

## 2018 BABE RUTH PLAYOFF RULES.

Anything not listed here, will be the same as the regular season rules

1. All playoff games will be scheduled and re-scheduled by the commissioner.
2. All games must have two certified umpires. If you need help getting certified umpires, use your Recreation Directors for help. There are plenty of certified guys out there; you just need to reach out to them.
3. All games must be completed unless the mercy rule comes into effect.
4. All players must have played in at least 65% of your regular season games.
5. The higher seeded team is the home team. Teams will maintain their seed throughout the playoffs.
6. If the higher seeded teams home field is unplayable or unavailable, the game will be moved to the lower seeded team's field. The higher seeded team will still be responsible for the umpires, baseballs and will still be the home team.
7. Both the pitch count and score of each game will need to be reported to the commissioner, the same night (day) as the game is played. Both teams must report this info. Pitch counts will be posted on the web page or by email, so everyone can see who pitched. Failure by any team to send in their info the same day as the game, will cause that team to forfeit. Please be prepared to show your scorebooks and pitch count sheets to the commissioner if needed.
8. There will be team awards given to both teams in the Championship Game. There will also be a MVP chosen from the championship game and given an award.
9. The Championship game(s) will be played at St. Peters Field unless that field is unavailable. The commissioner will provide game balls and umpires.
10. Playoff games must be played on the nights they are scheduled and will only be moved due to the weather.
11. Weekends may be included in the playoff schedule.
12. Every team qualifies for the tournament.
13. Tournament will run from 7/21/18 - 7/28/18. Dates and time are subject to change.
14. Each team will need to have their Pitch count sheet signed by the opposing coach after each game. Pitch count sheets are attached in this email.