



## 2024 Coed T-Ball Ages 5 & 6



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**PROGRAM:** Co-ed Youth Baseball Program for students ages 5 & 6. The program is designed to instruct students the fundamental aspects of the sport, while encouraging them to enjoy themselves and make new friends. The program does not stress competition, but recreation, socialization, and good sportsmanship.

**DIVISIONS:** Participants must be ages 5 & 6 by April 30, 2024. Practices/Games will be on Saturday Afternoons: 30 minutes of practice and 30 minutes of scrimmages. The program typically occurs between 2pm-6pm on Saturday afternoon. Games and practices will be at Gilman Park, Bell Ave, Exeter. **Please Note: For participants that are 6 & up and are making the transition from T-Ball to player pitched baseball or softball please register at <http://www.exeterbaseball.com/>**

**REGISTRATION:** Registration begins **Monday, February 12, 2024**. Registrations are open to students of Exeter and surrounding towns, on a first-come, first-served basis. Registrations accepted at the Exeter Recreation Office during our business hours, in-person, by phone, on-line or mail. Payment must be paid at the time of registration. Exeter Parks & Recreation reserves the rights to limit registration and participation in any program. Exeter Parks & Recreation also reserves the right to effect other changes in the program, including but not limited to date and time changes, registration limits, and others, as may be required. **We do not take requests for your child to be placed with a specific team, player & or coach. If a parent volunteers to coach, your child will be placed on the same team that you will be coaching.**

**FEE:** The cost of this program includes game shirt, pants, and hat: Please make your check payable to E.P.R.D. Visa, MasterCard, Discover, Apple Pay & Google Pay accepted. There will be a \$20.00 fee charged for each returned check.

Date: Saturdays, May 4 <sup>th</sup> – June 8 <sup>th</sup> , 2024	Resident Fee	Non-Resident Fee	Resident Fee after 3/29	Non-Resident Fee after 3/29
Ages 5 & 6	\$60.00	\$70.00	\$70.00	\$80.00

**Please Note that if registering for T-Ball and Soccer, the scheduling of game times might conflict with one another.** There is no separate day for T-ball practice. The program consists only of games which are made up of a 30-minute warm up and practice followed by a 30-minute scrimmage. T-Ball games for children ages 5 & 6 are typically held between 2pm-6pm on Saturday afternoons May 4<sup>th</sup>-June 8<sup>th</sup>.

**DEADLINE:** The deadline to register for this program is **Friday, March 29, 2024 at 4:30pm**. Late Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis pending team availability.

**VOLUNTEER COACHES:** There is a NO FEE to coach. Coaches are necessary for the successful operation of this program. **Please know that you will need to indicate on the registration as to whether you can coach. Volunteer Coaches are required to complete a background check.** Coaches must pre-register and complete all required paperwork.

1. Coaches can request to be with another coach thus both of their children being placed on the team. At no time, can a coach request any other child to be on his team except for the other coach's child. There should only be 2 coaches per team but 3 coaches are acceptable. All coaches must complete a background check to be considered.

**PARENTS:** We encourage you to have your child attending all practices and games. The program is designed for students to learn, practice skills at his/her own level and to have fun. There is no penalty for absence. Also, please remember that our volunteer coaches are just that, parents, adults, teens – VOLUNTEERS! They offer their time to assist your child to learn and enjoy Baseball. Please lend them your support.

**UNIFORM RULE:** All players with Exeter Parks & Recreation Co-ed Youth T-Ball Program are issued a game shirt, pants and cap, to be worn during each game. The uniforms are for the players to keep at the end of the season.

**WEATHER:** In the event of inclement weather, contact your child's coach regarding cancellation.

**Zero Tolerance Policy:** Because of the physical and verbal abuse taking place at youth sporting events across the country, many organizations have chosen to adopt a Zero Tolerance Policy towards abusive behavior. Please see our website for more details.

**Cancellation Policy:** Refunds will not be given after the registration deadline, unless injury, serious illness, or we can fill your child(s) spot from someone on our waitlist.

**\*Refund Grievance:** A written letter can be sent to the Recreation Advisory Board to be discussed at their next meeting if you feel there is an issue with a refund. All letters should be sent Attn: Greg Bisson, Director of Parks and Recreation Advisory Board 32 Court Street, Exeter NH 03833

**NOTE:** If you are interested in volunteering for this program, please register at the Exeter Recreation office, online, or by phone. **REMEMBER, WITHOUT VOLUNTEERS WE CANNOT RUN THIS PROGRAM!! Please do not sign up as a coach if you cannot make a commitment. You must commit to being present at all games and practices unless you have a co-coach that has been approved by the Department. Unfortunately, we cannot guarantee you a co-coach if you register as a coach.**

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**EXETER PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT**

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**Business Hours: Monday – Friday, 8:15am - 4:15pm**