

# PONY GIRLS LEAGUE

Participation Program Pillar	<b>Womens Baseball</b>
Target Cohort	Female athletes of League Age 13 to 16 yo inclusive
Key Result Areas	Increase female participation Increase club membership
Program Features	Centralised registration process Combining clubs to form teams Term 1 competition program – Sunday afternoons and midweek
Athlete Pathways	Combined team to participate annually in Pony Girls World Series July

## Program Operations

### GAME RULES

- The age group of SENIOR LEAGUE shall apply (League Age 13 to 16 yo) – no exemptions to the age range shall be permitted.
- The game play rules of JUNIOR LEAGUE as mandated within the BWA Junior Baseball By-laws shall apply, including diamond size.
- The national bat regulations specifically relating to Womens Baseball shall apply (FYI as at 2020 there are no bat restrictions for female players as long as they are baseball bats ie not softball)).
- All players shall wear the PONY GIRLS BASEBALL branded caps and playing tees during all games as supplied by Baseball WA.
- All usual game operations items (eg match balls, umpire requirements, scorers etc) shall be as usually expected for any club game.
- Weekend game time limit shall be 2 hours : Midweek game time limit shall be 90 minutes.

### TRAIN ON PLAYERS

- Each team shall be allowed to add players of League Age 12 to its squad to engage in the additional training of their team's program.
- Train on players cannot be used during games unless the team has less than 10 players available on a game day and then only sufficient number of players to make up a playing squad of 10 players. When used train on players may not be in the starting line-up ahead of a regular player.
- Train on players must be existing registered club players.
- Train on players may not pitch or catch

