

District 8 Little League

All Stars Tournament

Host Site Directors

Responsibilities

1. Be sure that all games at your site begin at the schedule time.
2. The District will provide at two (2) umpires for each game. If assigned District 8 umpires do not show up at a game, please call one of the Directors immediately. The game may have to be postponed, moved or date changed.
3. Although the site & game Directors **ARE NOT ALLOWED** to make any on field decisions, be sure that any problems which may occur are resolved by the Umpires & Managers/Coaches first. If a problem cannot be resolved, contact one of the District Staff listed below.
4. **Remember protests need to be resolved at the time of the infraction before the next pitch by a Tournament Committee Member, before the game can continue:**
 - Dan Cavallo – Tournament Director – 315 – 247 – 0978
 - John Robinson – Tournament Director – 315 – 373 – 5714
 - Mike Kasch – Tournament Director – 315 – 439 – 7793
 - Duwayne Newton – Tournament Director – 315 – 657 – 3188
5. Home team and visiting team will be decided by a coin flip.
6. Scoring table **MUST BE PROVIDED**. IF not provided, the home team book will be the “official” book. After each half inning, score keepers from each team are to meet at the table, if available, and agree on a pitch count and score. All substitutions will be made through the scoring table, or the umpire with both score keepers present. **At the end of the game the Eligibility Affidavit and Pitch Count Form must be filled out completely and signed by either the Official Scorer or an umpire and returned to each team. Winning managers will call in their game score to Mike Kasch or John Robinson. Please do this following the game.**
7. You should post a field schedule, so that teams will know what field they will be playing on. Scores and standings will be updated as they are called in. Remind managers that they can go on www.district8ll.com to check their standings and RAR for their appropriate divisions.
8. All managers and coaches **must dress appropriately** during the game.

As the site director, we are asking you to make every effort to see that games run smoothly, and that all players have fun and an enjoyable All Star Tournament experience!

District #8 Little League
Guidelines for
12/11/10, 11/10/9, 10/9/8
Baseball
All Star Tournaments

1. The All Star Tournament will be using a Pool Play Format. Placement in the brackets will be by a blind draw by the District #8 staff before the All Star Certification Monday. Drawing was held at Mr. C's on June 18, 2022, 12:30 and witnesses were present at the draw.
2. All the fields are considered **neutral** and a coin flip will determine the **home team**. The District Staff will determine the selection of the tournament host sites based on: ASAP Approved – Field Condition & Rule Compliance.
3. Whenever a game has to be rescheduled or continued because of rain, darkness or any other reason, that game must be completed prior to the start of the next round of play. It will be District #8's authority and responsibility to assign a rescheduled date and time.
4. In the event of rain, the Host Site President must call the game off no later than 1 & ½ hours prior to the scheduled start time. He / She must call: 1st – both team managers, 2nd Assistant District Administrators – Mike Kasch or John Robinson. After that time, the game is in the hands of the game umpire to determine the playing conditions.
5. All certification paperwork, Tournament Eligibility Form, Player Verification Form, School Enrollment Document & and II(d) or waiver paperwork is mandatory in order to be eligible to play.
6. Little League All Star **Tournament Rules** are found in the 2022 Baseball Little League Official Regulation & Playing Rules starting on page 163 of the rule book. The Little League App is most beneficial and is always up to date.
7. **Mandatory Play** – **13 or more** uniformed & eligibility players at the start of the game – **1 at bat. 12 or less** uniformed & eligible players at the start of the game – **1 at bat and 6 consecutive defensive outs.**
8. All coaches & members of the coaching staff must dress appropriately.
9. All protests of any kinds **MUST** be handled locally by District #8 Tournament Directors (Mike Kasch or John Robinson) or Dan Cavallo before the next pitch is thrown. They will get a ruling from the Eastern Region office or Little League International. Any protest and/or questions called directly to the Eastern Region Office or Little League International **WILL NOT** be answered and will be referred back to the local Tournament Committee.

10. All-star pitching rules are in effect for this tournament as described on pages 183 – 189 in the rule book.

Note – violation of these rules is subject to protest and forfeiture.

- If a player pitches 66 or more pitches in a day, four (4) calendar days of rest must be observed.
- If a player pitches in 51 – 65 pitches in a day, three (3) calendar days of rest must be observed.
- If a player pitches in 36 – 50 pitches in a day, two (2) calendar days of rest must be observed.
- If a player pitches in 21 – 35 pitches in a day, one (1) calendar day of rest must be observed.
- If a player pitches 1 – 20 pitches in a day, no day of rest is required.

NOTE – Threshold(exception) rule is on 185 of the rule book.

9. After the completion of the game, the Site Director & Home Plate Umpire **must verify** the pitching record of both teams and sign the pitching record sheet and scorebooks of each team.

10. Players, managers, coaches & fans who are ejected from a game will be suspended for the next played game. Any player or coaching staff member who is ejected for foul language or obscene gestures may be suspended for a longer period of time. Any person who is ejected may not be at the playing field while serving their ejection.

11. What team **must have** at their game.

- a. All Star Affidavit
- b. All Star Pitching Record and complete scorebook
- c. Two (4) new quality stamped RST baseballs, catcher's equipment (with dangling throat protector), bats, helmets, and a First Aid Kit, including ice packs.
- d. A Little League 2022 Baseball Official Regulations & Playing Rules" Book, or LL Rules App on cell phone
- e. Medical Release form for each player.

12. The Host Site should do the utmost to ensure the best possible field conditions, within reason, for a tournament game. All ground rules and field rules **must be discussed** with both team and the umpires prior to the start of the game.