

## **Ottawa County Youth Baseball Tournament Pitching Rules**

A pitcher may pitch in 2 consecutive games, but must sit out the 3rd game. See age group for outs per game and game combination. Also please note tournament rule maximum number of outs per tournament. A player will not be penalized in the case of a double or triple play.

- a. 9 & 10 Max 18 outs in 2 consecutive games. Max 45 outs in one weekend tournament.
- b. 11 & 12 Max 18 outs in 2 consecutive games. Max 45 outs in one weekend tournament.

Examples:

- a. Pitcher may pitch all of the out combination in one game, sit out one game and pitch the out combination in next game or next 2 games.
  - b. Pitcher pitches 3 outs in game one and 7 outs in game 2. He would have to sit out game three even though he had outs remaining, because he would not have consecutive games remaining.
- Please Keep accurate records to avoid forfeit of games due to pitching violations. Record pitchers and outs for each game. Verify with the umpire the outs he has recorded for your game, as his record is the official pitching record.