



## **NORTH RYDE R.S.L. YOUTH CLUB** **BASEBALL SECTION**

<http://www.nrrsljunior.baseball.com.au/>

This is a Parent / Volunteer run club ☺ Season 2021/22 we are fortunate to have most Coaching + Manager roles filled – but the Club has a small number of Committee roles still to fill so please chat to Jonathon or Chris

### **Key Dates**

#### **When does the season start/finish?**

The 1<sup>st</sup> round of the season (except Hawk Ball) is - 3 & 4 December 2021

The last round before the Christmas break is 17 & 18 December 2021

The first round after the Christmas break is 21 & 22 January 2022

The last round of the season<sup>#</sup> is 11 & 12 March 2022.

**Grand Final Day + Club Presentation Day** is Saturday 19 March.

<sup>#</sup> This season 2021/22 there is ONLY Grand Finals for the top 2 teams.

**Try Baseball Day @ NRRSL Oval: Sunday 14 November 9am – 11am**

**Grading Day(s) MAJORS - Pioneer Park - Saturday 30 October Time TBA II Senior League Div 1 @ North Ryde RSL Oval 9 AM Sunday 7 November**

**Note: Grading is compulsory for Div 1 Teams LL Major (U12), LL Junior League (U14) (PLAYERS MUST BE REGISTERED TO GRADE)**

### **FAQ's 2021/2022**

#### **Game Times + how long do they last?**

**Division 1 Teams Play Friday nights - LL Major(U12), Junior(U14) and Senior (U16)**

**ALL other Grades** are played on Saturday morning, start times may vary but the game length is as follows:

<b>Hawk Ball (U7)</b>	8.00am – 45 minutes	<b>LL T-Ball 8 – 9.45am – 1 Hour</b>
<b>LL Machine Pitch (Zooka) (U9/U10)</b>		9.00 or 11.00am – 1 hour 15 minutes
<b>LL Minor Rookie Live (U11)</b>		9.00 or 11.00am – 1 hour 30 minutes
<b>Div 2 and below play Saturday LL Major/Minor Live (U12) –</b>		9.00 or 11.00am – 1 hour 30 minutes
<b>LL Junior (U14)</b>		8.30am or 11.00am – 1 hour 45 minutes
<b>LL Senior (U16) and LL Big (U19)</b>		8.30am or 11.00am – 2 Hours

#### **When is TRAINING?**

The coaches determine training times, subject to their availability. Teams train at Magdala or NR RSL Youth Club oval on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday usually between 4pm & 6pm.

**UNIFORM – will be issued @ first Official Training Via Team Manager - What must be worn?**

For **Hawk Ball (U7) to LL Minor (Machine Pitch) (U10)** the club supplies the top and pants.

**LL Minor Rookie Live (U11 and up)** the club provides a top, you will need to purchase white baseball pants with blue belt. All players are required to purchase a club hat and blue baseball socks.

**Does my child need special shoes?** Children can play in sneakers/runners/joggers/soccer boots for T-Ball but LL Minor and above **are required to wear soccer boots or non-metal cleats**. Soccer boots are OK until U11, older players are advised to seek baseball shoes from Red Stiches @ Thornleigh (consult your coach).

**Should my child wear a protector or mouth guard?** This is a personal choice; there is always a risk that a player may be struck by a batted or thrown ball. **The club requires ALL children playing in LL Minor and up to wear protectors.**

**Does the club provide a child-minding service?** NO! We are not a child-minding service. The club expects at least 4 families per team to **Coach, Manage, Score + volunteer for Canteen**. Parents (U10 down) please be present for all your child's training sessions and games - chat to the Coach / jump on a training station and learn the game.

**Who should I talk to if I have a question?** The first point of contact should always be the team coach or manager.

**How can I find out more information on the Club?**

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