

Scioto Valley Senior League

General Overview: The league is being created to establish a middle school league for non-sanctioned middle school “club” baseball teams to participate in. The league will be broken up into two divisions: An 13U/14U division and a 15U/16U division.

Proposed Schedule: Games will be played Ross County Park starting May 25th through July 1st. Games will be played on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. Mondays will serve as a flex or makeup day. Teams will play 2 games a week over a 7 week period. This schedule will allow travel teams to have Friday through Sunday for tournaments,

2021 Senior League Rules

15U/16U Division Rules

- OHSAA Rules (including Pitch Counts) must pitch from 60 ft 6 inch rubber
- No balk warning
- Drop 3 BBCOR bats only
- Bats must be 2 5/8
- DH, EH, or Bat Roster
- 7 inning game (unless shorter games agreed upon by both head coaches BEFORE games begin)

13U/14U Division Rules

- OHSAA Rules (including Pitch Counts) If a player is in high school, they must pitch from 60 foot 6 inch rubber., junior high players may pitch from 54 foot rubber if they so choose..
- 1 Balk warning per team per game
- Drop 3 for players in high school, drop 3 or 5 for junior high age players
- Bats must be 2 5/8
- DH, EH, or Bat Roster
- 7 inning game or 2 hour time limit (unless shorter games agreed upon by both head coaches BEFORE games begin)

Pitching Rules

These pitch counts are taken directly from the OHSAA; some minor modifications of rules will be adopted by the league.

17 *Pitching restrictions in grades 7-12 shall adhere to the following pitch/rest limitations:*

Level	Daily Pitch Limit	0 Days of Rest	1 Day of Rest	2 Days of Rest	3 Days of Rest
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Grades 7-12 125 pitches 1 – 30 pitches 31 – 50 pitches 51 – 75 pitches 76 + pitches

171) *A pitcher may finish the current batter if THE DAILY PITCH LIMIT (125) is reached during that at bat.*

172) *At the end of each contest, coaches will submit pitcher number and pitches thrown in the designated data collection system. Modification: Coaches should have this information available if requested by the league*

173) *All pitches thrown in a suspended game or a “no contest” game SHALL COUNT toward the daily pitch limit and the total number of pitches thrown.*

174) *All pitches thrown in a scrimmage or Preview SHALL COUNT toward the daily pitch limit and the total number of pitches thrown.*

175) *Each school/team must keep a record of all pitches thrown by each of their players in each game and make this available to the OHSAA upon request.*

176) *Any player pitching during a period in which rest is required is considered to be pitching as an ineligible player. Note: Any victorious contest in which an ineligible player is participating will result in forfeiture of the contest.*

Other Information:

- If games are rained out or need to be rescheduled, it is the responsibility of the 2 coaches to find makeup days through the week or Saturday if there are no tournaments being hosted.
- Teams will pay umpires at the plate. Umpire fees are \$40 an umpire per game. Teams will split umpire costs. If there are two umpires then each team will pay \$40. If some reason the game is umpired by one official the team will split the cost at \$20 per team.
- The league fee will be \$320. This fee is to cover costs of maintaining fields, electric, trash, and restroom facilities.
- Individual Teams wishing to join the league will need to secure their place by submitting \$200 of their league fee by March 1st.
- There will be signups for individual players, the time and date to TBD.

