# **JUNIOR PLAYERS FAQ 2025-2026 SEASON**

Welcome to the Williamstown Wolves Baseball Club. Here are some frequently asked questions and answers.

#### When does the Summer season start and end?

- Season commences mid October 2025
- Season ends late Feb/early Mar 2026 depending on finals eligibility

# Are their games over Christmas break?

- Last game in Dec is usually mid Dec
- Games re start mid-late Jan depending on which team your child plays for

# What are the age groups for teams?

COMPETITION	AGE GROUP	TRAINING	GAME DAYS/TIMES
Rookie/Tee Ball	4-7 years	Tues 4.45 -5.30pm	
Little League Minor	7-11years	Tues 5-6pm	Friday 6-7.30pm
Little League Major	9-12 years	Tues 5-6pm	Sunday 11.05-1.05pm
Senior League 70	12-14 years	Tues 5-6pm	Sunday 11.05-1.05pm
Senior League 80	12-15 years	Tues & Thur 5-6pm	Sunday 8.45-10.45am
Senior League 90	13-16 years	Tues & Thur 5-6pm	Sunday 8.45-10.45am
Big League	14 – 19 years	Tues & Thur 5-6pm	Saturday9-11am

<u>Please note: a player must be under the relevant age on 31 August of the year in which the competition commences. Children may play up but cannot play down a level.</u>

### What uniform and gear is required?

• Please see our dedicated page for uniform and equipment requirements

#### What is the difference between Little league Minor & Little League Major Competition?

- Little League Minor teams play in a locally organized competition with modified rules and all teams play in the Finals series
- Little League Major teams compete in a formal structured competition run by BV with an official ladder and finals series.

### Where are games played over the Summer season?

T-Ball/Rookie Ball	Weekly training with 1 to 2 gala days held against other		
	clubs in the Western Suburbs		
Little League Minor	Fairly Local – Newport, Footscray, Werribee, Sunshine		
Little League Major	Some fairly local with some need to travel a little further		
Senior League 70,80 & 90	Some fairly local with some need to travel a little further		
Big League	Some fairly local with some need to travel a little further		



### How are game fixtures, training details, etc communicated?

- We use Whatsapp to communicate details for each team.
- Emails can also be used but primarily Whatsapp
- For club news and general info, follow our Facebook (Williamstown Wolves Baseball Club) and Instagram (willy\_wolves) pages
- Once your child is registered and allocated to a Team, we will provide you with information re joining the relevant Whatsapp group

# What commitment is required of parents?

- We are always on the lookout for parent helpers. We provide training for scoring (we need 1 or 2 scorers per team) and also allocate a Team Manager each team. The Team Manager role is supported by our Junior Coordinator who guides you with this role.
- Home games, we allocate a roster of parents to assist with selling food items in the canteen.
- Support of your child at games and welcome to attend and view training sessions

#### Are there social events for junior players and parents?

- The club holds regular social events during the season and our junior players and their families are always encouraged to attend.
- We have a Presentation evening, exclusively for Juniors shortly after our Summer Season has concluded with all Junior players and families strongly encouraged to attend.

### Can Junior players attend Senior games?

• We encourage all players, both Junior and Senior, to attend any games along with our non-playing Club members. A number of our senior players have played overseas, interstate, for Baseball Victoria, and the Aces. Some of them even coach at Baseball Victoria. Our Senior games are definitely worth watching. We have a large family atmosphere at the games, and we always find that the more, the merrier!

#### Fees

AGE	Baseball Victoria Fee	Club Fee	Total Fee
10-17 years	\$153	\$152	\$305
9 years	\$83	\$152	\$235
7-8 years	\$63	\$55	\$118
Rookie Teeball	\$20	\$50	\$70