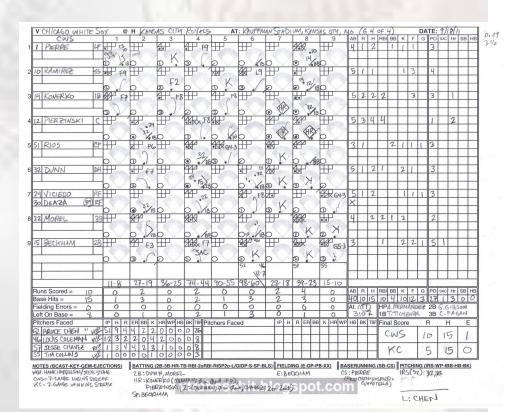


2024 Scorekeeping Clinic

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 - End of inning
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 - End of game
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Scorekeeper Role

- Game officials (not umpires!)
 - Your scorecard is the official record of the game
- Record the progress of the game
 - Balls & strikes, hits, runs, outs, etc.
- Make judgment calls hit vs. error, fielder's choice, etc
 - Try to be consistent
- Track pitch counts –Official Recorder
 - Keep our pitchers safe from overuse injuries
- Ensure mandatory play for all players

WE APPRECIATE YOU!!!

Thank you for volunteering to keep score – our kids need scorekeepers to play Little League games!

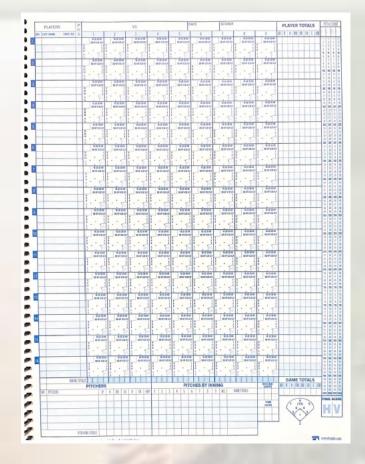
NCLL Bylaws on Scorekeeping

For all levels of play (except T-ball), both the Home and Visiting teams are to provide one scorekeeper during each game. The Home Team's scorekeeper will be designated the Official Scorekeeper for the game. Both scorekeepers may sit in the Scorekeeper area immediately behind Home Plate if agreed upon by both scorekeepers. If either scorekeeper has a preference to remain physically distanced from the other scorekeeper, this is allowed and should be respected. If the scorekeepers are physically distanced, the home scorekeeper inhabits the score booth and the visiting team scorekeeper is permitted to score from the bleachers.

Scorekeepers shall not communicate with any individuals other than umpires and participants of the game as allowed by the Little League Rule Book. Only approved scorekeepers will be allowed to keep score during games.

Each Team keeps a book

- Keep score for entire game
 - At bats for <u>both</u> home and visiting teams
- New scorebooks
 - Modified score block
- Compare pitch count regularly with other scorekeeper to ensure accuracy





Scorekeeper supplies

- Retrieve from Manager(s)
 - Game lineups (for both teams)
 - Scorebook
 - Pitching log
 - Supply pouch
 - Pencils, red pencils, sharpener, pens, highlighter
- Clock
- Water, snacks
- Arrive early
- Slide decks in the booth

Home Team Scorer Tasks

Before First Game of the Day:

- Get scoreboard controller, microphone, and spare batteries from Snack Shack
 - Verify operation as soon as possible

Before All Games:

 Get canister of game balls appropriate for that division (manager may have already grabbed – make sure you have them in booth well before start of game)

Home Team Scorer Tasks

After All Games:

- Power off scoreboard controller
- Collect signatures
 - Scoresheets Both scorekeepers sign
 - Pitching log Both managers & home scorekeeper sign
- Return scorebook, pitching logs, and supply pouch to manager
- Return game balls & canister to Snack Shack
- E-mail game scores ASAP to:
 - ncllscorekeeping@gmail.com
 - Standings are kept!

After Last Game of the Day

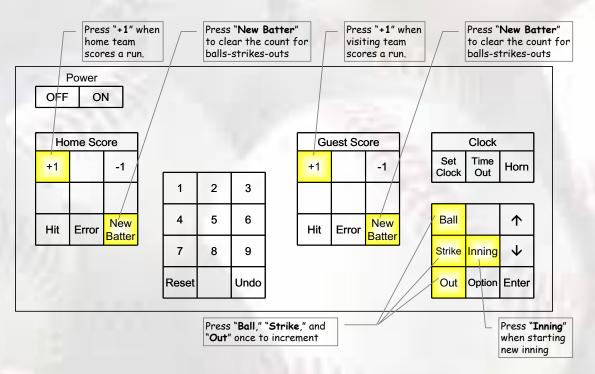
- Turn off power strip
- Roll down window
- Return microphone and controller to Snack Shack

Scorekeeper Etiquette

- During the game, remain objective
 - No cheering or coaching
- Keep distractions to a minimum
 - No young children, cell phones in vibrate/silent mode
- Communicate with home umpire & the other scorekeeper
 - If there is a discrepancy in how many balls, strikes, or outs
 - Pitch count for the current pitcher (at the end of each ½ inning)
 - If you have a non-immediate issue, wait until the inning break

Scoreboard operation

- Home scorekeeper operates scoreboard
 - Can bring family member to help
- Scoreboards are turned on prior to game start (by Visiting team)
 - Breaker box is located in green chalk container
 - Scoreboards (for Minor and Major fields) can only be started one at a time
- Scoreboard controller
 - Runs
 - Innings
 - Balls
 - Strikes
 - Outs



Playing Rules - Minor A and above

All Levels:

- Continuous Batting Order
- If a manager orders an intentional walk, the batter takes 1st base without any pitches being thrown
 - 4 balls are charged to the pitcher's record –(includes Juniors this year!)

Minor A & Majors:

- 6-inning games
 - 10-run rule in effect in the 4th inning
- Runners may leave their base(s) after the pitch has reached the batter
- Minor A: Inning is over after 3 outs, entire lineup has batted, or 5 runs
 - 5-run rule is lifted in the last inning
- <u>Majors and above</u>: Catcher must record force out after dropped 3rd strike (or "not caught")

Intermediate & Juniors:

- 7-inning games
 - 10-run rule in effect in the 5th inning
- Leading off, pick-offs, balks

Baseball Rules for Scorekeepers

Mandatory play (IV.i)

- Every player present plays 6 defensive outs and
- Each player gets one complete at bat. (Short game?)
 - Complete at bat If runner gets on base, they stay in the game until they are put out, score or the game/inning ends.

Minimum number of players (Rule 4.04 and Bylaws)

Can play with only 8 players. 9th batter skipped over (not an out).

Unannounced substitutions (3.08)

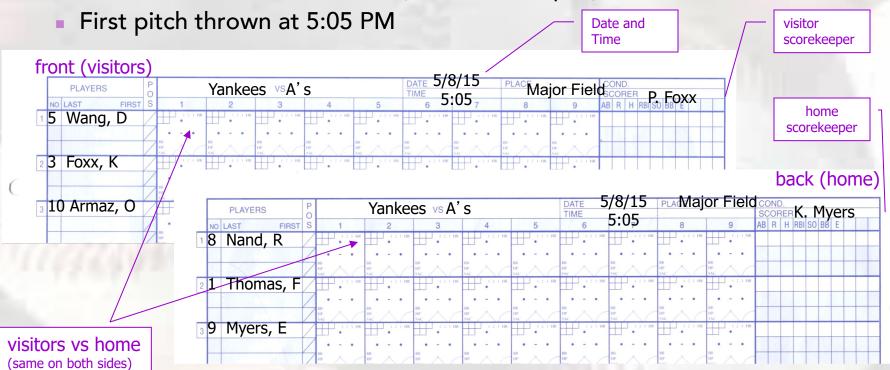
- Managers should tell the umpire (and the umpire tells the scorekeepers) of any substitutions. However, unannounced substitutions are legal.
- Scorekeepers say nothing and record the action.

Baseball Rules for Scorekeepers (cont)

- A run is not scored during force out for 3rd out of inning (4.09)
 - A run is not scored if the runner advances to home base during a play in which the third out is made by any runner being forced out.
- Batting out of turn (6.07)
 - The umpire handles any appeals related to an improper batter. The scorekeepers say nothing and record the action.
- Special pinch runner 9-man only (7.14)
 - A special pinch runner is not a substitution. It is a swap to run the bases only.
- After 2nd Extra Inning start with a runner on 2nd base (last batter out from previous inning).

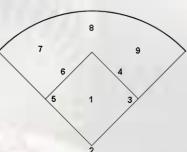
Pre-game: Game Information

- Use one scoresheet per game
- What we know:
 - On May 8, 2015, there's a Major game scheduled to start at 5 PM on the NCLL Major field
 - Yankees are the visiting team, Pat Foxx scorekeeping
 - As are the home team, Kim Myers scorekeeping



Pre-game: Player Information Continuous rotation

- Manager's lineup
- Visitors on front of scoresheet, home on back
- List every player
- Last name first
- Use position numbers
 - Use "-" for bench
- List absent players near the bottom
 - Add late players to the END of the lineup (Rule 4.04)
- Players have up to three numbers assigned to him/her
 - batting order number
 - jersey number
 - position number



Lineup (manager fills)

1	OFFICIAL BATTING ORDER					
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	11	Alex Allen	CF			
	9	Brandon Brown	2B			
	6	Chris Clark	1B			
	7	Dante Diaz	LF			
	2	Emily Evans	RF			
	5	Felix Flores	С			
	12	Greg Garcia	3B			
	1	Hannah Hall	55			
	10	Izzy Ing	Р	7.7		
	3	Jacob Jones	-			
	4	Kevin Kim	-			
	8	Louis Lee	abs			

Scorebook (scorekeeper fills)

		PLAYERS	
	No	Last, First	Pos
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2	9	Brown, Brandon	4
3	6	Clark, Chris	3
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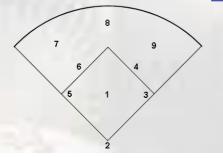
- Put an "I" or some note next to names of players ineligible to pitch
- Make sure all kids are in scorebook so we can track mandatory play

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10	3	Jones, Jacob	-
11	4	Kim, Kevin	-
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	8	Lee, Louis	



Pre-game: Pitcher Information

- Before start of game fill out:
 - Pitcher information on scoresheet
 - List starting pitchers on same side as their batting lineup
 - Running pitch count will be recorded on opposite side of scorecard



In-Game Pitcher Eligibility:

- A pitcher removed from the mound cannot return as pitcher.
 - <u>50/70 & Juniors</u>: A pitcher who is removed from the mound but remains on defense (in a different position) can return as pitcher once per game.
- A pitcher who throws 41+ pitches in a game may not play catcher.
- Applayer who catches 3+ innings in a game may not pitch
- Track Catcher-Pitcher and Back to Catcher (rules!)

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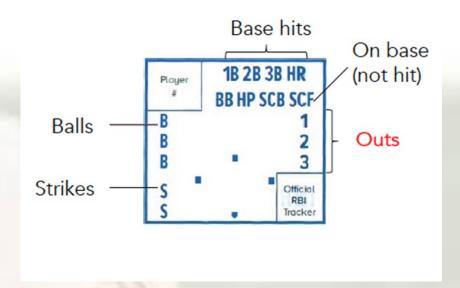
Pitcher eligibility Obtain red pitching log from manager Verify ineligible pitchers Write new pitcher info in ink

Nil	Niles-Centerville Little League Baseball Pitcher Eligibility Tracking Form								
	Division Team								
Date	Pitches	Pitcher's	Unif.	League	Tm. Manager's	Opp. Manager's	Scorekeeper/Ump	Eligible to pitch	
of Game	Thrown	Name	No.	Age	Signature *	Signature *	Signature *	again on (date)	

Recording the At-Bat: Scoreblock Basics

Scoreblocks

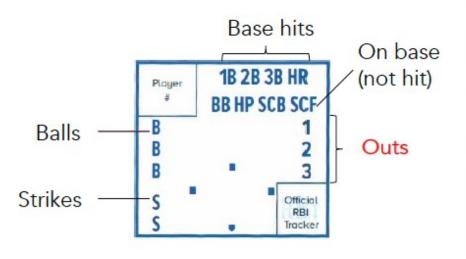
- Pitches
 - Track balls and strikes in order
- How a batter gets on base
 - Base hits
 - Non-hits
- How a batter/runner gets out
 - Record outs in red pencil
- How runner(s) progress around the base and record how batter advances
 - Draw line connecting dots of the diamond
 - Fill in diamond when run is scored
- Credit batter with RBI by putting jersey number in RBI section

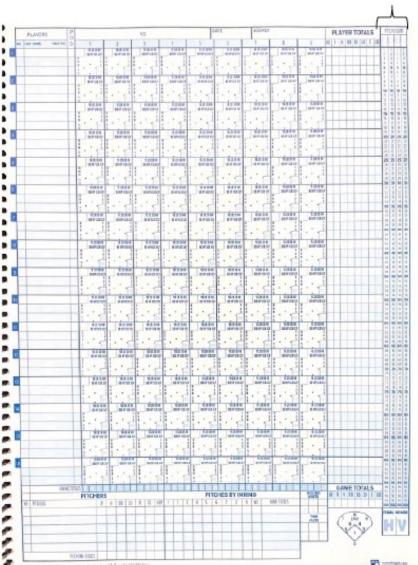




New Scorebook & Scoreblock

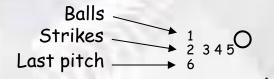
Pitch count tally



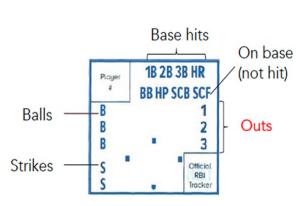


Recording Pitches

- Scorekeeper maintains official record of pitch count
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- The last pitch of an At-Bat is NOT recorded in the balls and strikes area



- Example
 - First pitch = ball
 - Second pitch = swing & miss (strike)
 - Third pitch = contacts ball, which lands foul (strike
 - Fourth & fifth pitches = contacts ball, which lands
 - Sixth pitch = batter gets one-base hit



Tracking Pitch Count

Tracking pitches during At-Bat

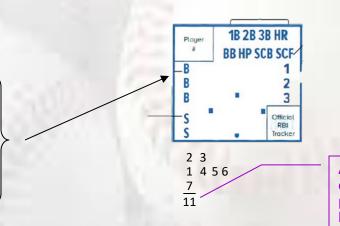
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- Third pitch = strike
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Cumulative pitch count

- Track total per at bat
 - Record the last pitch per batter under the balls/strikes rows
- Running total for that pitcher total
 - Draw a short line, then running total

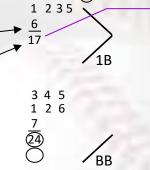
Final pitch count

- Circle the final pitch count for a pitcher
- Running total starts over with new pitcher

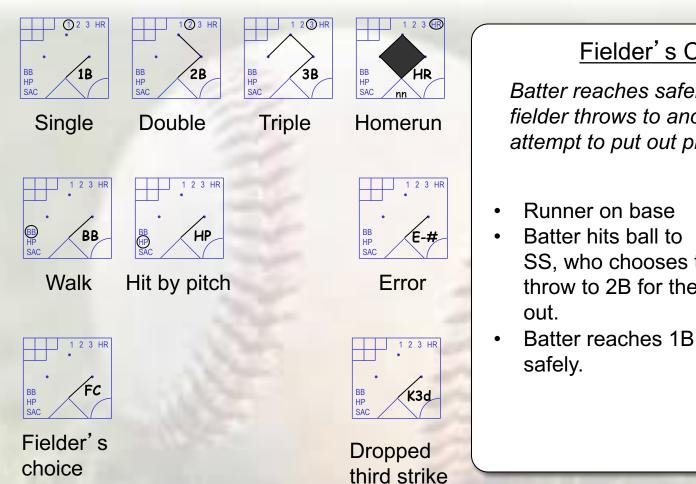


Add 7 pitches for current batter and 4 pitches for previous batter to get 11 total pitches.

Add 6 pitches for current batter and 11 pitches for previous batters to get 17 total pitches.



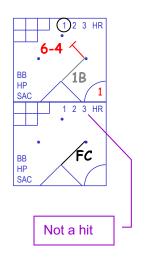
Scorekeeping Symbols: Getting On Base



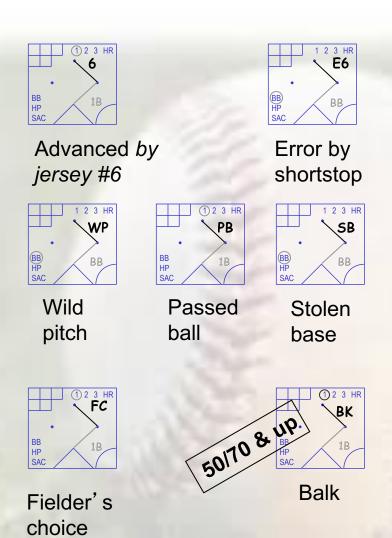
Fielder's Choice

Batter reaches safely because fielder throws to another base in attempt to put out preceding runner

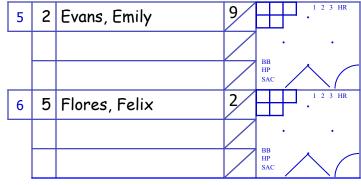
- Batter hits ball to SS, who chooses to throw to 2B for the



Scorekeeping Symbols: Advancing



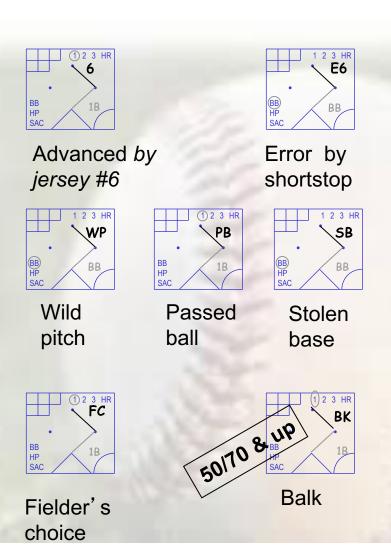
Let's practice



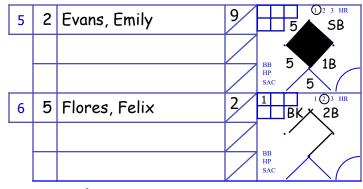
Example:

- 1. Evans (#2) hits a line drive single past SS.
- 2. Evans steals 2nd
- 3. Flores (#5) hits a double to deep center field. Evans scores.
- 4. Flores is awarded 3rd base on a balk.

Scorekeeping Symbols: Advancing



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- 2. Ball to Flores, Evans steals 2nd
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Scorekeeping Symbols: Outs

Batter is Out



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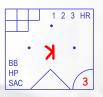
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HP

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Strike out, swinging

Strike out, called

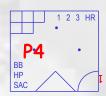
Force out or tag out

Unassisted play









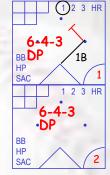


Infield fly

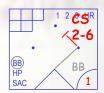
Sacrifice Line Out fly or bunt (to 1B)

Pop Out (to 2B)

Dropped third strike



Runner is Out



Caught stealing



Force out or tag out



Run down

Double play

Batter hit grounder to SS, who threw to 2B, who threw to 1B.

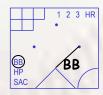
Scorekeeping Symbols (slide 1 of 4)

Base on balls (walk)

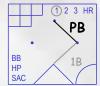
- Batter receives four pitches outside the strike zone that the batter does not attempt to hit
- Intentional base on balls = "IBB"

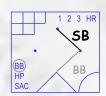
Stealing/advancing on wild pitch/passed ball

- Wild pitch pitch thrown so high, low or wide that it cannot be caught by catcher
- Passed ball pitch that could have been caught by catcher but got away
- Stolen base when the runner successfully advances;
 - ex. leaves base as soon as the pitch reaches the batter
 - Caught stealing runner put out trying to steal
 OR picked off OR on an overslide while stealing











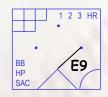
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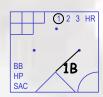
Error

 Use position number of the fielder responsible for the error (e.g. right fielder drops ball – E9)

Hit or Error?

- The test: should the fielder have made the play with ordinary effort? If yes, then score as an error.
- Score as a hit if
 - two players collide
 - fielder steps in gopher hole
 - sun gets in fielder's eyes
 - ball takes a funny hop
 - fielder has to make a diving catch
 - fielder runs into the fence





Scorekeeping Symbols (slide 3 of 4)

Bunting

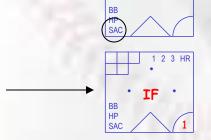
- If batter gets on base, score as a hit
- If batter is out due to sacrifice bunt (to advance a runner), record "SAC". Batter is 0-for-0 for that at-bat.
- If batter is out due to unsuccessful bunt, score as usual put out

Sacrifice Fly

- Def: When a batter hits a fly ball to the outfield that is caught, but allows a runner to advance.
- Record as "SF"+position number. The batter is officially 0-for-0.

Infield fly rule

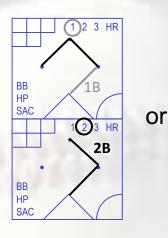
- Def: a fair fly ball which can be caught by an infielder with ordinary effort, when runners are on 1st & 2nd OR the bases are loaded.
- "Infield Fly" is declared by umpire, batter is out

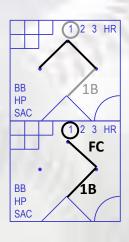


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Fielder's Choice

- When the batter reaches safely because the fielder attempted to get an out somewhere else.
- If a runner advances directly because the fielder attempted to get an out somewhere else.



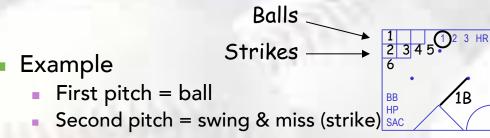


2B or 1B+FC?

- Runner on 1B
- Batter hits safely to LF
- LF throws to 3B, but runner is safe. Batter advances to 2nd.
- Would batter have made it to 2B if LF had thrown to 2B?
 - Yes score as 2B
 - No score as 1B + FC

Recording Pitches

- Scorekeeper is official record of pitch count
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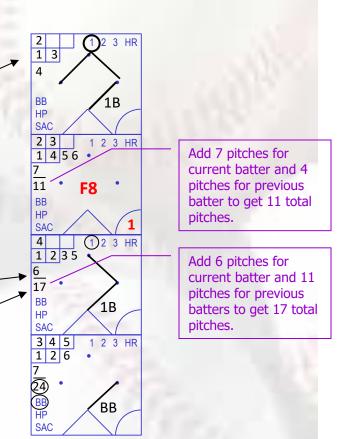
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Final pitch count

- Circle the final pitch count for a pitcher
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Pitcher Change – 3 places

Scoreblock (batting side)

- Circle final pitch count
- Draw red line under last batter faced by old pitcher
- Write "NP #" and jersey number of new pitcher in red

Pitcher info area (fielding side)

- Record pitch count of old pitcher in ink
- Write new pitcher info and halfinning

Pitching eligibility book

Record pitch count* of old pitcher in ink

- Verify eligibility of new pit
- Write new pitcher info



Fielding side

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Niles-Centerville	_ Little League Baseball Pitcher Eligibility Tracking Form
Division	Team

Pitches Thrown	Pitcher's Name	Unif. No.	League Age	Tm. Manager's Signature *	Opp. Manager's Signature *	Scorekeeper/Ump Signature *	Eligible to pitch again on (date)
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Pitch Count Rules

- Notify umpire when pitcher has reached pitch limit
- Pitcher must be removed from mound when limit reached (may move to a different position)
 - If pitcher reaches limit while facing a batter, the pitcher may complete the at-bat or may be removed from the mound
- Days of rest required
 - Use aged-based thresholds
 - Use first pitch to the last batter faced to determine threshold for required rest days.
 - Days are "calendar days". <u>Example:</u> if a 10-yr old pitcher throws 60 pitches on Saturday, he must not pitch on Sun, Mon, or Tues (eligible to pitch Wed)

Age based pitch limits					
League age	Max pitches per day				
17-18	105				
13-16	95				
11-12	85				
9-10	75				
7-8	50				

	Age-based pitching thresholds to determine rest days						
	۶r	Pitches in a day	Rest required		Pitches in a day	Rest required	
ı	under	66 +	4 calendar days	lder	76 +	4 calendar days	
ł	and	51-65	3 calendar days	and older	61-75	3 calendar days	
	years	36-50	2 calendar days	ırs a	46-60	2 calendar days	
	14 ye	21-35	1 calendar days	years	31-45	1 calendar days	
		1-20	none	15	1-30	none	

Pitch Count Examples

- A 12-year old throws 55 pitches on Monday
- He requires three (3) days of rest
- He is eligible to pitch again on Friday Up to 85 pitches

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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and	61-75	3 calendar days
5 years and older	46-60	2 calendar days
15 y	31-45	1 calendar days
	1-30	none

Pitch Count Examples

- 15-year old at 55 pitches when new batter started
- Throws 7 pitches to final batter (now 62 pitches)
- Pitcher requires only two (2) days of rest, even though crossed into the next threshold
- Eligible to pitch again Thursday (up to 95 pitches)

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	62	2 D	ays	95		

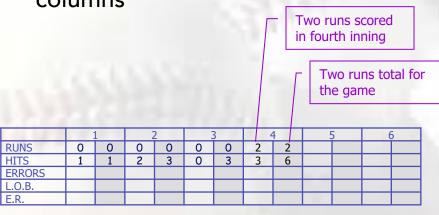
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13-16	95
11-12	85
9-10	75
7-8	50

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and	51-65	3 calendar days
14 years and under	36-50	2 calendar days
4 ye	21-35	1 calendar days
1	1-20	none

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5 years and older	76 +	4 calendar days
and	61-75	3 calendar days
ears	46-60	2 calendar days
15 y	31-45	1 calendar days
	1-30	none

End of Half-Inning

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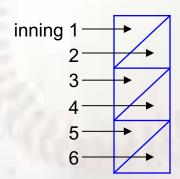
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Substitutions & Position Changes: Continuous Rotation

Field position changes & subs

- Can use 6 triangular spaces to note positions for 6 innings
- Fill in changes one inning at a time –
 when manager announces subs
- Check that all players and positions are accounted for every inning



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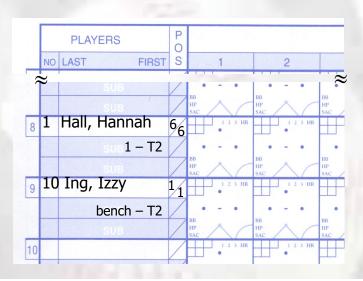
Blank spaces = ?? We won't know. Could lead to mandatory play issues.

Substitutions & Position Changes: Middle of Inning

Mid-Inning Changes

 Regardless of level, if substitution or position changes occurs in the middle of an inning, record the change in the lineup section.





End of Game

Record final score on scoresheet

 If the game ends before 6 innings are played, note reason (darkness, 10-run rule, etc.)

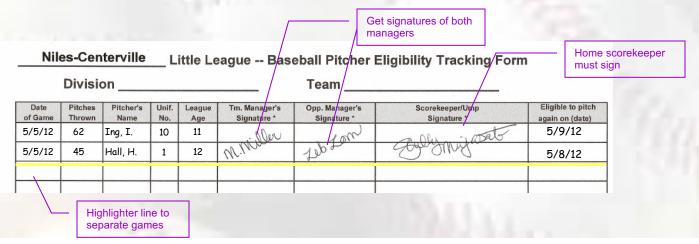


Check minimum playing time

- Verify that every player present played at least 6 defensive outs & 1 at-bat
- Note issues on scoresheet, and notify manager

Obtain signatures from

- Both scorekeepers in scorebook
- Both managers & home scorekeeper in pitching log



MA/MJ Example

continuous lineup

Junior Example

9-man lineup



MA/MJ Example

continuous lineup

Junior Example

9-man lineup



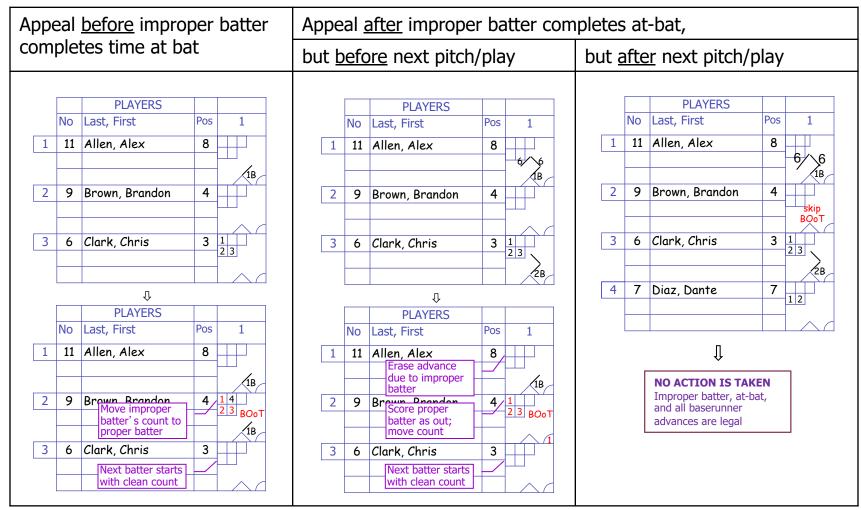
Batting Out of Turn (slide 1 of 2)

Never inform anyone if a player is about to bat out of order









Batting Out of Turn (slide 2 of 2)

3 scenarios (time-dependent)



Appeal <u>before</u> improper batter completes time at bat	Appeal <u>after</u> improper batter completes at-bat,					
	but <u>before</u> next pitch/play	but <u>after</u> next pitch/play				
Offense or defense can appeal	Defense can appeal	No appeal				
Proper batter replaces improper batter in the box and assumes the count	Proper batter is called out and improper batter is removed from base (if applies)	Improper batter and at-bat have been legalized; no action taken				
All baserunner advances are legal	Baserunner advances due to improper batter are erased, other advances are legal	All baserunner advances are legal				
	The next batter is one whose name on the lineup follows the proper batter that was called out	Batting order continues with the batter following the legalized improper batter				

Let's Practice!

Practice – Lineups & Game Info

	OFFICIA	L BATTING ORDE	R	OFFICIAL BATTING ORDER						
ГЕАМ: \	'ankees	COACH:		TEAM: 0	Giants	COACH:				
NO	STARTER NAME	POS	SUBSTITUTE	NO	STARTER NAME	POS	SUBSTITUTE			
11	Alex Allen	CF	6-1	11	AJ Foyt	RF				
9	Brandon Brown	2B		48	Jimmy Johnson	3B	92			
6	Chris Clark	1B	·	18	Kyle Busch	55	46/			
7	Dante Diaz	LF		10	Danica Patrick	1B				
2	Emily Evans	RF		7	Jackie Stewart	CF				
5	Felix Flores	С	-	5	Mario Andretti	Р	- A.D.			
12	Greg Garcia	3B		24	Jeff Gordon	2B	7.3			
1	Hannah Hall	55		43	Richard Petty	LF	1000			
10	Izzy Ing	Р	1000	17	Darrell Waltrip	С	3/5			
3	Jacob Jones	В		28	Cale Yarborough	-				
8	Kevin Kim	abs		3	Dale Earnhardt	abs				
	N									

Visiting team: Giants

Home Team: Yankees

Game on 4/1/17.

First pitch at 11:05am

Minor A game on NCLL MajorField

Visiting Scorekeeper: Larry Light

Home Scorekeeper: Mary Myer

Practice Scenarios

Top of 1st Inning: Andretti pitching #11 Allen

1-ball

2- swings & misses3-hits foul ball into bushes4-gets hit by the pitch

#9 Brown

1-3 balls

4-hits foul ball behind C5-hits ball to 3B, who misses the ball, Allen to 2nd base

#6 Clark

1-hits double deep into CF Allen scores, Brown goes to 3B

#7 Diaz

1-hits ground ball to 1B, who makes the out at 1B Brown scores, Clark to 3B

#2 Evans

1-3 balls

4-6 hits fouls

7-ball

#5 Flores

1-ball

2-hits grounder to 3B, who throws to 2nd base to get Evans out. Clark stays on 3B

#12 Garcia

1-Strike. Flores steals 2nd base, and Clark steals home when the catcher throws the ball to 2nd.

2-hits fly to LF, and fielder catches ball

End of Half Inning

Bottom of 1st Inning: Ing pitching

#11 Foyt

1-ball

2,3 - swings & misses

4-swings & misses.
Catcher drops the pitch,
Foyt safe at 1st.

#48 Johnson

1-3 balls

4,5,6-hits foul balls

7-hits single, Foyt to 2B

#18 Busch

1- called strike

2-hits grounder to 3B, who steps on third base to force out Foyt. Johnson safe at 2nd.

#10 Patrick

1-3 swings & misses

Practice Scenarios (cont'd)

#7 Stewart

1- ball

2-swings & misses

3-hits single to pitcher:
Johnson to third, Busch to second

#5 Andretti

1-ball

2-hits double to right field: Johnson and Busch score, Stewart goes to third

#24 Gordon

1-hits fly to RF, and fielder catches ball

End of Half Inning

Top of 2nd Inning:

#1 Hall

1-3 balls

4-single to left field

#10 Ing

1-3 balls

4-6 hits foul balls

7-hits single to center field, Hall to 3rd base

#3 Jones

1-hits pop up to pitcher, who catches the ball

#11 Allen

1-hits ground ball to SS, who throws the ball to the second baseman in time to get Ing out. The throw to 1st base is not in time. Hall scores.

#9 Brown

1-3 balls

4- strike called

5 - ball.

#6 Clark

1-swings & misses

2-ball

3-foul

4-5 balls

6-7 foul

8-hits single to center field. Allen attempts to run to 3rd base, and is thrown out there by the centerfielder

End of Half Inning

Practice Scenarios (cont'd)

Bottom of 2nd Inning:

#43 Petty

1- hits homerun to right field

#17 Waltrip

1-2 balls

3 - hits double to left field

#28 Yarborough

1-3 balls

4- grounds out to first base Waltrip advances to third base

#11 Foyt

1-hits fly ball to left field, who catches the ball and throws Waltrip out, who was trying to score.

End of Half Inning

Top of 3nd Inning:

Yarborough replaces Stewart in CF Busch & Andretti switch positions

#7 Diaz

1- hit by pitch

#2 Evans

1- ball

2- hits ground ball to 3rd, who throws to second for the out. Second baseman throws to first for a double play.

#5 Flores

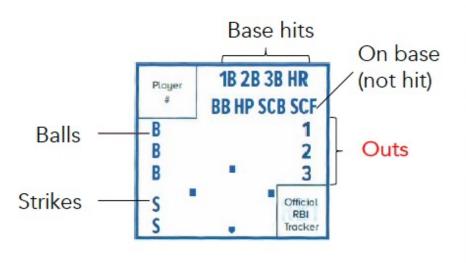
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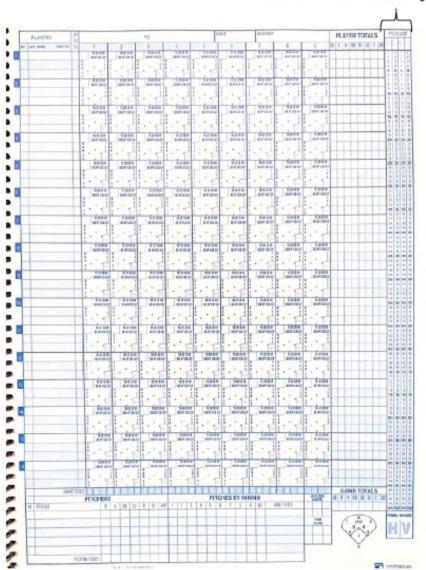
4- lines out to shortstop

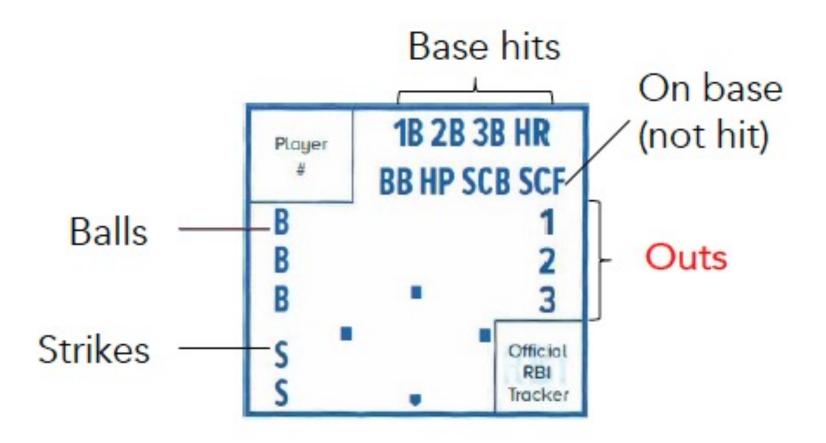
End of Half Inning

Scorebook & Scoreblock

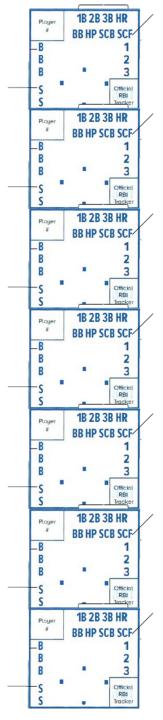
Pitch count tally





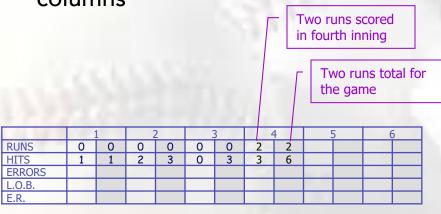


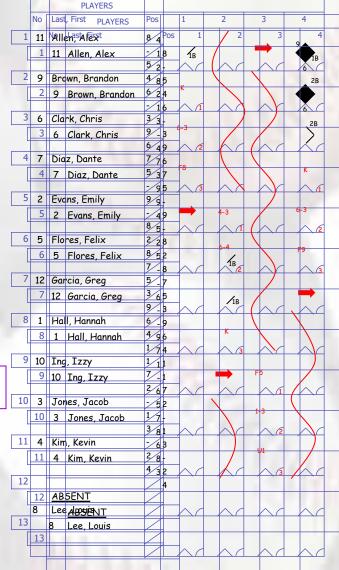
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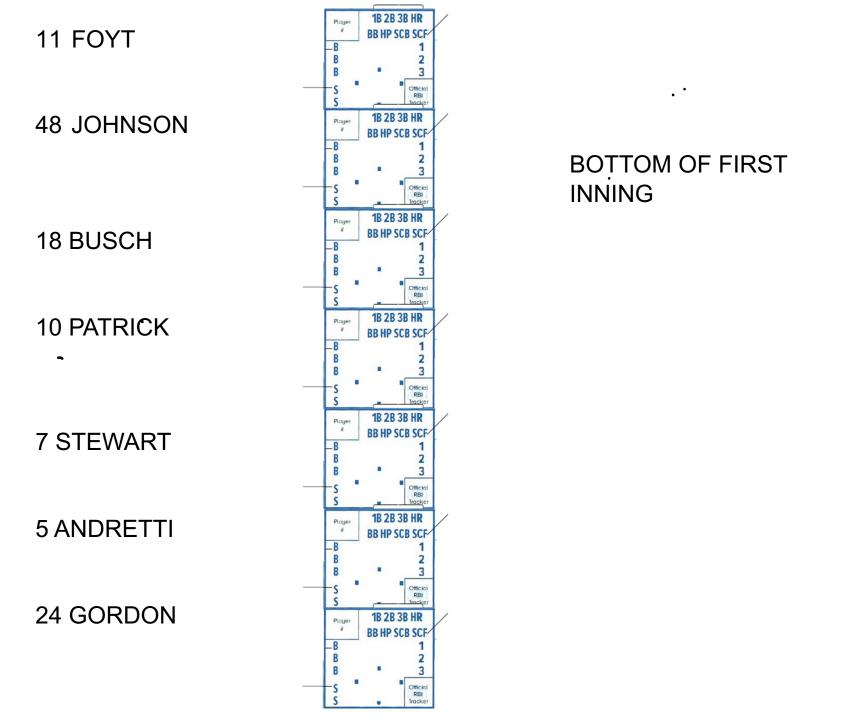
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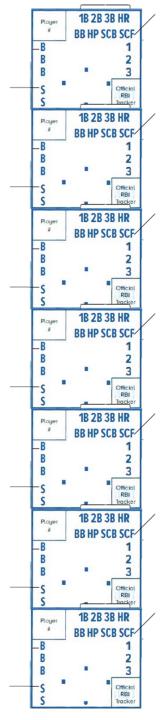




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1 HALL **10 ING** 3 JONES 11 ALLEN 9 BROWN 6 CLARK 7 DIAZ



Top of 2nd – back to "first side" of book.
Pick up across from arrow you made.
Make sure you are in a new column!

43 PETTY

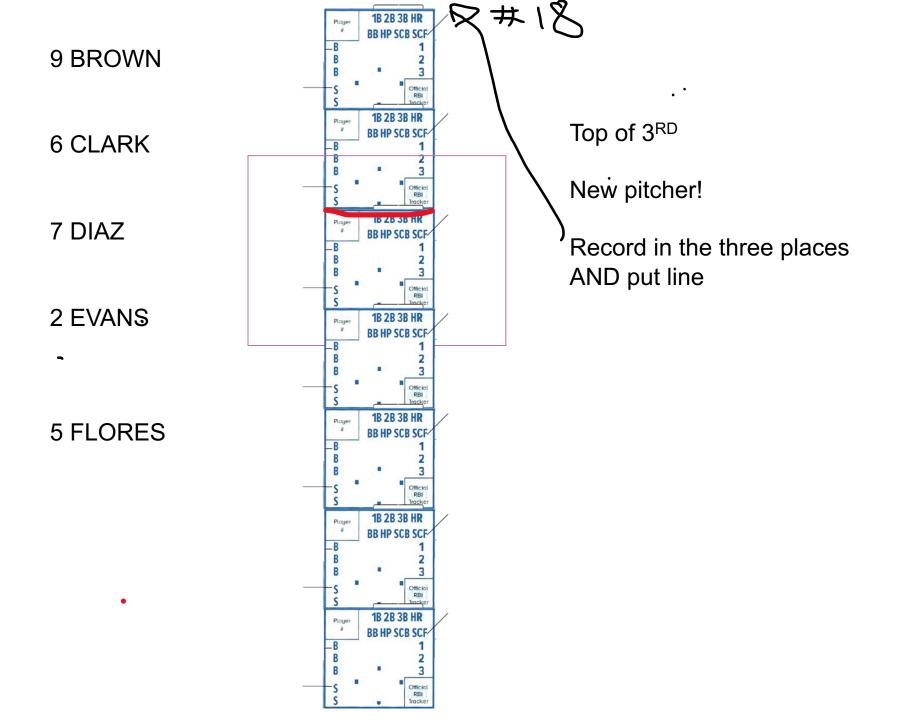
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1B 2B 3B HR **BB HP SCB SCF** Official 1B 2B 3B HR **BB HP SCB SCF** 1B 2B 3B HR BB HP SCB SCF Official 1B 2B 3B HR **BB HP SCB SCF** Official RBI 1B 2B 3B HR **BB HP SCB SCF** 1B 2B 3B HR **BB HP SCB SCF** Official RBI 1B 2B 3B HR BB HP SCB SCF Official

BOTTOM OF 2ND INNING



Thanks for all you do!

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