

RICHMOND HEIGHTS AMATEUR SPORTS

T-BALL DIVISION RULES

- 1) Each game shall be three innings long or approximately one (1) hour long. The games begin at 6:30 pm.
- 2) No official scoring is done. Each team bats through its order in each inning regardless of how many outs are made.
- 3) A batter who hits the ball to the infield should stop at first base, and each base runner should advance one base. If the ball is hit to the outfield, the batter may advance to second base, and other runners advance accordingly. The last batter in the order can circle the bases, unless an out is made on him. Players who are tagged out, or forced out at a base should return to the bench.
- 4) Coaches may pitch underhand to their player who is batting for three (3) pitches. If the ball is not hit after three (3) pitches then the ball should be placed on the tee. Coaches have the discretion to decide whether to pitch to their player.
- 5) Offensive players who are not batting should remain on the dugout bench.
- 6) Defensive players should be encouraged to make throws to first base on infield hits, and to second base on outfield hits.
- 7) Coaches have, by mutual agreement, the discretion to cancel or shorten games due to inclement weather, including excessive heat. Players should be immediately removed from the field at the first sign of lightning.
- 8) The visiting team, as denoted by the team listed first on the schedule, shall bat first.
- 9) Coaches should, at all times, model and exhibit good sportsmanship, and correct players who are exhibiting unsportsmanlike-like conduct. Persistent problems in this area should be referred to the RHAS Board of Directors.
10. Games canceled or shortened due to inclement weather will not be made up or rescheduled.