

# District 44 Post-Season 2021



## Rules Points of Emphasis

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# TOC

- Regular season rules apply (Green Book, no local rules)
- No time limit; no ties; games can be called for darkness
- Majors, Intermediate, Juniors bat-9
- Minors: continuous batting order
- RS balls ok
- Minors 5 run rule until last inning which is open
- Protests settled at District Level: call Sharon Zolezzi



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# All Stars

- Part of International Tournament: all protests go to San Bernardino (Western Region)
- Only Williamsport can declare a forfeit.
- All levels but 9 (substitutions)
- RS-T baseballs
- Special pinch runner: 2 times per game
- Use of ineligible pitcher or player basis for protest
- Pitching limits based on player's age not level of play



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- Managers/Coaches: 12 or more players=3; 11 or fewer=2
- Mandatory Play (failure to meet is basis for protest)
  - 13 or more players at start: 1 at bat
  - 12 or fewer players at start: 6 consecutive defensive outs and 1 at bat
  - At bat includes running the bases if batter reaches.
- Substitutes tied to position in batting order. Once starter and sub have met minimum play, they may switch without limit.
- 15 run and 10 run mercy rules in effect.



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- Visits to pitcher:
  - 8-10 AS-2/inning; 3/game then pitcher must be removed on next visit.
  - 9-11, 10-12, Int. Jr. — 1/inning; 2/game then pitcher must be removed on next visit.
- One offensive time out per inning
- Third Strike not caught: not enforced at 8-10 AS



# All Stars

- Majors can advance to Section 5, Division II, Western Region, and World Series.
- All other tournaments go on to Section 5 and end at Division II.
- Emphasis on sportsmanship, positive culture, having fun, creating memories!



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