

## 2009 U10 TOURNAMENT RULES

### Pewaukee Jr. Pirates Baseball

<b>GAME RULES:</b>	<p>NF High School rules will be used, with the following U10 rules, and the other Tournament Rules</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuous batting order may be used.</li> <li>• There will be no leading off. Teams will get one warning from the umpire, any repeat infractions, the runner will be called out by the umpire.</li> <li>• Runner may leave the base only after the pitched ball has left the pitcher's hand.</li> <li>• Runners may advance on a passed ball or wild pitch.</li> <li>• The batter is out on a third strike whether the catcher controls the ball or not.</li> <li>• The Infield-Fly rule is NOT in effect.</li> <li>• A Courtesy Runner may be used for either the Pitcher or Catcher, once they have reached base, no matter how many outs there are, but the Catcher must be run for with two outs. If it is noticed that the Catcher is on base with two outs, the umpire will stop play and have a runner substitute for the Catcher. The Courtesy Runner is to be the last player to make an out, if continuous batting order is being used. If not, a bench player, not in the game, should be used.</li> </ul>
<b>ROSTERS:</b>	<p>Teams must participate in an organized league, and their team roster must contain only those players listed on that team's league roster. Team rosters will consist of a maximum of 15 players. We will be giving up to 15 1<sup>st</sup> Place awards per team. Rosters may be changed up to first pitch of first game. After that, rosters are frozen.</p>
<b>ELIGIBILITY:</b>	<p>June 1<sup>st</sup> cut-off birth date for all ages (Proof of age may be required)</p>
<b>CHECK IN:</b>	<p>All coaches must check in with tournament directors 1 hour before their team's first game on Saturday.</p>
<b>FORFEITS:</b>	<p>Any team that does not show up for their game or any team quitting the field of play before its conclusion will be automatically disqualified from tournament. Teams must have seven (7) rostered players to start any game; any fewer will result in a forfeit and a disqualification from the tournament.</p>
<b>PROTESTS:</b>	<p>No protests will be allowed! In all cases, the ruling of the umpire's ruling is <b><i>final!</i></b></p>
<b>GAME RESULTS:</b>	<p>The Home Team (determined by flip of a coin prior to the game), is responsible for submitting the game final score to the tournament director or concession stand.</p>
<b>FIELD DISTANCES:</b>	<p>Pitching @ 46 ft// Bases @ 60 ft</p>
<b>TIME CHANGES:</b>	<p>The Tournament Committee reserves the right to make changes to game times and length of games based on changes in the weather or other conditions.</p>