

Liberty Hill Youth League Baseball Age Division Construct and Eligibility Requirements

1. To be eligible to play in the Liberty Hill Youth League, you must:
 - a. Be the age listed on the age chart for the season you are playing.
 - b. Have a completed registration application prior to the application suspense.
 - c. Have paid the registration fee in full, or have received financial hardship approval from the Board.
 - i. Requests for hardship must be submitted no less than 5 business days prior to the end of registration.
 - ii. If approved for financial hardship, you must sign and fulfill a work detail or payment agreement.
 - iii. If payment or a letter of financial hardship is not received prior to the end of registration, you will not be drafted or eligible to participate in the League.
2. Players may only register for a single age division.
3. The age chart for spring baseball is based on your age as of April 30th of the current spring season. For fall baseball, the age chart is based on your age as of April 30th in the next spring season.

Spring Season Age Chart		
Division	Age	Birth date
LHYL 4u Division	4 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
LHYL 6U Division	6 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
LHYL 8U Division	8 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
LHYL 10U Division	10 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
LHYL 12U Division	12 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
LHYL 14U Division	14 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the current spring season
Fall Season Age Chart		
LHYL 4u Division	4 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season
LHYL 6U Division	6 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season
LHYL 8U Division	8 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season
LHYL 10U Division	10 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season
LHYL 12U Division	12 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season
LHYL 14U Division	14 and under players	Age as of April 30 in the upcoming spring season

4. Players are not allowed to play down an age level at any time.
 - a. If a parent or coach wishes to appeal this rule, they must notify the Commissioners involved and the Vice President Baseball at least 5 business days prior to the end of registration.

- b. The Vice President of Baseball will convene a committee to review the request and notify the parent/coach of the decision no less than one business day prior to the end of registration.
 - c. This decision is final and may not be appealed.
5. Players may be allowed to play up an age level, but only by exception.
- a. Players will not be allowed to skip a division. Players will only be allowed to play up if they have already completed a season in the division they would otherwise be aged for.
 - b. Approval must be obtained from the Commissioners of both divisions involved and the VP of Baseball prior to completing registration.
 - c. The committee that reviews any requests to play up an age division will consider space available and give priority to players registered for their appropriate age division before letting any players play up an age division.
 - d. Requests to play up an age level must be communicated to the higher level Commissioner no later than 5 business days prior to the end of registration.
 - e. The VP of Baseball will convene a committee to review the request and notify the parent/coach of the decision no less than one business day prior to the end of registration.
 - f. This decision is final and may not be appealed.
 - g. Players that are requesting to play up must attend assessments for the division they are trying to play up into in order to play in the Division deemed more “competitive”.
 - h. Players that receive approval to “play up” in the “recreational divisions” may be protected.
 - i. This requirement may be waived for 12U and 14U divisions with Commissioner endorsement and VP of Baseball approval. Approvals may not be delegated below the VP of Baseball.