# LMYA's Tee Ball (Kindergarten) Rules 

General Rules

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1 Games shall be 3 innings or 1 hour time limit. No inning should start after 45 minutes of playing time. Innings in progress after 45 minutes should be completed.
2 Each half inning shall consist of one time through the batting order irrespective of the number of players on each team.
3 Agree with other coach who bats first; the other team takes the field.
4 Score is not kept.

## BATTING

4. All players shall be in the batting order. The batting order is 'set' prior to the start of play and can be changed freely during the game provided each player hits each inning.
5. There will be no coach pitching in T-Ball. The focus should be on proper swinging and building the confidence that results with solid contact off the tee.
6. Batters and base runners must wear helmets.
7. Runners cannot take leads off the bases. Runners can leave the base when the batter makes contact with the ball. Base-stealing is not permitted; sliding is no $\dagger$ recommended, except to avoid a collision with another player.
8. Runners cannot advance on overthrows, errors or wild pitches.

## FIELDING

9. No player shall be in catcher's position for they do not have equipment on. Only adults behind home plate.
10. Double bases shall be used at first base; one at its normal position, and one adjacent to it in foul territory. In order to avoid a collision with the person at first base, the runner should touch the base in foul territory. The player at first base should have their foot on the base in fair territory.
11. All players can play in the field at once, as follows:

- one player near the pitcher
- five-six infielders other than the pitcher
- remaining players are outfielders

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Tentative Schedule for 2023

| Times | Day \& Date | Event | Remarks |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3:00pm-4:00pm | Sunday- 2/26/23 | New Coach's Clinic | JM Pavilion |
| 4:00pm-4:30pm | Sunday-2/26/23 | Equipment Pickup | JM- Baseball/Softball Container |
| 10:00am to 12:00pm (noon) | Sunday- 3/5/23 | Players' Clinic | Springhill ElementaryUniform pickup as well |
| TBD | Saturday- 3/11/23 | $1^{\text {st }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-3/18/23 | $2^{\text {nd }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-3/25/23 | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Week of March 27 | Optional Practice(s) | Optional |
| N/A | Saturday-4/1/23 | NO GAME | Spring Break |
| N/A | Week of April 3 | NO PRACTICES | Spring Break |
| N/A | Saturday- 4/8/23 | NO GAME | Spring Break |
| TBD | Saturday-4/15/23 | $4^{\text {th }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-4/22/23 | $5^{\text {th }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-4/29/23 | $6^{\text {th }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-5/6/23 | $7^{\text {th }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-5/13/23 | $8^{\text {th }}$ Game | Hillary will provide schedule |
| TBD | Saturday-5/20/23 | Final Game | Enjoy your summer! |

