

**SCBA SENIORS**  
**BASEBALL RULEBOOK**  
*2010 Edition*

**Rule 1... Players, Field and Equipment**

1. **POSITIONS OF PLAYERS**.... See General Rules.
2. **THE FIELD**.... See General Rules.
3. **BATS, BALLS, & GLOVES**....See General Rules.
4. **UNIFORMS**....See General Rules.
5. **PLAYER EQUIPMENT**....See General Rules.

**Rule 2... Playing Terms and Definitions**

1. **ABBREVIATIONS**...See General Rules.
2. **AWARDED BASES**...See General Rules.
3. **BALK**..... See General Rules.
4. **CONFERENCES**.... See General Rules.
5. **ILLEGAL PITCH**....See General Rules.
6. **STRIKE ZONE**.....See General Rules.
7. **INFIELD FLY**.... See General Rules. Rule will be enforced.

**Rule 3.... Substituting-Coaching-Bench and Field Conduct-Charged Conferences**

1. **SUBSTITUTING**.... Free substitution applies. No player may sit twice before every player has sat once. May not sit two innings in a row. (Exception: Pitcher is exempt from rotation requirements, refer to pitching regulations. If a pitcher comes out of the game and is he only one who hasn't sat, they must sit the inning)
2. **BENCH AND FIELD CONDUCT**..... See General Rules.
3. **CHARGED CONFERENCES**...See General Rules.

**Rule 4.... Starting and Ending a Game**

1. **STARTING A GAME**....See General Rules.
2. **ENDING A REGULATION GAME**....See General Rules.
3. **TIME LIMITS**..... See General Rules.
4. **CALLED GAME**.... See General Rules.
5. **FORFEITED GAME**.... See General Rules.
6. **PROTESTED GAME**.... See General Rules.

**Rule 5.... Dead Ball – Suspension of Play**

1. **DEAD BALL**.... See General Rules.
2. **SUSPENSION OF PLAY**.... See General Rules.

## **Rule 6.... Pitching**

1. **PITCHING LIMITATIONS....** Pitchers are governed by pitch counts, not innings pitched. Scorekeepers shall keep the pitch counts and should confirm pitch counts between each inning. Home team has the official pitch count. A pitcher in this division has a pitch limit of **(90)** eighty pitches. If a pitcher reaches their pitch limit in the middle of an at bat, the pitcher may complete the at bat and be removed once the current at bat is over. Rest requirements are as follows....

**0-20 pitches: No rest required.**

**21-40 pitches: 1 calendar days rest required.**

**41-55 pitches: 2 calendar days rest required.**

**56-75 pitches: 3 calendar days rest required**

**76-90 pitches: 4 calendar days rest required**

2. **INFRACTIONS BY A PITCHER....** See General Rules. Pitchers will **not** receive a balk warning.

## **Rule 7.... Batting**

1. **POSITION AND BATTING ORDER....**See General Rules.

2. **BATTING INFRACTIONS- A BATTER SHALL NOT...** See General Rules.

3. **BATTER IS OUT....** See General Rules.

## **Rule 8.... Base Running**

1. **WHEN A BATTER BECOMES A RUNNER....** See General Rules.

2. **TOUCHING, OCCUPYING AND RETURNING TO A BASE...** See General Rules.

3. **BASE RUNNING AWARDS....** See General Rules.

4. **BATTER-RUNNER IS OUT....** See General Rules.

5. **ANY RUNNER IS OUT.....** See General Rules.

## **Rule 9.... Scoring – Record Keeping**

1. **HOW A TEAM SCORES....** See general Rules.

2. **RUN RULE....** See General Rules.