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Baseball BC – 15U AAA Provincial Championship

Qualification Format & Draws

The following 17 teams have entered the 15U AAA Provincial Championship:

PBL (12)

Abbotsford Cardinals
North Island Royals
North Shore Twins
Victoria Eagles
Victoria Mariners
Whalley Chiefs
Langley Blaze Black
Langley Blaze Blue
White Rock Tritons
Okanagan Athletics
Mid Island Pirates
Coquitlam Reds

BC Minor (5)

Delta Tigers
Vancouver Community Mounties
Westcoast Cardinals
Cloverdale Spurs
Chilliwack Cougars

Allocation of Berths (10)

North Island Royals	1 berth
PBL – League	5 berths
PBL – Qualification Tournament	1 1/2 berths
BC Minor – Qualification Tournament	2 1/2 berths



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Qualification Format by League

Premier Baseball League

- The top 5 PBL teams, based on league standings, will qualify. If North Island (host) finishes in the top 5 then the 6th place team also qualifies.
- The remaining 6 teams will play in a PBL Qualification Tournament, July 27-30. North Island is not included in the Wild Card even if they finish in the bottom 7 as they have already qualified. The winner of the PBL Qualification Tournament qualifies for Provincials. The runner-up will play a single game playoff, against the 3rd place team from BC Minor's Qualification Tournament, to determine the last berth. This game will be played on Tuesday August 1st at a neutral location. See further details below.
- The PBL is responsible for administering their league and resolving any disputes over games played and final league standings.
- The draw and schedule for the Qualification Tournament can be found below.
- The Qualification Tournament will be administered by Baseball BC and will be played under Baseball Canada/Baseball BC rules. The location will be announced in late May.

BC Minor Baseball

- The five BC Minor teams will play in a Qualification Tournament, hosted by the Delta Tigers, from July 14-16 at Winskill Park in Tsawwassen. The 1st and 2nd place teams in the Qualification Tournament will qualify for provincials. The third place team will play a single game playoff on Tuesday August 1st, against the runner-up from the PBL Qualification Tournament, to determine the last berth.
- The Qualification Tournament will be administered by Baseball BC and will be played under Baseball Canada/Baseball BC rules.
- The draw and schedule for the Qualification Tournament can be found below.



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Provincial Championship Seeding

The 7 or 8 PBL teams who qualify will be seeded based on their final league standings. Based on this system, it is possible that the single game playoff winner could be seeded higher than the Wild Card Tournament winner. Once the 7 or 8 PBL teams are seeded, Baseball BC will insert the 2 or 3 BC Minor teams into the list of seeds. The PBL teams will then be repositioned accordingly. Again, it is possible for the BC Minor team who wins the single game playoff to be seeded above a BC Minor team who won the Qualification Tournament as Baseball BC will consider the overall strength of BC Minor teams when inserting them into the seed list not just Qualifier results.

Seeds 1, 4, 5, 8, and 9 will be placed in Provincial Group A.

Seeds 2, 3, 6, 7, and 10 will be placed in Provincial Group B.

Potential Conflict for BC Minor Teams

As outlined in the Baseball BC Provincial Championships Information Package, there is a potential conflict for BC Minor teams. The winner of the BC Minor Provincial, which concludes Sunday July 30th, would not be able to attend Baseball BC's Provincial Championship due to a conflict with their Post-Provincial tournament in New Jersey. They leave for New Jersey before the Baseball BC Provincial has finished. This withdrawal has been approved by Baseball BC and the BC Minor team will be refunded their full performance bond and \$200 from their entry fee (they still played games in their Qualification tournament so the entire fee is not refunded).

If one of the two BC Minor teams who qualified through the Qualification Tournament has to withdrawal then the single game playoff between the 3rd Place BC Minor team and the 2nd Place PBL team is cancelled and both teams qualify.

If the 3rd place BC Minor team has to withdrawal, then the single game playoff is cancelled and the 2nd Place PBL team qualifies.



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Single Game Playoff

The single game playoff will be scheduled at a neutral location on Tuesday August 1st.

If the game is between two mainland teams it will be scheduled at a TBD mainland location at 5PM (unless the park has lights).

Because all five BC Minor teams are from the mainland we know that there will be at least one mainland team in the single game playoff. If the PBL representative is from the island or interior, the location of the game will be determined by the location of the PBL Wild Card Tournament. If the PBL Wild Card Tournament is hosted on the mainland, the island or interior will host the single game playoff. If the PBL Wild Card Tournament is hosted by an island or interior team, then the single game playoff is played on the mainland.

If the game is between an island and interior team, it will be played in the afternoon at a mainland location.

The single game playoff will be played under Baseball Canada/Baseball BC rules. It will be administered by Baseball BC.

Teams should be aware that pitching records will carry-over from the previous weekend's Wild Card Tournament and BC Minor Provincial. Pitchers will need to be eligible under Baseball Canada pitching rules in order to pitch Tuesday night.



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Baseball BC – 15U AAA Provincial Qualification Tournament

BC Minor Section

Teams Entered

Vancouver Community Mounties

Westcoast Cardinals

Cloverdale Spurs

Chilliwack Cougars

Delta Tigers

Qualification

The top two teams will qualify for the Provincial Championship. The third place team will play a single game playoff against the second place team from the PBL Wild Card Tournament. See further details in the 15U AAA Provincial Championships document.

Format

Single round robin with each team playing one game against each opponent for a total of four games. A playoff round will only be played to break ties for qualification positions. See the eight different standing scenarios and the associated tiebreaker format attached. The A, B, C, D, E, designations will be determined by a draw.

Schedule

Thursday July 13

11:00 A @ B

2:00 C @ D

5:00 E @ A

Friday July 14

9:00 B @ C

11:45 D @ E

2:30 A @ C

5:45 B @ D

Saturday July 15

10:00 C @ E

1:00 D @ A

4:00 E @ B



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Sunday July 16

10:00 Tiebreaker (if required)
2:00 Tiebreaker (if required)
4:00 Tiebreaker (if required)

Appendix A – Tiebreaker Scenarios

Standings Scenario #1

4-0 (Qualify)
3-1 (Qualify)
2-2 (Single game playoff)
1-3
0-4

No Sunday games required.

Standings Scenario #2

4-0 (Qualify)
3-1 (Qualify)
1-3
1-3
1-3

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the three teams tied at 2-2. The two lower ranked teams will play a tiebreaker game at 10:00. The loser is eliminated. The winner advances to play the higher ranked team at 2:00. The winner of that game qualifies for the single game playoff.

10:00 3rd ranked @ 2nd ranked
2:00 Winner of 10:00 @ 1st ranked



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Standings Scenario #3 & 4

4-0 (Qualify)

2-2

2-2

2-2

0-4

3-1 (Qualify)

2-2

2-2

2-2

1-3

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the three teams tied at 1-3. The two lower ranked teams will play a tiebreaker game at 10:00. The loser is eliminated. The winner advances to play the higher ranked team at 2:00. The winner of that game qualifies for provincials and the loser qualifies for the single game playoff.

10:00 3rd ranked @ 2nd ranked

2:00 Winner of 10:00 @ 1st ranked (winner qualifies; loser is the standby team)

Standings Scenario #5

3-1

3-1

3-1

1-3

0-4

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the three teams tied at 3-1. The two **higher** ranked teams will play a tiebreaker game at 10:00. The winner of this game qualifies. The loser plays the lower ranked team at 2:00. The winner of that game qualifies. The loser qualifies for the single game playoff.

10:00 2nd ranked team @ 1st ranked team (Winner qualifies)

2:00 3rd ranked team @ Loser of 10:00 (Winner qualifies; loser to playoff)



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Standings Scenario #6

3-1 (Qualify)
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2-2 (Single Game Playoff)
1-3
1-3

No tiebreaker games are require because there is no need to break the tie for first and second places as both teams qualify.

Standings Scenario #7

3-1 (Qualify)
3-1 (Qualify)
2-2
2-2
0-4

The two teams tied at 2-2 play a tiebreaker game. The winner qualifies for the single game playoff.

10:00 2nd ranked team @ 1st ranked team (Winner to playoff)

Standings Scenario #8

2-2
2-2
2-2
2-2
2-2

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the teams 1 to 5. The 1st ranked team qualifies for provincials. The 5th ranked team plays the 2nd ranked team at 10:00. The 4th ranked team plays the 3rd ranked team at 12:45. The losers of the 10:00 and 12:45 games are eliminated. The winners play at 4:00. The winner of the 4:00 game qualifies for provincials and the loser plays in the single game playoff.

10:00 5th ranked team @ 2nd ranked team
12:45 4th ranked team @ 3rd ranked team
4:00 Winner of 10:00 vs Winner of 12:45 (Winner qualifies; loser to playoff)



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PBL Section

Teams Entered

The six PBL teams who do not qualify for Provincials through league play.

Qualification

The winner will qualify for the Provincial Championship. The second place team will play a single game playoff against the third place team from the BC Minor Qualification Tournament. See further details in the 15U AAA Provincial Championships document.

Format

Single round robin with each team playing one game against each opponent for a total of five games. A playoff round will only be played to break ties for first or second place. See the different standing scenarios and the associated tiebreaker format attached. Teams will be seeded based on their final PBL standings. The top three seeds have an extra home game. Placement of DHs is based on seeding.

Schedule

Thursday July 27

8:00	Seed #1 @ Seed #6
10:30	Seed #4 @ Seed #3
1:00	Seed #5 @ Seed #2
3:30	Seed #3 @ Seed #1
6:00	Seed #2 @ Seed #4

Friday July 28

8:00	Seed #6 @ Seed #5
10:30	Seed #1 @ Seed #4
1:00	Seed #6 @ Seed #2
3:30	Seed #5 @ Seed #3
6:00	Seed #2 @ Seed #1



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Saturday July 29

8:00	Seed #4 @ Seed #5
10:30	Seed #6 @ Seed #3
1:00	Seed #5 @ Seed #1
3:30	Seed #3 @ Seed #2
6:00	Seed #4 @ Seed #6

Sunday July 30

Playoff round (if necessary)

Note: Game times will be moved back by one hour if the park has lights.



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Tiebreaker/Playoff Round Scenarios

Scenario #1 – No ties

In any standings scenario where there is a clear first and second place team without ties, the tournament is over and there are no Sunday games.

Example

1) 5-0

2) 4-1

All other teams with 2+ loses.

Scenario #2 – Tie for second

If there is a clear first place team and 2 or more teams tied for second place, tiebreaker games will be played between the tied teams.

Example

1) 5-0

2) 3-2

3) 3-2

A) 2 way tie. The two teams will play a tiebreaker at 10:00 with the winner declared second place.

B) 3 way tie. The three teams will be ranked using the tiebreaking rules. The lower ranked teams will play a tiebreaker game at 10:00, with the winner advancing to play the higher ranked team at 1:30. Winner of 1:30 declared second place.

C) 4 way tie. The four teams will be ranked using the tiebreaking rules and will play as follows: 10:00 1 vs 4; 12:45 2 vs 3; 4:00 winners. The winner of the 4:00 game is declared second place.

D) 5 way tie. The 5th ranked team is eliminated and the 4 way tiebreaker is used.



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Scenario #3 – Tie for first

A) 2 way tie. The two teams will play a tiebreaker at 10:00 with the winner declared first and the loser second.

B) 3 way tie. The three teams will be ranked using the tiebreaking rules. The lower ranked teams will play a tiebreaker game at 10:00, with the winner advancing to play the higher ranked team at 1:30. Winner of 1:30 is first place; loser is second.

C) 4 way tie. The four teams will be ranked using the tiebreaking rules and will play as follows:

10:00 1 vs 4;

12:45 2 vs 3;

4:00 – Winner of 10:00 vs Winner of 12:45 (Winner 1st; loser 2nd)

D) 5 way tie. The 5th ranked team is eliminated and the 4 way tiebreaker is used.



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Group A	Group B
A1 – Seed #1	B1 – Seed #2
A2 – Seed #4	B2 – Seed #3
A3 – Seed #5	B3 – Seed #6
A4 – Seed #8	B4 – Seed #7
A5 – Seed #9	B5 – Seed #10

Friday August 4th

10:00	Rotary	A3 @ A1
10:00	Inouye-Wallace	B3 @ B1
1:00	Rotary	A4 @ A2
1:00	Inouye-Wallace	B4 @ B2
4:00	Rotary	A1 @ A5
4:00	Inouye-Wallace	B1 @ B5

Evening available for Opening Ceremonies, derby, event, etc.

Saturday August 5th

9:00	Rotary	A2 @ A3
9:00	Inouye-Wallace	B2 @ B3
11:45	Rotary	A5 @ A4
11:45	Inouye-Wallace	B5 @ B4
2:30	Rotary	B2 @ B1
2:30	Inouye-Wallace	A2 @ A1
5:15	Rotary	B4 @ B3
5:15	Inouye-Wallace	A4 @ A3



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Sunday August 6th

9:00	Rotary	B5 @ B2
9:00	Inouye-Wallace	A5 @ A2
11:45	Rotary	B1 @ B4
11:45	Inouye-Wallace	A1 @ A4
2:30	Rotary	B3 @ B5
2:30	Inouye-Wallace	A3 @ A5
5:15	Rotary	Tiebreaker Game Group A
5:15	Inouye-Wallace	Tiebreaker Game Group B

Note: If there is only one tiebreaker game it will be played on Inouye-Wallace.

Note: If A5 or B5 play in a tiebreaker, the game will be moved to Monday so they are not forced to play three games on Sunday.

Monday August 6th

10:00	Rotary	2 nd Place Group A @ 1 st Place Group B
10:00	Inouye-Wallace	2 nd Place Group B @ 1 st Place Group A
2:00	Inouye-Wallace	Championship Final

If a tiebreaker game(s) has to be moved to Monday the schedule will be revised as follows:

9:00	Rotary	Tiebreaker
9:00	Inouye-Wallace	Tiebreaker
12:30	Rotary	2 nd Place Group A @ 1 st Place Group B
12:30	Inouye-Wallace	2 nd Place Group B @ 1 st Place Group A
4:00	Inouye-Wallace	Championship Final

Note: See Appendix A for all tiebreaker scenarios.



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Standings Scenario #1

4-0 (Advance)
3-1 (Advance)
2-2
1-3
0-4

No tiebreakers games required.

Standings Scenario #2

4-0 (Advance)
3-1 (Advance)
1-3
1-3
1-3

No tiebreaker games required.

Standings Scenario #3 & 4

4-0 (Advance)
2-2
2-2
2-2
0-4

3-1 (Advance)
2-2
2-2
2-2
1-3

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the three teams tied at 2-2. The lowest ranked team is eliminated. The two higher ranked teams play a tiebreaker game.



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Standings Scenario #5

3-1
3-1
3-1
1-3
0-4

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the three teams tied at 3-1. The highest ranked team advances as group winner. The two lower ranked teams play a tiebreaker game.

Standings Scenario #6

3-1 (Advance)
3-1 (Advance)
2-2
1-3
1-3

Group winner is determined by head to head result. No tiebreaker games required.

Standings Scenario #7

3-1 (Advance)
3-1 (Advance)
2-2
2-2
0-4

Group winner is determined by head to head result. No tiebreaker games required.

Standings Scenario #8

2-2
2-2
2-2
2-2
2-2

The tiebreaker rules will be used to rank the teams 1 to 5. The lowest ranked team is eliminated. The first ranked team will play a tiebreaker game against the fourth ranked team. The second ranked team will play a tiebreaker game against the third ranked team. The winners advance to the semi-finals. Group winner and runner-up is determined by the result of the head to head game between the advancing teams.