



AMENDMENTS



OBA PROCEDURE AMENDMENTS



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REP COUNCIL 5



A16.01 – Amendments



Add to A16.01 a. a new vii. as follows:

- vii. Rep Commissioner in consultation with Deputy Rep Commissioner or vice versa.

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A10.01 – Double First Base (Safety Base)

Add the following as a new A10.01 (renumbering the remainder):

A10.01 – Double First Base (Safety Base)

Starting 2027, For all sanctioned play at 11U and below, a double first base (safety base) shall be required.

- a. The double first base shall measure 15" x 30". One half (white) shall be placed in fair territory adjoining first base, and the other half (orange or contrasting colour) shall be placed in foul territory.

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- b. Use on Batted Balls – The defensive player making a play on a batted ball at first base must use the white (fair territory) portion of the base. The batter-runner must use the orange (foul territory) portion of the base when running through first base.
- c. Use on Subsequent Plays – On any play where the runner is attempting to advance to second base, or when returning to first base, the white portion of the base shall be used. If a play is being made from foul territory (e.g. dropped third strike, bunt, or overthrow), the batter-runner may use either portion of the base to avoid collision.
- d. Effect of Violation – If the fielder uses only the orange portion of the base to attempt to record a put-out on a batted ball, the runner shall be declared safe. If the runner uses the white portion of the base on a batted ball and, in the judgment of the umpire, interferes with the defensive player, the runner shall be declared out for interference.

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Rep Council 2



A12.01 – Arm Care Rules

Add to A12.01 a. the following sentence at the end:

- a. “Teams attending Baseball Canada National Championships are not required to follow these rules to the extent that they are following arm care rules as outlined by Baseball Canada.”



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Rep Council 3



A12.01 – Arm Care Rules



Add to A12.01 c. the following sentence at the end:

- c. “An ineligible pitcher shall be removed from the pitching position immediately, but may assume another position other than catcher.”



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A12.02 – Arm Care Penalties

Delete A12.02 a. i. and replace with the following:

The Head Coach is ejected, and the pitcher is immediately removed from the pitching position. The Head Coach shall receive a five (5) game suspension. The game will continue. If the official pitch counter does not make the Head Coach and Umpire aware of the violation until after the game, the Head Coach will still be deemed to be ejected and suspended.

And

Change all references to “Manager” to “Head Coach”



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HIGH PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL



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2025 HIGH PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL



- Approve the HPP Proposal presented to the Rep Members and authorize the Board of Directors to implement amendments incorporating the approved proposal into the Rep Procedures & Playing Rules as applicable.

Editors Note: A complete Package with all approved amendments will be available shortly

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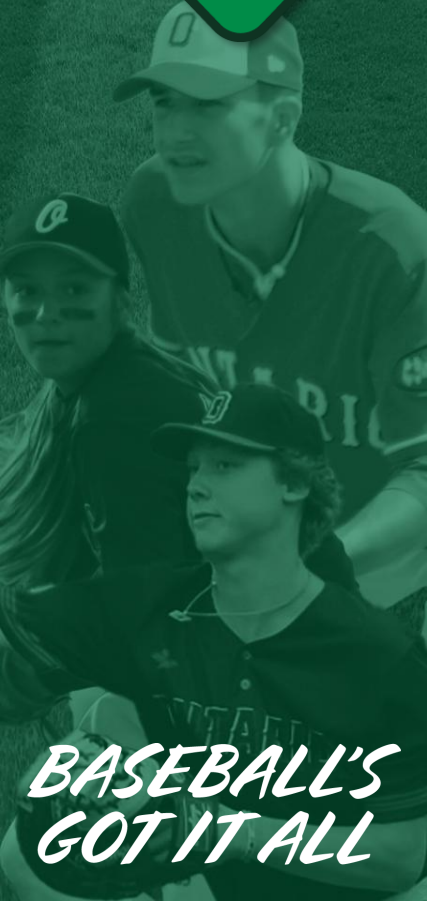


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Change all references to “Rep Play-Offs” to “Rep Provincial Championships” throughout the Rep Procedures & Playing Rules.





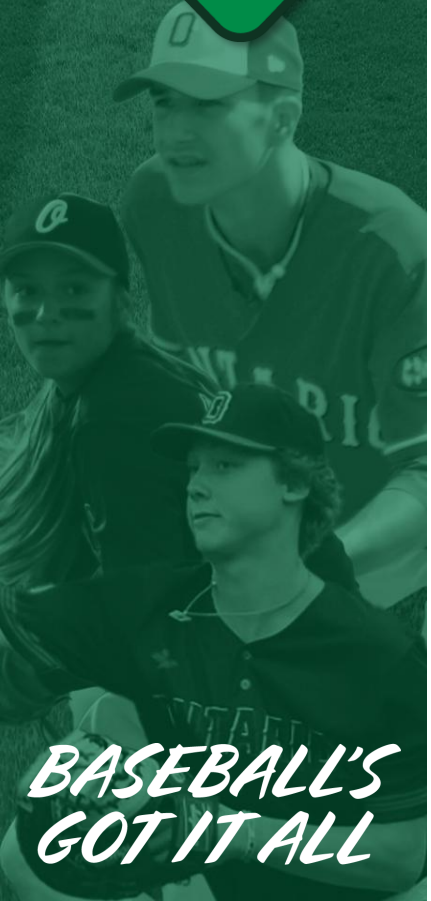
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LDBA 1 and WOBA 1



R6.01 HOUSEHOLD COUNTS

In R6.01 a., **add** a new 16U B under 30,000 and Fewer Households



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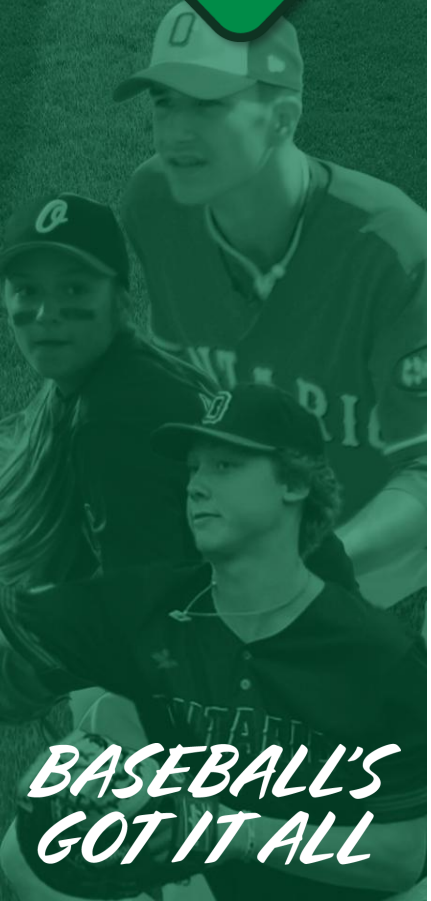
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Rep Council 2



R6.02 CLASSIFICATION (Pilot)

In R6.02 d., **delete** “Teams must declare their intention” and **replace with** “Affiliated Associations must declare their teams’ intention”.



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R6.02 CLASSIFICATION (Pilot)

In R.6.02 e., **delete** “Teams may not be reclassified by the Competition Committee.” and **replace with** the following: “Teams may be reclassified to a higher classification by the Competition Committee at the request of the local and/or affiliated association if deemed appropriate”

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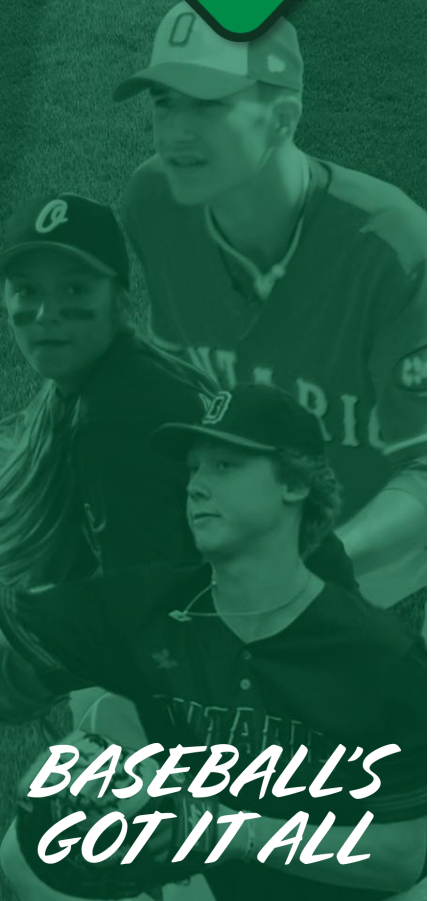
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R6.02 CLASSIFICATION (Pilot)

In R6.02 q., **delete** “or on the TCR as required.”



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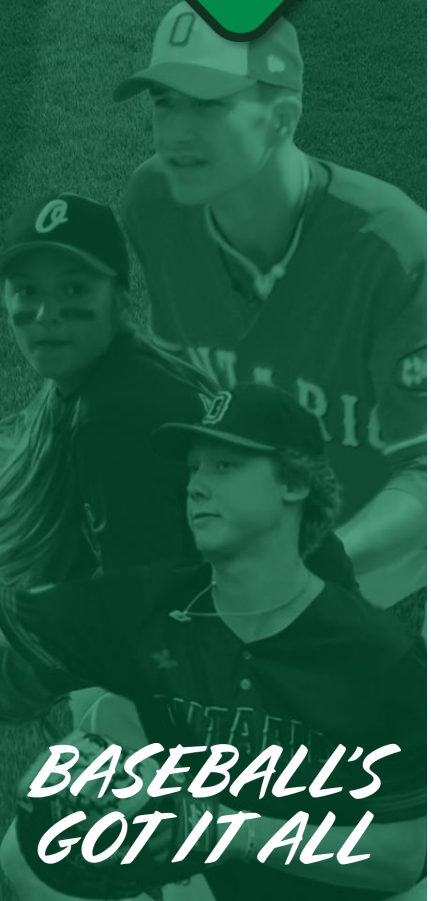


REP RULES

SENIOR AAA ADVISORY COMMITTEE 1



In RP1.9 f. and g., **add** Senior as an age category for which rosters may be edited until June 30th.



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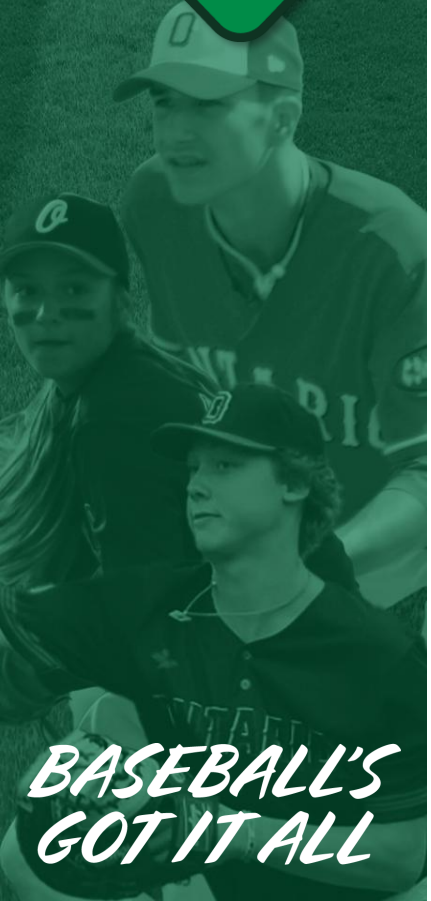
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SENIOR AAA ADVISORY COMMITTEE 2



RP1.10 TEAM NUMBER

Delete "At 22U only" and **replace with** "At 22U and Senior".



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SENIOR AAA ADVISORY COMMITTEE 3



RP1.9

Add a new RP1.9 I. as follows:

- I. Subject to Baseball Canada eligibility rules, Senior teams attending Baseball Canada Mens' Nationals may add Intercounty Baseball League players as call-ups to their roster for Nationals.

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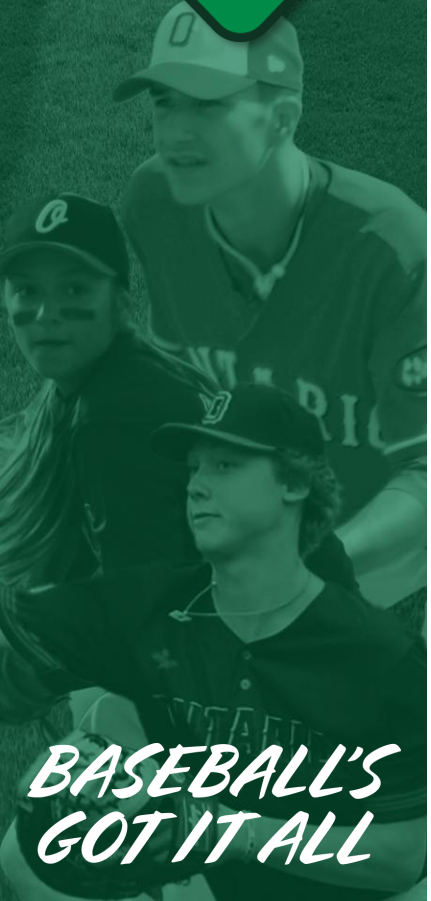
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NDBA 1



RP1.10 TEAM NUMBER

In RP1.10 c., **delete** “Manager” and **replace with** “Head Coach”.



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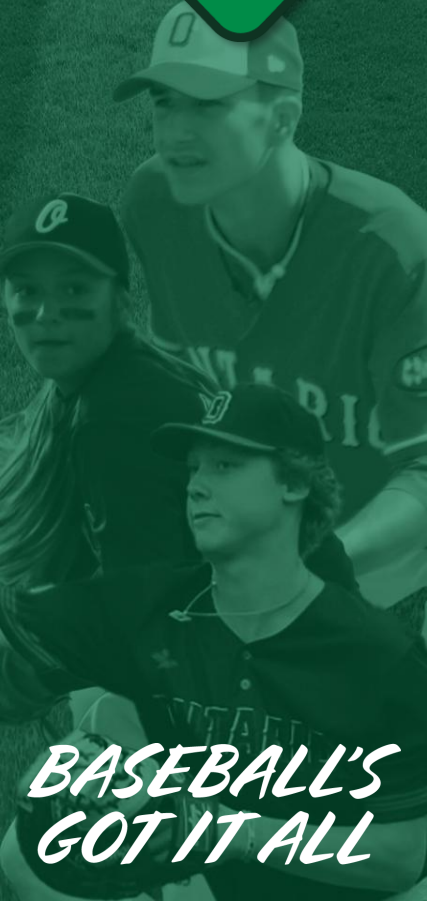
Senior AAA Advisory Committee 4



RP2.3 LINE-UP RULES

Add a new RP2.3 m. as follows:

- m. At Senior AAA, all teams are required to use Game Changer to score all regular season, tournament and National Qualifier Tournament games.



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REP RULES

Rep Council 5



RP5.2

In RP5.2 b, **delete** references to “Rep Series Chair” and **replace with** “Host”

and

delete “by Tuesday midnight in advance of the start of the first game” and **replace with** “except in extenuating circumstances, by Tuesday at 9:00 am in advance of the first game”.

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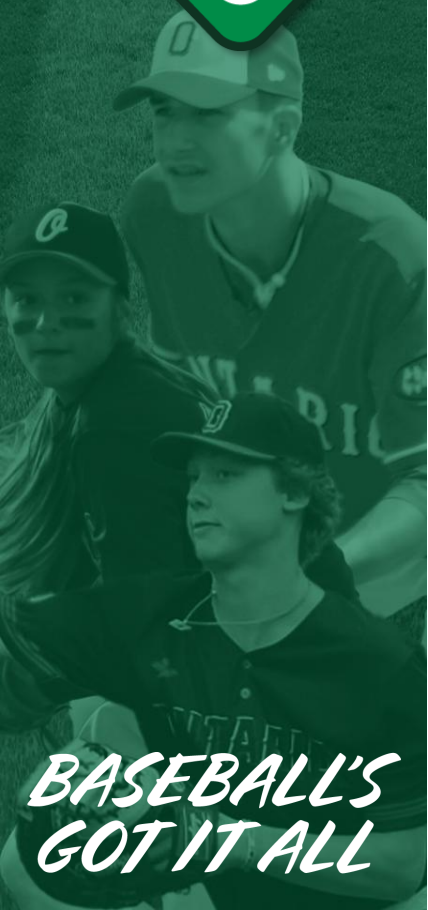
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RP5.2 TOURNAMENT STYLE REP PLAY-OFFS

Delete RP5.2 i. and **replace with** the following:

For 10U to 18U, if the Rep Play-off Tournament has 13 or more teams, the teams must be prepared to play on the Thursday no earlier than 9:00 a.m., if necessary. In all series up to and including 15U, no game shall start after 9:30 p.m. on any day and no new inning may begin after 12:59 a.m. (or such earlier time as may be provided by local by-law). In all series up to and including 15U, where the published schedule has a team starting a game at 8:30 p.m. or later, then the team cannot be scheduled to play earlier than 9:00 a.m. on the following day.



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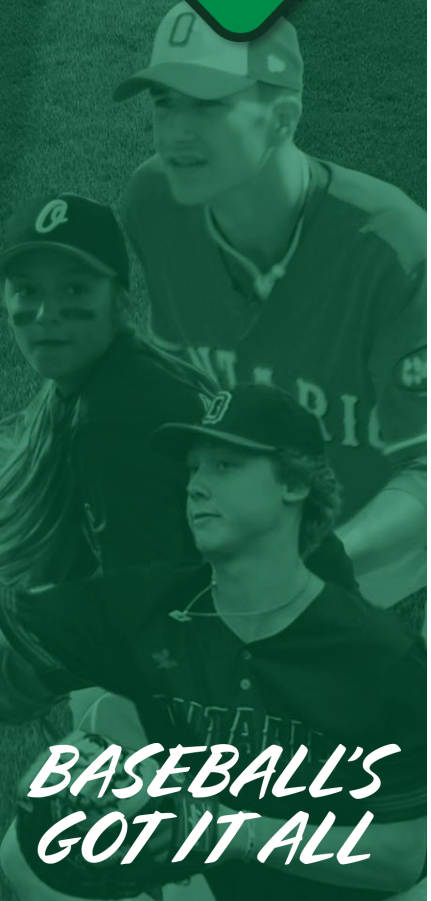
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RP5.2

In RP5.2 n., **delete** iv. and **replace with** the following:

- iv. if more than 1 team is eligible for the bye, the bye team will be determined by means of the tie breaking rules set forth in RP7.3 a., with RP7.3 a. vii. being a draw if more than 2 teams are eligible.



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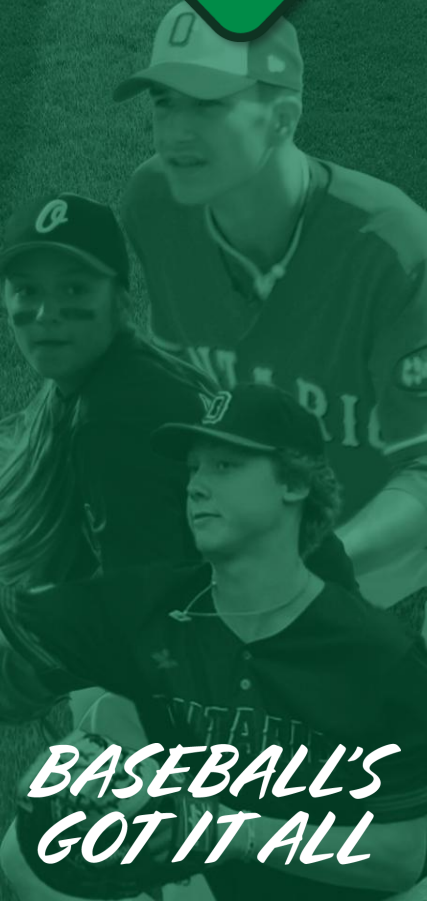
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Rep Council 8



RP6 NATIONAL QUALIFIER TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES

In RP6 g., **delete** “written permission from the team’s Affiliated Association”.



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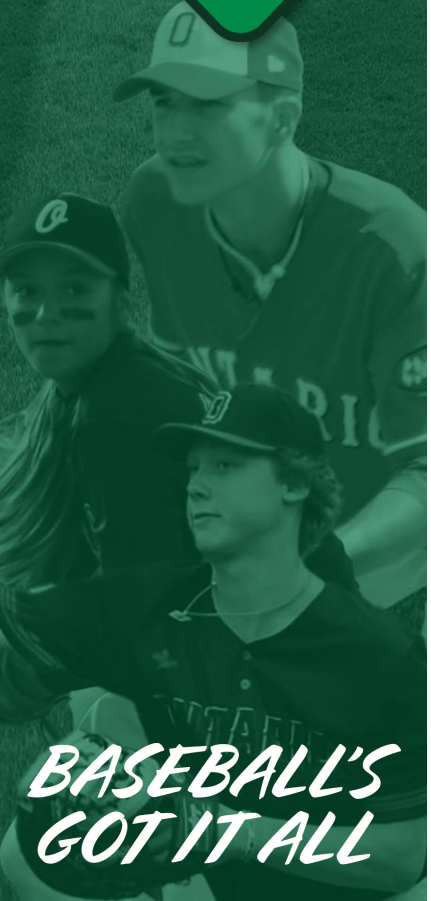
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Rep Council 9



RP6 NATIONAL QUALIFIER TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES

In RP6, delete all references to “June 15th” and replace with “June 1st”



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REP RULES

Rep Council 10



RP6 NATIONAL QUALIFIER TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES

In RP6 g., **delete** “Applications to enter a Rep National Qualifier Tournaments received after June 1st but prior to the draw being held for the tournament” and **replace with** “Applications to enter a Rep National Qualifier Tournament received after June 1st but prior to 9:00 am on the day of the draw being held for the tournament”.

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REP RULES

Rep Council 11



RP6 NATIONAL QUALIFIER TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES

In RP6 k., **delete** iv. and **replace with** the following:

- iv. if more than 1 team is eligible for the bye, the bye team will be determined by means of the tie breaking rules set forth in RP7.3 a., with RP7.3 a. vii. being a draw if more than 2 teams are eligible.

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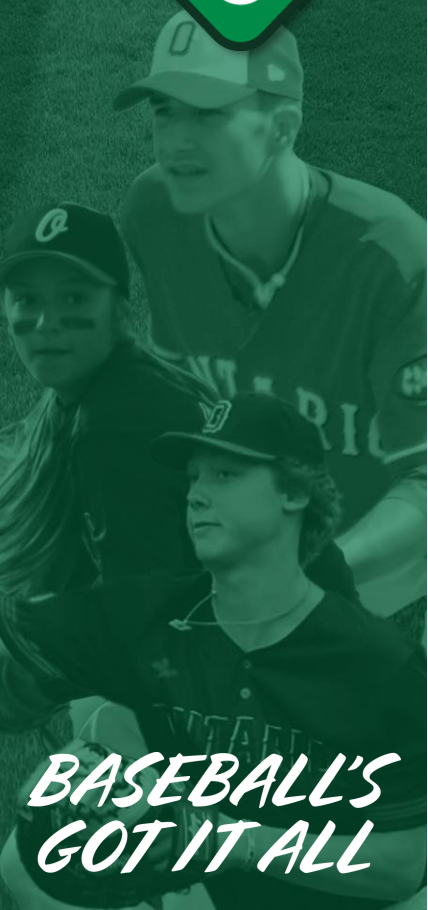
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SENIOR AAA ADVISORY COMMITTEE 5



RP6 NATIONAL QUALIFIER TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES

In RP6 s., delete “At the 22U Rep National Qualifier Tournament” and replace with “At the 22U and Senior Rep National Qualifier Tournaments”.



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REP RULES

SPBA 1



16-TEAM DOUBLE KNOCK-OUT FORMAT

Delete the current wording for Round 5 and **replace with** the following:

ROUND 5 – Losers of games 23, 24 and 25 have been eliminated. W26 receives the bye. Match remaining 4 teams, avoiding previous match-ups where possible. Where avoiding previous match-ups is not possible, a draw shall be held to determine pairings.

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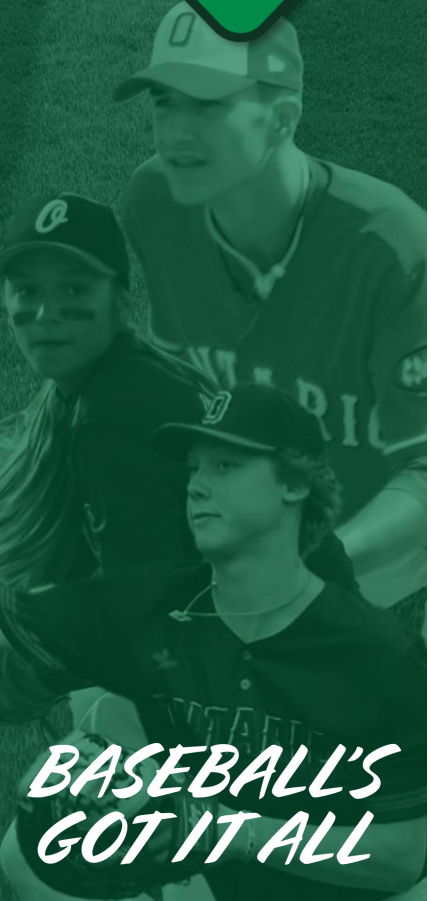
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ICBA 4



Add the following:

In the event the tournament concludes with an undefeated team and there are two available spots for Ontario teams at Nationals, the losers of Round 6 and Round 7 should play a one-game elimination game during the timeslot in the schedule allocated to the 'if necessary' game, to determine which team will represent Ontario at Nationals.



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