

City of Wichita
DEPARTMENT OF PARK AND RECREATION
Recreation Division

2016 TEE BALL RULES AND REGULATIONS
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1. The children must be four, five or six years old, having reached their fourth birthday on or before May 1, and must not reach seven before August 1.
2. Free substitution is allowed. The batting order will consist of all players on the roster.
3. An inning will be limited to 6 runs or 3 outs, whichever occurs first.
4. All players must play defense in at least half of the game.
5. No metal cleats or spiked shoes are permitted.
6. A safety ball will be used.
7. Batters are out after fourth strike.
8. Base runners may not leave their bases until the ball is hit off the tee.
9. There is no infield fly rule.
10. In case of rain, 3 innings will constitute a full game.
11. In case of rain before a game, call 219-9777. Announcements will be made by 4:00 p.m. Take nothing for granted. If no announcements are made, games will be played as scheduled.
12. Base runners may not steal home or advance to home on a passed ball.
13. Pitching Circle – Shall be 10 feet in diameter with the front edge at 40 feet from the back point of home plate. A defensive player listed as pitcher cannot leave the pitching circle until the ball is hit.
14. The ball is dead and base runners cannot advance when the ball is returned to the pitcher.
15. No new inning will start after 50 minutes.
16. Forfeited games will be played in order to give the players present an opportunity to play.
17. Having fun and showing good sportsmanship will be stressed at all times.