## East Fullerton L.L. and Brea L.L.



## District 56 CA 2025 Interleague Little League (Majors) Local Rules

## LOCAL RULES (Majors Division)

## (Unless otherwise stated within the following local rules pages, all Little League Green Book Rules are to be followed)

• Each league is responsible for following draft procedures as outlined in the Little League Green Book and follow established division age categories with all players moving up a division from the previous season based on Little League age rules.

• Any game protests or necessary disciplinary actions involving managers, coaches, or players shall be reported to the respective league's division commissioner and will be handled by the respective league presidents as applicable.

1. All adults having regular contact with players must submit a volunteer application and a background will be conducted. This includes adults participating in practices and as team chaperons.

2. The home team shall occupy the third base dugout.

3. Managers and coaches must remain in the dugout or in the area adjacent to the entrance of the dugout and never closer to home plate than the entrance to the dugout. The only exceptions to this will be the base coaches between innings when time has been called or when observing in the bullpen. Coaches may not coach from outside the playing area.

4. Both team scorekeepers shall exchange complete lineup sheets before the game begins. The Home team book is the official book for all record keeping. The pitch count records shall be maintained by the Home book. For all disputes, the Home book takes precedence. Scores and pitch counts shall be verified by both managers upon the completion of the game and reported within 24 hours by both team's official scorer or manager. Reporting shall be via email at scores@efil.org for posting on the EFLL website. It is IMPERATIVE that pitch counts and scores are reported—our website tools allow families, coaches, and opponents to view each pitcher's eligibility for upcoming games.

5. Tied, suspended, and rain-out games will be made up prior to the next regularly scheduled game between the same two opponents. Game times for other teams may be changed to accommodate these make-up games. The Division Commissioner (with assistance from the scheduler) is responsible for the rescheduling of games in their respective division and the coordination with the other divisions when other games are scheduled on the same field. The upper-most division shall always get scheduling priority when it comes to playing rescheduled games. If there is not a regularly scheduled game between the two teams, the tied, suspended or make-up game must be played within 10 days.

6. **Continuous Batting Order** All eligible players on the roster will remain in the batting order the entire game, except in the case of injury, illness or ejection as per Rule 4.04 Note 2. This is known as using a **continuous batting order**.

7. Chapman Park Only - Per Little League Rule 9.03 (d), if no adult umpire is available for a game, and non-adult umpires are used exclusively for that game, the local Little League must assign an adult as an Adult Game Coordinator, or the game cannot be played. The Adult Game Coordinator must not be a manager or coach of either team in the game and cannot be assigned as an Adult Game Coordinator for more than one game at a time.

The Leagues will require that the Home Team Score Keeper be assigned as the Adult Game Coordinator and assume the responsibilities outlined in Rule 9.03 (d) (1-5).

8. **Rule 6.02(c) - Foot in Box (Local League Option)**: First half of the season the batter will be warned. Second half of the season the rule will be enforced per the Little League Green Book.

9. Rule 9.01 (d) Note - Stealing or Relaying of Signs (Local League Option): This rule will be enforced during the entire season.

10. **Rules 1.01, 4.04, 4.16, 4.17, and 6.05 (Local League Option):** Games can begin with eight (8) players on each team. The ninth (9<sup>th</sup>) position will be skipped over without penalty.

11. **Rules 2.00, 3.04, and 7.14 ( Local League Option):** – For the Regular Season, allows a courtesy runner for the pitcher and/or catcher of record when there are two (2) outs during the Regular Season. In a continuous batting order, the "courtesy runner" may be in the team's batting order and must be the player in the batting order who made the last out.

12. Rule 4.10(c)(2) Time Limit (Local League Option) - No new inning after 1 hour and 45 minutes. Plate Umpire will declare the game start time.