# Little League® University Live Webinar Series Releasing a Player, Injuries Replacement

# objectives

Review the process of how to replace a player.

Discuss the four different occasions or type of releases.

Explore ways to handle an injured player during the season.



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# replacements

If a team loses any player(s) on the roster during the current season due to illness, injury, change of address, or other justifiable reasons (subject to Board approval), another player shall be obtained through the Player Agent, to replace the one lost

The playing ability of the participant shall not be considered a justifiable reason for replacement





# replacements

- Such replacement must be of such league age as to comply with Regulation III(c), and must be eligible under all sections of Regulation IV
- The team's Manager will make the selection through the Player Agent
- The Board of Directors reviews request and selection
- A league may adopt a local rule prohibiting replacements from the Minor League program onto a Little League (Major) Division team during the last two weeks of the regular season schedule
- Tee Ball and Minor League teams in need of a replacing another player could be transferred within that Division
  - Through the player agent



# player releases

### **Duration of Title**

 Each player acquired shall, for the duration of their Major League (Division) career, be property of the team making the acquisition, unless traded or released

There are four different occasions or types of player releases

 Any time a player is released, written notice must be provided by the league.





# player releases

- He/she moves to another city or state too distant to commute for practice and play;
- He/she is injured and will not be able to return to play within a reasonable period of time (local league board decision);
- He/she for personal reasons decided to terminate their association with the team;
- Any justifiable reason, reviewed and approved by the Board of Directors;



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Join us next week...

When:

April 18, 2019 at 2 P.M. Eastern

**Topic: Playoffs- Local League, Special Games** 

Questions? Thank you!



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