

10U TEAM RULES

1. Coaching from the sidelines is NOT allowed. No approaching the dugouts either. *There is a difference between coaching and cheering.
2. Players, Parents, and Family/Fans are expected to always maintain good sportsmanship and professional behavior on and off the field to other players, coaches, umpires, tournament directors/workers and other fans. Please leave any arguing or questioning of calls for the coaching staff.
3. Practices are Mandatory. Missed practices will need to be made up. *Exceptions to the above would include illness, medical issues, school sponsored or related events, or family emergencies. Please contact the Head Coach if needing to miss practice for any reason.
4. We believe in Equal Opportunity, not necessarily Equal Playing time. All positions and playing time will be earned. Bracket game positions are determined by pool game performances. Seeded pool games are determined by current seasons performance, attitude and attendance.
5. Building trust and confidence is important to us and the players. We will NOT pull a player in the middle of the inning for making an error. We want them to learn to want the next ball. *Exceptions to this are:
 - a. Being pulled for attitude, talking back, crying or anger.
 - b. Repeated or multiple mistakes. We will pull them just to regroup/reset to avoid getting down upon themselves.
6. There is a 48 hour rule in place after all events (practice and tournaments). This allows us to not react out of emotion. All coaches are available to go to for any questions.
 - a. If you have a complaint, please see your Head Coach first. If that does not resolve the issue, please contact Coach Kim. If your issue is still not resolved, Coach Lu would be the next point of contact.
7. Please encourage your athlete to only cheer for their teammates and peers. We prefer no negative comments, chants or cheers at or about other teams and players.
8. Mental Health is important to us!! We do NOT want this sport to become an obligation, we want it to feel like a second home.
 - a. Each player will have 1 Mental Health Day without needing to be made up. This is a no questions asked situation, well we will ask 1 question.... Are you good? Or Do you need to talk? We will not pry if they don't want to tell us either!
9. We want the kiddos to come prepared to all practices and games ready to work. Uniform tops tucked in. Belts on. Cleats on and tied. Hair up or pulled back. LOOK GOOD, FEEL GOOD, PLAY GOOD! If you come prepared, we can get going right away, and not miss out of practice/warm up time by having to get ready still.
 - a. If coach asks you to be there by 8 (for example) that means be there at 8 fully ready to go. All the above mentioned completed! Time is precious!
10. Please be on time! General rule of "early is on time, on-time is late, and late is unacceptable." Being late to practices and games causes the whole team to be behind on preparation. When tournaments can run early, being late can result in not being ready to go at gametime, which could result in injury or not being able to start. We never want being late to determine your ability to play.
11. Please use the teams TeamReach account for all communication with coaches!

NO PHONES IN OR AROUND THE DUGOUT DURING GAMES, PRACTICES OR WARMUPS!!!