

# Hong Kong Youth Baseball League 2018-2019

#### U14 組競賽附則

### U14 - Supplementary Rules & Regulations

- (一) 主辦單位 Organizer 香港棒球總會 Hong Kong Baseball Association ("HKBA")
- (二) 競賽模式和參賽資格 Competition Format and eligibility
  - 1. 單循環 Single round robin.
  - 2. 一局為有效局
    One inning can be the regulation game.
  - 3. 所有球員必須為本年度有在 Youth League 其他組別登記之球員。 All players must have player registered in other section (U11,U12,U16) in the Youth League this year.
  - 4. 每隊註冊球員不得少於 12 名。 Every team should have at least 12 players
  - 5. 球隊需於 3 月 8 日(星期五)前完成球員登錄·3 月 8 日後登錄之球員將不被接納。
    Teams should complete the player registration (League Portal) by 3 March (Friday), players who registered later than 8 March will not be accepted.

如因天氣或其它特殊情況下,不能按原計劃進行比賽,主辦單位有權對比賽時間和辦法作出決定。

The Organizer reserves the rights to adjust the competition format, date and duration if the games not able to play as scheduled due to inclement weather or other unforeseen conditions.

#### (三) 競賽規則 Playing Rules

1 採用 PONY 競賽規則及主辦單位場地規例。

All games will be played PONY Baseball Rules and local ground rules. 英文版 English version:

https://bsbproduction.s3.amazonaws.com/portals/10758/docs/rulebooks/2019%20pony% 20baseball%20rulebook%20website.pdf

- 2 比賽用球:合規格的硬式棒球將由主辦單位提供。 Official Game Ball: Regulation hard balls will be used and provided by the Organizer
- 3 球棒: USA Bat certified 或 BBCOR certified 球棒
  The teams must use USA Bat certified bat or BBCOR certified bat
- 4 壘間距離:80 呎

Distance between bases: 80 feet

5 投手板與本壘板距離: 54 呎 Distance between the pitcher's plate and home base distance: 54 inches

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- 6 可離壘
  - Leadoff is allowed
- 7 採用 PONY 競賽規則的再上場條例及投手投球數條例 All games will be played under the rules of re-entry and pitch count of PONY Baseball Rules
- 8 每場比賽局數及時限:
  - A 100 分鐘後不開新局。

No new inning will be started after a game's length has reached 100 minutes.

- B 7 局結束或 100 分鐘後進入延長局,以一局為限,程序如下:
  - 延長局雙方隊伍以無出局一二壘有人狀況開始攻擊;
  - 延長局將繼續延用第7局的打序·如第7局結束時的最後一名打者為第8棒· 第8局的打者將從第9棒開始·而二壘跑者為第7棒·一壘跑者為第8棒。
  - 除延長局雙方隊伍以無出局一二壘有人狀況開始攻擊外,國際棒球競賽規則、 PONY 競賽規則及主辦單位場地規例會繼續採用,直至比賽結束。
  - 傳統的上局客隊擊球和下局主隊擊球系統會繼續被採用,直至分出勝負或兩局 延長局結束。

完成延長局後,倘兩隊的封相同,則即場以抽籤定勝。

If the game remains tied after the completion of seven (7) innings or the last inning completed before 100 minutes, the following procedures will be implemented during extra innings (1 inning only):

- Each team will begin the 8th inning (and any subsequent necessary extra innings) with a player on first and second, no outs.
- The lineup will continue as in any other inning. For example, if the 7th inning ends with the #8 hitter having the last plate appearance (PA), the 8th inning begins with the #9 at bat and 2B runner is the #7, and 1B runner is the #8 in the lineup.
- With the exception of beginning the inning with runners on 1B and 2B with no one out, all other "Official Baseball Rule", "PONY Baseball Rules" and local ground rules will remain in effect during extra innings required to determine a winner.
- The traditional system of the visiting team hitting in the top of the inning and the home team hitting in the bottom of the inning (if needed) will remain in effect until a winner is determined or maximum of 2 extra innings is completed.

If the game still remains tied after the completion of extra innings, the winner shall be immediately determined by drawing.

- C 比賽於指定局數或限時內完成,倘兩隊得分相同,主裁判應宣佈進入延長局。
  If the game is still tied after the inning that is completed when these game time length limits have occurred, then the game will play on extra inning. The official game 'start time' will be as defined by chief umpire.
- D1 雙方在三局以後比分相差 15 分及以上時,只要是同等局數或該局後攻隊領先者則結束比賽。
  - Difference Run Rule will apply if a team is losing by 15 or more runs after finishing 3 innings between either teams or the home team is leading; the game is ended at that point.
- D2 如在第四局開始後雙方比分相差 10 分及以上時,則可結束比賽。
  If a team is losing by 10or more runs after having batted at least in four (4)

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innings, the game is ended at that point.

- 9 棒球規則第 7.01(c)中「五局」皆作「一局」執行。
  In Official Baseball Rules, Rule 7.01(c), "one inning" will apply instead of "five innings"; if one inning has been completed, it is a regulation game.
- 10 棒球規則第 7.02 規定之保留比賽不予執行。
  Suspended games defined in Official Baseball Rules, Rule 7.02 will not apply in the league.
- 11 制服及器材一律參照棒球競賽規則第 3.02 至 3.09 節。球衣背後附有不少於 6 寸高之背號,否則主裁判將有權即時取消其出賽資格。

Uniform and playing equipment must follow the Official Baseball Rules, Rules 3.02 to 3.09.

All players uniforms shall include minimal 6-inch numbers on their backs; If the umpire observes any violation of these rules, he shall direct the violation to be corrected. If the violation is not corrected within a reasonable time, in the umpire's judgment, the umpire shall eject the offender from the game, and disciplinary action, as appropriate, will be recommended.

(四) 得分記錄及決定名次辦法(按序)

Marking Method& Tie-breaking Procedures (in order):

- 1 勝一場得三分,負一場得零分,和一場得一分,積分多者名次列前。
  The numerical spinner would be set as follows: winning team is assigned 3 points, tie score each team is assigned 1 point, losing team 0 point. All teams will be ranked according to their points, from highest to lowest.
- 2 兩隊或以上積分相同時,採用 TQB 計算成績。 If two teams have assigned same points, will use TQB method to calculate.
- 3 積分相同球隊該回合相互比賽中·勝隊列前。
  Teams with same points, the team that won the game(s) between the teams in that round shall be given higher position.
- 4 該回合所有比賽中,得失分差<sup>註一</sup>較高者列前。
  Team has a higher Run Difference<sup>1</sup> in that round, rank higher.

註一/1)\* 得失分差: 得分 - 失分

Run Difference: Runs scored–Runs allowed

- (五) 裁判員及記錄員 The Umpire & Scorer 裁判員及記錄員均由主辦單位委派。
  To be appointed by the Organizer
- (六) 調動賽期 Change of Scheduled Game 因場地有限·賽期公佈後不能調期。 The scheduled game cannot be changed.
- (七) 個人裝備及球隊器材 Individual Gear and Team Equipment 各隊必需自備個人裝備及球隊器材。

  Team and players must bring their own gears and equipment.

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#### (八) 注意事項(Important information)

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- 1 設冠、亞軍;可獲頒獎盃一座及註冊人數之獎牌或最多十八枚。
  A trophy and medals (according to the number of registered players or 18 medals in
  - maximum) will be awarded to the top 2 teams.
  - 本會有權要求參賽人士出示身份證明文件以核對參賽人士身份。
    The Organizer and appointed officials have the right to ask the registered player shows his/her identity document to proof his/her eligibility in the game.
- 3 所有擊球員、次擊球員、跑壘員及壘指導員必須戴上頭盔。 All players must wear protective helmet while at bat, in the on-deck circle and while running the bases; base coaches shall wear protective helmet while performing their duties.
- 4 參賽隊伍未能於比賽當日安排足夠球員應戰,每場比賽須罰款壹仟元 (由保證金中扣除),如 欲繼續參加比賽,必須在比賽前三個工作天先行向「香港棒球總會」繳付保證金。如果參賽隊伍於七天前書面通知本會不能出席該場賽事,則無須罰款,而棄權隊伍之該場賽果則為負七分。如果參賽隊伍於七天前書面通知本會不能出席該場賽事,則無須罰款,而棄權隊伍之該場賽果則為負七分。如比賽前七天以內發生事故以致人數不足,參賽隊伍應儘早連同相關資料通知本會以作處理。

A fine of HK\$1,000 which will be deducted from the deposit automatically shall be applied for teams failing to present sufficient players for a scheduled game.. The team is required to pay additional deposit HK\$1,000 to cover the deducted fines at least 3 days before the next game day, failure to do so will result in the team being blocked to play in the rest of the games and future seasons.

The team shall inform HKBA in writing at least 7 days in advance to avoid to be fined in case of insufficient players presentable for a scheduled game. The score of such game shall be 7-0 loss to the opposing team. In case the team finds it impossible to present sufficient players due to any accidents occurred within 7 days in advance of the scheduled game, the team shall inform HKBA with related documents / materials attached with no delay in order for HKBA to make arrangements accordingly.

- 5 参賽隊伍之領隊或教練必須出席隊教練會議,並遵守會議中訂定之各項協議。 Manager or Coach must attend the managers' meeting and comply with the made agreement in the meeting.
- 6 所有康文署運動場嚴禁吸煙。
  - Smoking is prohibited in all LCSD Sports Grounds.
- 7 每日頭場比賽隊伍負責接收及擺設比賽場地的各項設施用品;而尾場比賽隊伍則負責將比賽場地的各項設施用品放回指定的貯物地點或交付運輸人員。
  - The home team of the first game responsible for setting up the field and the home team of the last game responsible for returning the equipment to storage.
- 8 在球場上必須服從裁判之指示及決定,各球員應保持運動員良好的紀律與體育精神,避免發生任何衝突。裁判員有權令違規的球員(及球隊)離場並可能受到扣除積分或停賽處分。
  - Players should respect the umpire, not dispute the umpire's decision nor react in a threatening or disapproving manner, maintain good sportsmanship. Umpire has the right to eject any offender (and the team) from the game, and the accumulated marks of the offending team may be reduced or will be suspended for the next game(s).
- 9 参賽隊伍·如有上訴局面·必須於賽後由隊教練立即向主裁判正式提出及於四十八小時內以 書面向本會提出並繳付上訴費用壹仟元;未有如期繳付者·所有上訴·均不作處理;倘上訴

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得直,則可獲如數發還,否則全數充公,不得異議。

For each and every protest that is filed by a team, the responsible team must inform the umpire-in-chief immediately, and write to the Organizer and pay a Protest Fee of HK\$1,000 to HKBA within 48 hours; any submission after the deadline would not be considered; if the protest is judged a success, the Protest Fee will be refunded, the Protest Fee will be condemned for unsuccessful protest.

- 10 各項已繳費用,除本會特別註明外,一律概不發還。 All payments are not refundable, unless they are mentioned.
- 11 全部比賽完結後·本會將按照規定退回各隊之比賽保證金;惟若有缺席之隊伍則須由保證金中扣除一切應繳之罰款。

Deposit will be refunded after deducting the necessary fine, if any, and return to the team contact person that listed on the team registration form after finishing the season.

- 12 參賽隊伍及所有註冊球員必須遵守「香港棒球總會」訂定之各項比賽規則與安排。 All team officials and registered players shall comply with the rules and regulations of the Organizer.
- 13 截止日期後如需新增球員或任何更改,需於一個工作天前於網上註冊系統進行球員註冊 及更新球隊註冊;球員註冊請參看「網上球員註冊及球隊註冊程序及須知」; Any change of team roster through the Online Registration System at least one

working day before the effective date; please refer to the "Online Player Registration & Team Registration"

Procedure & Guideline" for details.

14 如編訂之賽事未能如期進行,補賽日期及地點,均視康樂及文化事務署安排而定,參賽隊伍 不得異議。

Any arrangement of re-scheduled game is subject to the availability of venue to be provided by the Leisure and Cultural Services Department (LCSD), no objection is allowed.

#### 備註: Remarks:

1. 上述各項,「香港棒球總會」有權按實際情況而作出修改。英文譯本僅供參考,文義如 有差異,概以中文版為準。

The Organizer reserves the right in the final decision in all the events of the competition related matters change. The English translation is for reference only. In case of any discrepancy between the Chinese version and English version, the Chinese version shall prevail.

2. 「香港棒球總會」就賽例解釋有最後決定權。
The Organizer has the final right to interpret the game rules.