

**2010 Early Bird Baseball Tournament Rules  
12 Under Division**

- 1.) **Tournament play will be governed by NBC Hap Dumont Youth Baseball rules.**
- 2.) **Pitching distance = 50' Bases = 70'**
- 3.) **Teams will hit their own baseballs.**  
**Provide 2 baseballs to the umpire to start each game.**  
**Please help by shagging foul balls on your teams dug-out side**
- 4.) **Home and visitor will determined by a coin flip prior to each game.**  
**Coaches please meet at the press box 30 minutes prior to each game to flip and determine the home team.**  
**If possible Home team take the 3rd base dug-out Visitors take 1st.**
- 5.) **Teams will be allowed to bat their entire line-up or use the EH. The way a team starts the game is the way they must finish.**
- 6.) **No pitcher may pitch in more than 6 innings in 2 consecutive games.**  
**1 pitch equals an inning.**
- 7.) **Time limit - No new innings will start after 1 hour 30 minutes**  
**Championship games will not have a time limit. Run rules will be in effect.**
- 8.) **Run rules will be in effect.**  
**15 runs after 3 innings**  
**10 runs after 4 innings**

**Tournament will be pool play followed by a single elimination tournament**