

## Ladera Ranch Little League Umpire Program

**Manager Accountability** – Each manager from Single A on up is responsible for having 2 parents sign up to umpire. The 2 parents, plus the Manager and his 2 Assistant Coaches must attend a Mandatory Rules clinic and a Mandatory Umpire Mechanics clinic.

**Team Umpire Guidelines** – The following guidelines are what each Team in each division will be responsible for: (If each of these is not met the MANAGER for the team will be asked to attend a Board meeting to have his team's lack of support reviewed by the Board of Directors. The Board of Directors, in its discretion will then determine the proper course of action to take which may include, but is not to be limited to, suspending the team manager until the team complies).

### A

- Each team is responsible for having their 2 umpires, 2 coaches, and manager attend the 2 rules and mechanic's clinics listed above. Those teams that fail to comply will be asked to have the Manager attend a Board meeting to have his team's lack of support reviewed in front of the Board of Directors.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **9** Umpire Points from a game other than their teams. (Double A or higher)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **9** Umpire Points from a game other than their teams. (Double A or higher)

### AA

- Each team is responsible for having their 2 umpires, 2 coaches, and manager attend the 2 rules and mechanic's clinics listed above. Those teams that fail to comply will be asked to have the Manager attend a Board meeting to have his team's lack of support reviewed in front of the Board of Directors.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **15** Umpire Points from a game other than their teams. (Double A or higher)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **15** Umpire Points from a game other than their teams. (Double A or higher)

### AAA / Majors / Juniors / Seniors

- Each team is responsible for having their 2 umpires, 2 coaches, and manager attend the 2 rules and mechanic's clinics listed above. Those teams that fail to comply will be asked to have the Manager attend a Board meeting to have his team's lack of support reviewed in front of the Board of Directors.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **35** Umpire Points (Double A or higher)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Half – Each Team must have at least **35** Umpire Points (Double A or higher)

**Umpire Point System** – To recognize the efforts of our volunteer umpires, a point system has been developed. The point system is below:

- Seniors/Juniors Plate (6 points); Seniors/Juniors Base (5 )
- Majors or AAA Plate (5); Majors or AAA Base (4)
- AA Plate (4) or AA Base (3)
- A Plate (3) or A Base (2) **THIS IS FOR OUR JR. UMPIRES ONLY**