

## **2024 Tri Co Summer Ball Rule Changes and points of emphasis.**

1. Rosters are to be attached to each team's scorebook.
4. Emphasis on uniforms: Bottoms on up should be uniform in color and all players should have the same shirt and hat (if worn.)
5. Rule interpretation: Present rules state that players must play in half of the regular season games to be eligible to play in the end of season tournaments. Exception added: Should a rostered player have an injury that keeps him/her out of more than half the games, that player will still be able to play in the tournament. The name of the injured player is to be included in the scorebook to show that they are still on the team and should attend the games and sit on the bench (if possible).
6. If an injury occurs that ends a player's season and the team roster drops to under nine players, the coach may petition the Tri Co Executive committee, through the town rep, to allow adding another player during the season. This player may not be on another team's roster. **(YMCA coaches must contact Will Gunther before adding anyone to their teams.)**
7. Only one inning of the international tie breaker will be used to settle ties (instead of 2) in league play. If still tied, it is a tie. This does not apply to machine pitch.
8. Age divisions have been changed to 7-8 machine pitch, 9-11, 11-14 and 14-18. Eleven and fourteen year olds may play in either division, but not both.