

# **BANTAM RULES**

- Distance to pitchers mound is 40 feet.
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- Distance between bases is 60 feet
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- Games start at 6:30pm sharp, make sure your team is warmed up and ready to play.
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- Home team is responsible to provide scorekeeper
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- All games are 5 innings and no new inning will begin after 8pm
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- Maximum of 7 runs per inning
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- There is unlimited substitutions
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- Batting helmets must be worn while batting, running bases and warming up in on deck circle
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- Stealing bases – Players may advance only after ball has left the pitchers hand.
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- If catcher drops 3<sup>rd</sup> strike batter can run if there is 2 out or 1<sup>st</sup> base is not occupied.
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- Absolutely NO sunflower seeds on the diamonds or in the dugouts.
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- **REMEMBER: WE WANT ALL PLAYERS TO HAVE FUN AND LEARN TO PLAY THE GAME.**