

Arizona Men's Senior Baseball League Amended Rules - 60 Division

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Rule 4. AGE REQUIREMENTS:

d). 60 years or older during the calendar year to participate in the 60 and over division unless the player has been granted a specific exemption. Each team participating in this division has the option to have two players aged 58 and/or 59 on the roster at the start of the season, these players are **eligible** to pitch and/or catch. There is one 60 and over division, the National Division.

Rule 9. BATTING LINE-UP

9.3 Any batted ball touched by an outfielder will result in the batter not being liable to be put out until the batter touches first base. The intention of this rule is keeping batters from being thrown out at first base by an outfielder. Other runners can still be forced out at other bases. Once the batter touches first base he/she is liable to be put out if they turn to the inside of the foul line.

9.4 There will be a limit of 5 runs per inning allowed or as many as needed to score 5 runs beyond your opponent. If a ball leaves the field of play via home run all runs will count in any inning.

9.5 Straight stealing of bases is not allowed so long as the pitcher pitches from the stretch position.

9.5.a If a pitcher pitches from the wind-up stealing is allowed. Pitchers must pitch from the stretch if the no stealing is to be enforced.

9.5.b If there is a pick-off attempt stealing is allowed and runner may advance 1 base.

9.5.c If the ball goes outside of the 8-ft. circle at home plate, runners may advance 1 base.

9.5.d If the throwback to the pitcher from the catcher is mishandled and leaves the pitching mound the runner may advance 1 base.

9.5.e If a runner attempts to steal a base thinking the ball left the 8-ft. circle around home plate but in fact it did not, he/she must return to the previous base, while the play is live, and risks being tagged out. The runner that attempted to steal is only safe after returning to the base they came from.