parents directly.

Season begins April 11, possibly earlier - There is one practice, one batting practice, and at least one game per week. Practice and game schedules to be released around first week of April.

April 25 - Opening Day Ceremony/Season Kick Off and Photo Day

May Long Weekend - Harvard Tournament

Late May - Playoff begins

June 13 - Closing Day Ceremony

June 13 - Last day of games

*NOTE: DATES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Rules

Players will be expanding the game of baseball through practices and game plays. Positional play, batting off live pitching and rules will be reemphasized. Practices will be 1½ hours. Batting practice is one hour. Game duration between 2 to 2½ hours (3 hours field time) usually on the weekends between 9am-7pm. Scores and standings are kept for end of regular season playoffs. For detailed rules, click [HERE](#).

Expectations

Coach Responsibility

Focus is on fair and competitive play, while teaching baseball rules in a safe and controlled environment. All players are encouraged to try pitching and will be rotated between infield/outfield positions.

Parent Involvement

Even though we will be fortunate to have volunteer coaches; team managers; division manager, we will still need parent volunteers to support our teams. Parents will be placed on a rotational schedule to help with duties such as field prep, scorekeeping, pitch counting, and concession duty. NOTE: This is not a DROP OFF activity, parents are expected to be nearby in case of emergencies or to assist with their child.

Equipment

Baseball Glove
Baseball Helmet
Grey Baseball Pants
Athletic Cup
Cleated shoes

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The fifth level in our minor baseball program, tailored for players who are baseball age 9-10. This division provides a crucial opportunity to deepen understanding of the game's rules and develop core skills, with gameplay focused on skill building, teamwork, and game experience.

Team Formation

All players must attend regular season assessments, typically held at the end of January. These evaluations are essential for creating balanced and competitive teams, which are formed through a coach led draft process. Please note that friend requests are not accepted in this division, and team placements are final once the draft is complete. Volunteer Head Coaches may select one Assistant Coach for their team. The children of both coaches will be guaranteed placement on the same team.

Season Planning

Minors B players may try out for Post Season teams, including the 9/10 All Stars, 9 Selects, or 10 Selects, which run from July to August. Selection to a Post Season team comes with the expectation of full commitment to all practices, games, and tournaments. If a player is unable to meet this commitment, their spot may be reassigned. Post Season participants will also be invited to join our Fall Ball program for continued development. For those who are not placed on a Selects team, we offer a Summer Ball program, a casual, player led weekly game session focused on fun and gameplay, without formal coaching. There will also be development in winter (Jan-Mar)

Registration Guide

If your child's baseball age falls within 2 divisions, please register in the lower division or the division played last season. This helps build familiarity with the game and lays a solid foundation for future development. Typically, players remain in each division for at least two seasons before advancing to the next age appropriate level.

Additional Questions

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