

# Fraser Delta Interlock Guidelines

## Overview

The Fraser Delta interlock will schedule and administer regular season and playoff games/standings for 13U A and AA, 15U A, 18U AA divisions.

## Team construction

- 13U A and 15U A teams must be formed through a common drafted and created evenly as possible, see BC Minor rulebook.

## Game days

- 13U A: Wednesday, Friday, Sunday
- 13U AA: Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday  
Getting to/from the North Shore for Tues, Thursday games will be a challenge. North Shore may have lights which would help. We'll explore creative ways to overcome the travel challenges including scheduling Saturday double headers. Double headers could include a neutral site game, i.e. gm1 (NS vs Ladner in Ladner), gm2 (Tsawwassen vs NS in Ladner). We won't be able to avoid NS mid-week games for the play-offs.
- 15U A: will workaroud Bantam AA and AAA schedules. AA typically Tues/Thurs/weekends. AAA typically weekends and Wed.
- 18U AA: based on field availability and requests

## Start times

- Weekdays 5:30 PM in the month of April. 6:00pm starting May 1st.
- Weekends 9:00 AM, 12:00 AM, 2:30 PM, 5:30 PM in the month of April.  
Starting May 1<sup>st</sup> 9:00 AM, 12:00 AM, 3:00 PM, 6:00 PM.
- Start times may vary for those parks that have lights

## Web-site

- The schedule and scores/standings will be maintained and accessible from the North Delta Baseball Assoc web-site, [ndbaseball.com](http://ndbaseball.com)

## Schedule

- The scheduler will provide a form that each association must complete. This form will aid the scheduler in creating the schedule and setting up the web-site. The team's schedules, scores and standings will be hosted on the North Delta Baseball Association web-site.
- The schedule may not be symmetrical.
- Regular season games can be moved if both teams agree.
- Playoff games aren't to be moved.

## Reporting Scores

- Each team will have their own team page on the web site to report game results. Log-in invitations will be sent to coaches once the schedule form is complete. Reporting game results will be the responsibility of the HOME team. However, if after 48hrs no score has been entered, the visiting team may do so.

## Playoffs

- All teams qualify for the playoffs. All teams must participate in the playoffs. No team may blackout any June dates for tournaments. Teams must be available for the playoffs that run for the first couple weeks of June.

- The cut-off date/time for the completion of the regular season games will be communicated to all the teams by the coordinator.
- Regular season standings will be determined by the winning %.
- Tie-breakers will be determined by the 29.01 tie-breaker rules in the BC Minor rulebook.
- The play-off format will typically break each division into 2 tiered pools. A smaller division may not be broken up into 2 pools. Each pool will play in a round robin format with the top two teams playing in a final game. Of the two finalists the team with the best regular season record will be the home team.
- The play-offs are to be complete by Father's Day.

#### **Awards**

- Medallions are awarded to the 1<sup>st</sup> place regular season team.
- Tie-breakers will be determined by the 29.01 tie-breaker rules in the BC Minor rulebook.
- Trophies to be awarded for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in each pool for the playoffs

#### **Fees**

- Each Association will be billed for the cost of the (1) medallions (2) play-off trophies plus a nominal volunteer fee. The volunteer fee will be \$12/team. The volunteer fee will be paid to the North Delta Baseball Assoc as a fundraiser. Cary and Brent are members of the NDBA. The volunteer fee will help compensate the NDBA for the hours Cary and Brent put into the interlock.

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