

**SELECT BASEBALL LEAGUE**  
**AGE DIVISIONS 15U, 16U, 17U & 18U**

THE SELECT BASEBALL LEAGUE WILL ACCEPT TEAMS FROM THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY AND ROCKLAND COUNTY, NEW YORK. ALL TEAMS WITHIN EACH AGE DIVISION WILL REGISTER EACH PLAYER AND COACH AS REQUIRED BY LEAGUE RULES.

EACH TEAM WILL BE ASSIGNED TO A CONFERENCE AND THERE WILL BE TWO CONFERENCES THAT WILL MAKE UP EACH AGE DIVISION. EACH AGE DIVISION WILL CONSIST OF SIXTEEN TEAMS OR MULTIPLES OF SIXTEEN TEAMS; SUCH AS 32, 48 OR 64, ETC.

EACH TEAM WITHIN A CONFERENCE WILL HOST A FOUR TEAM WEEKEND TOURNAMENT SERIES OF GAMES THROUGH THE SEASON. SO IF THERE ARE 16 TEAMS EACH WEEKEND THERE WILL BE 16 TEAMS PLAYING AT 4 SITES.

EXAMPLE:

WEEK 1

GROUPINGS 1, 2, 3 & 4 – 5, 6, 7 & 8 – 9, 10, 11 & 12 – 13, 14, 15 & 16

WEEK 2

GROUPINGS 1, 5, 9 & 13 – 2, 6, 10 & 14 – 3, 7, 11 & 15 – 4, 8, 12 & 16

WEEK 3

GROUPINGS 1, 6, 11 & 16 – 2, 5, 12 & 15 – 3, 8, 9 & 14 – 4, 7, 10 & 13

WEEK 4

GROUPINGS 1, 8, 10 & 15 – 2, 7, 9 & 16 – 3, 6, 12 & 13 – 4, 5, 11 & 14

TEAMS 1, 2, 3 & 4 ARE PLAYING EACH OTHER FOR THE FIRST WEEKEND TOURNAMENT. TEAM 1 IS HOSTING. ON SATURDAY 1 PLAYS 2, 3 PLAYS 4, 1 PLAYS 3 AND 2 PLAYS 4. ON SUNDAY 1 PLAYS 4 AND 2 PLAYS 3 THEN THE BOTTOM TWO TEAMS PLAYOFF AND THE TOP TWO TEAMS PLAYOFF. EACH TEAM PLAYS 4 GAMES.

AFTER FOUR WEEKENDS ALL TEAMS HAVE PLAYED 16 GAMES AND WOULD HAVE PLAYED MOST OTHER TEAMS; IF WE STRETCH THIS OUT TO FIVE WEEKS WE CAN ENSURE THAT EACH TEAM PLAYS EACH OTHER AT LEAST ONCE.

TEAMS WILL SIMPLY DRAW NUMBERS FOR SCHEDULE PLACEMENT.

THE REGULAR SEASON SCHEDULE WILL BE PLAYED THROUGHOUT JUNE AND EARLY JULY TO AVOID THE TOURNAMENT SCHEDULING CONFLICTS.

LEAGUE STANDING ARE DETERMINED BY A POINT SYSTEM:

WIN = 3 POINTS  
TIE = 2 POINTS  
LOSS = 1 POINT  
FORFEIT = -3 POINTS  
WEEKEND TOURNAMENT CHAMPION = 2 ADDITIONAL POINTS

ANY ADDITIONAL GAMES SCHEDULED AMONGST THE TEAMS IN THE LEAGUE WILL NOT COUNT TOWARD LEAGUE STANDINGS; UNLESS THERE IS A TIE IN THE STANDING AT WHICH TIME ALL GAMES PLAYED WILL BE CONSIDERED.

PLAY-OFF POST SEASON STANDING WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE SCHEDULED WEEKEND TOURNAMENT PLAY.

GAMES THAT ARE POSTPONED WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR THE NEXT DAY.

THE 15U AND 17U ALL-STAR TEAMS MUST PLAY A MINIMUM OF THREE GAMES IN THE SELECT LEAGUE TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE NATIONAL TOURNAMENT PLAY.

THE FOUR TEAMS THAT HAVE ACCUMULATED THE MOST POINTS WILL ADVANCE INTO POST SEASON PLAY USING THE SAME WEEKEND FORMAT TO DETERMINE THE LEAGUE CHAMPION; THAT TEAM WILL HAVE THE RIGHT TO ADVANCE TO THE NEXT LEVEL OF TOURNAMENT PLAY.

THE SECOND PLACED TEAM WILL RECEIVE A FREE ENTRY INTO A PAY TO PLAY TOURNAMENT SUCH AS A TRIPLE CROWN TOURNAMENT.

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THE LEAGUE WILL HOST AN ALL-STAR GAME FOR THE 15U & 16U AGE DIVISION TOGETHER AND THE 17U AND 18U AGE DIVISION TOGETHER; PLAYER SELECTION WILL BE BASED ON COACHES RECOMMENDATIONS AND COACHES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO SELECT PLAYERS FROM THEIR OWN ROSTER. THE PLAYERS WILL ALSO HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO RECOMMEND PLAYERS FROM OPPOSING TEAMS.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING THE FORMAT AND SELECTION OF PLAYERS AND COACHES WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

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THE LEAGUE WILL ALSO HOST A COLLEGE SHOWCASE EVENT CONSISTING OF A SERIES OF SKILLS EVENTS AND 4 - THREE INNING GAMES THAT WILL ALLOW PLAYERS THAT HAVE NOT COMMITTED TO A COLLEGE TO SHOWCASE THEIR TALENTS.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE EVENTS OF THE SHOWCASE WILL BE FORTHCOMING.

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