

San Ramon Valley Little League

## **Pool Players**

<u>Player Pool</u>. A pool of Players may be created for the Majors and AAA Divisions with Players willing to participate in extra games during the regular season for a team that would otherwise only have eight (8) Players at the start of the game. (Players may not otherwise be "borrowed" from an opponent.)

<u>Player Agent Responsibility</u>. The Player Agent will create and run the pool, assigning Players on a rotating basis to teams that are short one (1) Player. The Player Agent shall maintain the list of pool Players throughout the season and provide access to all Managers. The list will be ordered based on when a pool Player has requested to be placed on the list. Once a pool Player is utilized in a game that Player's name shall be placed at the bottom of the list.

<u>Contacting Pool Players</u>. Managers who desire to use a pool Player must contact the first Player shown on the list. If that Player is unable or unwilling to play, the Manager shall then contact the next Player on the list. **Managers may not randomly pick and choose Players from the pool.** 

<u>Playing Rules</u>. Pool Players must (i) bat at the bottom of the lineup, (ii) not pitch or play catcher, (iii) play at least nine (9) consecutive defensive outs, (iv) bat at least once and (v) wear their regular season uniform (including hat).

<u>Reporting</u>. After a pool Player has been used in a game, the Manager shall report to the Player Agent (i) the pool Players the Manager contacted and (ii) if applicable, why a pool Player in the rotation was not used.

<u>Pool List Updates</u>. The Player Agent shall update the pool list throughout the season noting when a pool Player was used in a game so that Managers will know which Player is next in the rotation.