



Majors 70



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1. Time Limits: All games have a two hour time limit. No new innings to start after two hours during the weekdays. No new innings after 1:45 on Saturdays. Game length will be six innings with a regulation game complete after 4 innings or 3.5 with home team winning.
2. Games that do not reach 3.5 or 4 innings will be replayed from the beginning on the next available date including Sundays. Pitch counts from incomplete game are still in effect.
3. Any of the starting nine may withdrawal and re-enter once provided such player occupies the same batting position whenever he is in the lineup. A substitute withdrawn may not re-enter. A local rule option is continuous batting order with unlimited substitutions. Every player must start once a week.
4. The batter can strikeout, walk or take a base if hit by pitch. Dropped third strike rule applies. If a runner walks toward the dugout outside the clay the batter is out. If runner occupies first base there is no drop third strike rule.
5. A pitcher who delivers 41 or more pitches in a game can't play catcher for the remainder of the day.
6. Courtesy runner is allowed for pitcher and catcher. That courtesy runner will be the last recorded out if a continuous batting order is used. Otherwise only bench players can run.
7. Baserunners must avoid contact and are limited to feet first sliding, except to avoid pickoff. 9. In spring, the league provides a home plate umpire. A manager or coach from another team, usually from the preceding game, umpires the bases. Jr. umpires may be used for the bases.
8. The Manager is responsible for fulfilling umpiring duty as scheduled and shall recruit qualified replacement(s), if unable to umpire as scheduled. Failure to umpire as scheduled shall result in a Manager suspension of: First offense: one (1) game. Second offense: suspended for the remainder of the season, subject to review of the Board.
9. For the spring competitive season, every Majors 70 team must be kept fully staffed. If a player is lost from a team during the season due to injury, or other circumstance, they must be replaced quickly with another player (see section 11). The team manager is expected to notify the Majors 70 Player Agent (PA) within 2 days when a replacement is required. Penalty for not reporting the vacancy is 2 games.

Vacancies will be filled with eligible 12, 11, or 10 year olds. Player additions must be selected by the player agent.

10. Players suitable for consideration to be placed on a Majors team must have already undergone a tryout attended by the Majors 70 coaches. These players may reside on a waiting list or may already be participating on a team in the Majors 60 Division.

11. The Player Agent will maintain a priority list of players that are candidates to fill vacant positions in the Majors. The manager of the team needing to replace a player shall pick an eligible replacement player within 7 days. If the manager does not comply, the PA will make the determination, with Division Manager approval. No replacement player shall be required with 5 or less games remaining in the season.

12. There will be a end of the season tournament to crown a champion. Teams will play 2 pool play games and then advance to a single elimination bracket. Seeding rules our as follows.

- 1) win loss record
- 2) fewest runs allowed
- 3) highest run differential
- 4)runs score

13... Babe Ruth Cal Ripken rules apply if not addressed in local rules.