

# Minors and Majors Draft Procedures Canyon Lake Little League Baseball



- 1) Parents may request to have one manager "blocked" from selecting their child during the draft process. This request needs to be in writing, detailing the reason for their request. The request must be submitted to either the league president or player agent for approval no later than 5 calendar days prior to the draft. The league president may use discretion to grant or deny the request.
- 2) Players will not play in a higher division unless the player has an older sibling and a parent is the manager of that team. This final decision will be made by the board.
- 3) Players may only play down if it is determined that the player is underdeveloped for their division, and it's approved by the board. (This is to be determined during tryouts by all Managers of the players division, Player Agent, and the President.)

  Note: that these 11-year-olds in the minor's division require written approval from the District Administrator, and only if approved by the board of directors and the parent of the candidate (See Regulation V [a].)
- 4) The draft order will be determined by the managers pulling numbers out of a hat. Once chosen, the managers will sit in their draft order. After the draft order has been determined, managers can trade draft order. Once draft order trades are concluded, the draft will begin. The draft order will use a serpentine format. For example, if there are six teams, the first round will draft players from draft order 1 through 6 then the second round will draft players from draft order 6 through 1. The third round starts again like the first round. The draft will end when all teams are filled as defined by the Player Agent.
- 5) All Managers will have access to the player evaluations via "Air Table".
- 6) If the division representative or President is also a manager for that division, the division representative or President will remove him or herself from arbitration.
- 7) Trades must be concluded prior to anyone exiting the draft and with the approval of the Player Agent and the President.
- 8) Cell phone use, texting, emails, and other forms of communication ARE NOT TO BE USED once entering the draft to communicate about the draft to anyone else. The President or Player Agent can allow such use in necessary cases. The managers are only allowed to communicate with those that are inside the draft room until the draft has been finalized and you have exited the building. Do not share draft orders with ANYONE.
- 9) Only managers, player agent(s), president and presidential appointees are allowed in the draft room. Managers can appoint a single coach to draft if a manager cannot be present. Only one representative from each team can be present at the draft.



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#### **MAJOR DIVISION DRAFT REGULATIONS**

- 1) Every player who played in the major's division the previous season will remain on the same team as the past season. Unless the player wishes to reenter the draft.
- 2) All requests to reenter the draft must be submitted to the Player Agent or President by the first day of the Evaluations.
- 3) All new or redrafting 12-year-old players will be listed as available.
- 4) New managers may reserve their child and one (1) assistant coach's child, this is not a draft pick. Returning Mangers must draft their assistant coach if desired. All assistant coaches shall be discussed before going into the draft.

### **Majors Expansion**

- 1) When expanding by one (1) team, the Manager of the new team will get his/her child, his/her assistant's child, and the first pick of the first-round. All other managers will draw a number for the remaining draft spots.
- 2) If drafting by more than one (1) team a redraft is required.

#### **MINOR DIVISION DRAFT REGULATIONS**

- 1) Minors' division should be made up of 9- and 10-year-olds. 11-year-olds may be selected
- 2) Managers may reserve their child and one (1) assistant coach's child, this is not a draft pick. All assistant coaches shall be discussed before going into the draft.