



MAY LONG WEEKEND TOURNAMENT

BANTAM AAA & AA DIVISION (15U) CALGARY, ALBERTA

MAY 17TH - MAY 20TH, 2019

TOURNAMENT FORMAT

- 5 Games Guaranteed
- 15U - All Players **Must** Be Born In 2004 Or Younger

BAT REGULATIONS:

- All teams will be required to use wood bats!

PLAYING RULES: Baseball Alberta Rules

- 7 inning games
- 54 ft mound, 80 ft basepaths
- Baseball Alberta Pitching/Catching Rule: Once you enter a game as a pitcher, you are ineligible to be the catcher for the remainder of the day.

SCOREKEEPING:

For Round Robin, home team will provide ScoreKeeper and Visiting Team will provide Pitch Counter. For playoff round, tournament will provide both.

GAMES ENDING IN A TIE:

- International Tie Breaker Rules – Previous 2 batters are at 1st and 2nd Base respectively, no outs
- Will continue playing until time limit is reached or a winner is determined. Games that are tied after the 2 & 1/2 hour limit will end in a tie for round robin only. Playoff games will be played until there is a winner.

ROUND ROBIN TIE BREAKER:

1st Tie Breaker is Head to Head. 2nd Tie Breaker is defensive runs formula (Runs Against/Defensive Outs) between tied teams. 3rd Tie Breaker is defensive runs formula over all games played. 4th Tie Breaker is Coin Flip.

MERCY RULE:

10 runs after 5 innings, or 4 1/2 if the home team is ahead

LINEUP RULES: Modified Baseball Alberta Fair Play Rules

- Each player on lineup card must get 1 AB and 3 defensive outs
- EH and DH are allowed (if DH is used for Pitcher[s] they will not be required to receive an AB for that game)
- A starting pitcher will not be subject to fair play rules for the other game of the day for that particular team. (ie. Pitcher A that starts Game 1 can be listed on the lineup card for Game 2 but is not required to play defensively or receive an AB and vice versa)

PITCHING RULES:

- Pitch counts are for the entire day, if a pitcher starts a batter below a rest threshold, they are allowed to finish that batter and the count will be recorded as the max for that rest threshold. Managers will notify umpire and scorekeepers if they are utilizing this.
- Pitch counts do not roll over to the next day. Eg. A pitcher who throws 30 pitches on Day 1 can return and throw 30 pitches on day 2 and will not require rest on Day 3.
- Baseball Alberta Pitching/Catching Rule will be in effect: If a player pitches, he cannot catch for the remainder of the day.

PITCH COUNT (single day)	REST REQUIRED
0 - 30	none
31 - 50	1 day
51 - 75	2 days
76 - 100	no more eligibility

SPEED UP RULES:

- 2nd out in the inning can be a courtesy runner for the catcher with 2 outs.
- No new innings after 2 1/2 hours.

PROTESTING & DISCIPLINARY ACTION:

All protests will be decided by the tournament officials present at the time of the protest and all decisions will be final. 1st ejections of the tournament for players and coaches will not result in game suspension, 2nd ejections will result in suspension from the rest of the tournament.

TOURNAMENT ENTRY FEE

ENTRY FEE: \$550.00
+ 1 Dozen Game Balls

Cheques made payable to
B.A.F. Centre Ltd.

Rawlings 80CC Baseballs Preferred

Accepted teams are asked to send the entry fee to:

ABSOLUTE BASEBALL ACADEMY

2221 Crowchild Trail NW Calgary, AB T2M 4S7 OR
E-transfer to: cam@absolutebaseballacademy.com

TOURNAMENT EXTRAS

TEAM ROSTER:

Please email a roster with names and jerseys numbers
to jeffpeach20@gmail.com

TOURNAMENT LOCATION:

Springbank Park for All Seasons -
32224A Springbank Rd, Calgary, AB T3Z 2L9

TOURNAMENT COORDINATOR:

Jeff Peach: (403) 771-4324 or
to jeffpeach20@gmail.com

TOURNAMENT WEATHER

In the case of rain/snow and cancellation of games,
the following will be our refund policy.

Please note that we will try our best to get the
games in while discussing with tournament
coordinators, each Head Coach, and Umpires.

0 games: 90% refund

1 game: 75% refund

2 games: 50% refund

3 or 4 games: no refund