# LITTLE LEAGUE® TEE BALL

# QUICKSTART GUIDE

FOR LEAGUE OFFICIALS

#### **REGISTRATION TIPS**

- Contact parents of returning players with siblings who are Tee Ball age
- Distribute flyers/information through schools, local YMCA's, pre-schools, daycares, etc.
- Create a referral program (reduced registration for players who refer new players)
- Work with other youth organizations (sports, recreation, social, etc.) to get the message out about your Tee Ball program
- Consider reduced or free registration for new players







#### **PRESEASON TIPS**

- ☐ Hold an informational/registration meeting to explain the Tee Ball program to parents
- ☐ Identify parents interested in coaching using the 10-week Tee Ball guide
- ☐ Distribute the 10-week Tee Ball guide to coaches prior to the start of the season
- Hold a coach meeting to discuss implementation of the program

### **SEASON GUIDELINES**

- ☐ Schedule 1 practice from the 10-week plan and 1 game per week (leagues may choose to run 2-4 practices prior to starting games)
- Consider teams of 6-8 players
- ☐ Keep practices and games to a maximum of 1 to 1½ hours



## **POSTSEASON TIPS**

- Survey parents to get their feedback on your league's Tee Ball program
- Consider offering a Fall Ball Tee Ball program to allow players to continue to develop
- Inform players and parents about opportunities available to them next season
- Conduct a pre-registration for the next season

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