1- USE A BATTING ORDER, AT FIRST TRY BY HAVING THE KID WITH THE #1 ON HIS SHIRT BAT FIRST THEN 2 BATS SECOND AND SO ON UNTIL ALL YOUR KIDS HAVE BATTED ONCE EVERY INNING. SWITCH AFTER YOU KNOW THE KIDS SO THE SAME KID IS NOT FIRST OR LAST EVERY TIME BUT HAVE A LINEUP OF SOME KIND TO KEEP THE GAME MOVING, HAVE 3 KIDS WAITING WITH A HELMET ON AT ALL TIMES.

2- KIDS CAN BE CALLED OUT AT FIRST BASE BUT GIVE IT TO THE RUNNER IF ITS A TIE OR CLOSE AND THERE ARE NOT 3 OUTS AN INNING BECAUSE EVERYONE BATS ONCE AN INNING. DOUBLE BASE FOR 1ST BASE-WHITE GOES ON FIELD FOR DEFENSE, ORANGE IS FOR THE RUNNER

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3- GAMES WILL BE 3 INNINGS, TIME ALLOWING. 1 HOUR FIELD TIME FOR ALL GAMES. (START AT 10AM NOT 10:10AM AND END AT 11AM NOT 11:10AM, SAME FOR PRACTICE)

4- EVERYONE PLAYS THE FIELD, THESE ARE THE POSITIONS WHERE YOU WILL

POSITION YOUR PLAYERS

- 5- PITCHING MOUND WILL BE AT 20FT
- 6- THE BASES WILL BE 45FT
- 7- ADULT PITCHERS ONLY-PITCH OVERHAND TO BOYS AND UNDERHAND TO GIRLS
- 8- 5 PITCHES TO EACH BATTER AND THEN USE THE TEE
- 9- TEACH THE KIDS TO RUN THROUGH FIRST BASE, NOT STOP ON THE BASE-THROUGH!
- 10- ONLY PLAY A KID AT FIRST WHO CAN CATCH THE BALL
- AND PLAY HIM THERE ALL GAME (THIS IS TO AVOID INJURY)
- UNLESS YOU HAVE MORE THAN ONE KID WHO CAN CATCH THE BALL THEN YOU CAN ROTATE. ALL INFIELDERS WHO CATCH THE BALL WILL THROW TO FIRST BASE EVERY TIME!
- 11- ALL THE KIDS WHO PLAY THE INFIELD THE FIRST INNING ROTATE TO THE OUTFIELD
- WITH THOSE KIDS IN THE OUTFIELD EVERY INNING. OUTFIELDER THROW TO 2ND BASE EVERY TIME! 12- KEEP THE KIDS ON THE BENCH
- 13- HAVE THE KIDS RUN TO GET INTO POSITION AND RUN TO THE BENCH WHEN
- THE INNING IS OVER. NO WALKING
- 14- EVERYONE LINE UP AND SHAKE HANDS AT THE END OF THE GAME
- 15- TEACH THE BASES THEN THE POSITIONS
- 16- LAST BATTER GETS TO RUN ALL THE BASES TO HOME PLATE
- 17- NO FIELDER IS TO RUN OFF THE FIELD UNTIL THE LAST BATTER HAS RUN ALL THE WAY HOME
- 18- LET THE KIDS AND YOURSELF HAVE FUN, REMEMBER THEY ARE 4,5 AND 6YR OLDS

Remember the little guys motto

"You are never as tall as when you bend over to help a child".