

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1) Q: How do I check what age division my child should play in?

A: *Use the USSSA Age Calculator ([click here](#))*

2) Q: My child is 3 but wanting to play up in 4U/5U is that ok?

A: *We will not permit a 3yr old to play in the 4U/5U division unless a parent is the head coach or the coach of a team specifically requests the 3-year-old player.*

3) Q: Do all coaches need to perform Background checks?

A: *Yes. All coaches (head coaches and assistant coaches, and anyone who will be on the field or in the dugout with players) must completed the Team Sideline background check when they register as a coach. The cost is \$22 and the background check is good for a year. If the coach is a coach on multiple teams, simply pay the extra cost to register and ask for a refund for the extra background check fee.*

4) Q: When does Spring 2026 Registration Open?

A: *Rockwall Resident only registration will open October 31, 2025.*

No Residency Required registration will open on December 1, 2025.

Registration will close on January 12, 2026.

(Reminder: registration is first-come first-serve, when rosters are full no one else will be added from the waitlist)

5) Q: When will rosters be released?

A: *Spring 2026 rosters will be released on February 2, 2026. Coaches should reach out within a few days after receiving their roster.*

6) Q: When is the Spring 2026 Coaches Meeting?

A: *Spring 2026 Coaches Meeting will be February 5, 2026 at The Center at 108 East Washington at 6:30 pm and is only for coaches.*

7) Q: When will Spring 2026 game schedules be released?

A: *Spring 2026 schedules will be released on February 23, 2026.*

8) Q: When do practices start?

A: *Recommended practice start date is February 9, 2026.*

For more info on practices see question 16.

9) Q: When do games start?

A: *Spring 2026 games will begin the week of March 9, 2026.*

10) Q: Will games be scheduled for Spring Break Week 2026?

A: There will be no games scheduled from March 16 - 20 in accordance with the RISD Spring Break week.

11) Q: When does season end?

A: Spring 2026 season will have a drop-dead date of May 28, 2026. There will be no tournament. All games will be final at this point and the teams in 1st and 2nd in their divisions will receive rings.

12) Q: What day of the week will we play games?

A: RBSL will do our best to schedule every division Mon-Thurs evening*, with games starting at 6pm followed immediately with another game.

***This is subject to change**

13) Q: How do you place kids on teams?

A: For the draft divisions all ages will be blind drafted. Each player will be placed on a team according to the preferences completed in the enrollment form in this order of importance:

- 1) Preferred coach/team**
- 2) Friend/sibling request(s)**
- 3) School**
- 4) Zip code**

14) Q: Will there be a physical tryout for the upcoming season?

A: There will not, we will blind draft for Spring & Fall based on the preferences on the enrollment form. (see previous question and answer)

15) Q: Where are all the games played?

A: All games will be played on any City owned fields, mainly taking place at Leon Tuttle Athletic Complex and some tball games played at Yellow Jacket Park.

16) Q: How many practices will there be?

A: Coaches schedule their own practices. We recommend coaches schedule at least one practice a week. It will be up to coaches if they would like to have more.

17) Q: What is the difference between Select and Draft?

A: Draft is for players that have not been placed on a specific (already determined) select team. Select is for players already on a team (select team/tournament team/travel team).

18) Q: Why am I being charged a higher fee (non-resident fee) for my kid to play in the league?

A: The reduced resident fee only applies to those who live within the city limits of the City of Rockwall. It does not apply to those who live within the county or inside the city limits of another city (Fate, McClendon-Chisholm, Heath for example). Also, does not apply to those who live within the school district.

For any other questions or concerns please email jmclain@rockwall.com.