



2020 Hitting League Rules

Thank you for participating in the hitting league.

Listed below are the league rules.

1. Each team should consist of 6 players. More than 6 reduces the number of reps each player gets and defeats the purpose of the league. You may play with less than 6, however the total team fee will still be \$270 (or \$45 per player if there are 6 players on a team). Each team should consist of at least one pitcher and one catcher. You may use a substitute for a week if you have a registered player who can not attend.
2. We will have 10U, 12U, 14U, and HS age brackets.
3. The schedule will be published and can be found on our website by clicking on “Tournaments & Leagues”, then “Hitting League”. From the League home page, select your age bracket and there is a schedule link posted. <https://nwoladyirish.com/hitting-league>
4. Reminder, the location is at the Maumee Soccer Center located at the Maumee Sports Mall. 1620 Market Place Dr., Maumee, OH 43537.

GAME PLAY

1. There is netting surrounding the entire field. The netting will be marked with sections for singles, doubles, triples, and home runs.
2. Any ball NOT hitting the net in a marked location will be considered an out. Ground balls are an out. Balls hitting the ceiling net over fair territory are considered an out.
3. Slappers will have one special zone for scoring. All the other marked zones are still point-scoring zones for slap hitters.
4. Points are scored for each legal hit based on where the ball strikes the net. Team with the most points at the end of the game wins.
 - 4.1. Single = 1 point
 - 4.2. Double = 2 points
 - 4.3. Triple = 3 points
 - 4.4. Home Run = 5 points
5. Games are 30 minutes long, or 3 innings.
6. There are no walks. Each hitter will get 3 strikes or one hit ball in fair play. Foul balls count as strikes.
7. Coaches/Managers from each team should work closely together to validate points scored after each hit. Both teams must report the score of the game at the end of the game. Text the game score to (567) 408-4612. (Example: Blasters 7, Bombers 5).
8. Umpires will call balls and strikes and as well as rule on any hit ball in question between the two teams.

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