

**WHITNEY, CLIFTON, HILLSBORO, MERIDIAN, BOSQUEVILLE,
CHINA SPRING, VALLEY MILLS**

2019 Local League Rules

***THESE RULES MUST BE POSTED IN ALL CONCESSION STANDS AND PROVIDED TO ALL
MANAGERS AND COACHES.***

Game Rules:

All Age Groups:

- You may bat your entire roster with free substitution or play the normal baseball/softball lineup rules. You must declare at the plate meeting if you are batting your roster.
- You can play a legal game with 7 players but the 8th and 9th spots in your lineup are automatic outs. If you play with 8 then your 9th batter is out.
- No age group is allowed to play with 4 outfielders
- Tie Breaker Rule- If both teams are tied at the end of regulation innings or time limit then you shall proceed to the local tie breaker rule. The visiting team will start with 1 out and the last innings last 2 batters on 2nd and 3rd respectively. The home team will be given the same opportunity. There are NO OFFENSIVE Substitutions. If the score is tied after the tie breaker rule then you continue until there is a winner.

Boys and Girls 8U Coach Pitch (Game Time: 1Hr 20 minutes)

(Refer to the TTAB/TTAS Official Rule Book for the specific rules governing this particular division. The following are in addition to or are an exception to those rules)

1. Run limit of 7 runs per inning.

Boys 10U Tight Bases and Girls 10U (Game Time 1Hr 30 minutes)

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1. Run limit of 7 runs per inning.
2. No dropped 3rd strike rule in 10u due to tight bases

Boys and Girls 12U (Game Time 1Hr 30 minutes)

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Boys 14U (Game Time 1Hr 45 minutes)

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Girls 15U (Game Time 1Hr 45 minutes)

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Boys/Girls 6U T-Ball Special Rules (Game 1 HR)

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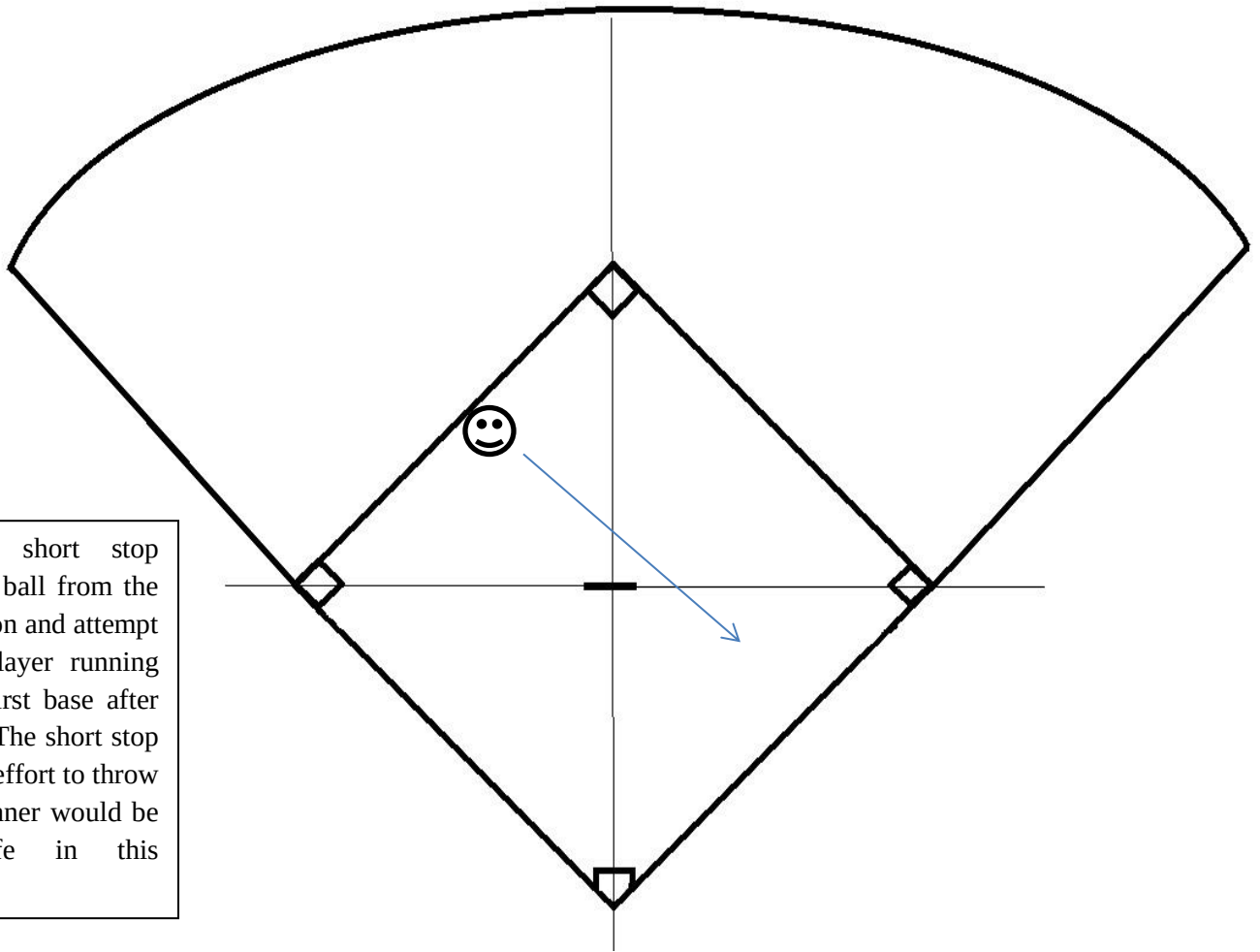
1. Run limit of 7 runs per inning.
2. If the team is at bat, its coach(s) shall remain within the dugout or in the-coaching box. No coach is permitted to stand behind, or near home plate, when his or her players are batting.
3. "Diamond Rule." No defensive player will be allowed to "run down" a runner except in case of a normal run down situation.(see example)
4. All outfielders must start each play behind the base path. An outfielder is NOT allowed to make a play at the base immediately in front of them.

Division Tie Breaker

In the event of a division tie the following rules apply in order:

1. Winning percentage
 - Highest of: (Total Number of Wins in Division)
2. Head to Head
3. Head to Head run differential
 - Highest of:
 - Total number of runs scored when playing all tied teams in #2
 - Total number of runs allowed when playing tied teams in #2
4. Runs against overall
 - Lowest of: Total number of runs allowed for all games played in the division
5. Runs for overall
 - Highest of: Total number of runs scored for all games played in the division
6. Coin flip
 - The two reps meet

Diamond Rule



Example: The short stop cannot field the ball from the short stop position and attempt to put out a player running from home to first base after hitting the ball. The short stop should make an effort to throw the ball. The runner would be considered safe in this situation.