#### **Frequently Asked Questions:**

#### What time are games?

Tee Ball games will begin at 6:00 p.m. and machine pitch will begin at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesdays. Kid Pitch games will begin at 6:00 p.m. and 7:45 p.m. on Mondays. Kids should report to their scheduled field 30-40 minutes prior to game time.

# How long do games last?

Games will run 60 minutes for Tee Ball and machine pitch and 80 minutes for kid pitch games.

#### What equipment is needed?

We recommend all kids have the following: molded cleats or tennis shoes, glove, batting gloves, bat and helmet. However, we can provide equipment for players to use if needed. No kid will be turned away.

# Do we have to purchase uniforms?

No. The KCUYA will provide a jersey, pants, belt, socks, and hat for all players.

# How many nights a week do teams practice?

Each team will practice 2 times a week in April and once a week in May when games begin. Tee Ball and machine pitch teams will practice on Mondays and kid pitch teams will practice on Wednesdays.

#### Can we pick which team my son or daughter is on?

No. Players will go through a draft after an assessment. Once we determine each kids' skill set we will place them on teams to make sure each team is as even as possible.

#### Can my child play on the same team as their friend?

We cannot guarantee players will be on the same team as their friend(s).

#### If I would like to coach a team, who should I contact?

<u>Ashley.Newman@Royals.com</u> for softball and <u>Cle.Ross@Royals.com</u> for baseball.

### If I am coaching a team in the spring, will I be able to pick the kids that join my team?

Coaches can have 2 freezes. The rest of the players will come from the draft.

# We played last year and would like to change teams, is that possible?

Yes, but we will have an exit interview.

# How much will the league cost?

\$25 per player.

# We played last year and would like to stay on the same team, is that possible?

Yes. You can return to the same team unless you are aging out.

# I have two kids in the program can they be on the same team?

Yes. They can be blocked together.

# Is it possible for my child to play up a division?

Yes. However, the request must match the players assessment of ability. Once you are assigned to a team you will remain with that team until the end of the season.

# What experience will my son/daughter need for the player assessment?

The player assessment is used to help determine their skill set and to give us a baseline to know where each player is starting out at. No experience is required or necessary.

# I live outside of the I-435 loop, can I still sign my kid up to play?

Yes. However, players that live outside of the I-435 loop are not eligible to participate in regional or championship play.