

2025 FIRST SLUGGERS JR. Coed T-BALL

Ages 3 & 4

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PROGRAM: First Slugger Jr. T-Ball program for children **ages 3 & 4**. The program is designed to instruct children 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.

AGE/LOCATION: Participants must be age 3 by 4/30/2025 to play Jr. T-Ball. Practices/games are played once a week on Saturday Afternoons between 12pm-3pm at Gilman Park.

<u>REGISTRATION</u>: Registration begins Monday, February 18, 2025. Registrations are open to students of Exeter and surrounding towns, on a first-come, first-served basis. Registrations are accepted at the Exeter Recreation Office during our business hours, in-person, on-line, by phone, 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 are no longer taking 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.

PRACTICES/GAMES: Practices/Games will be on Saturday Afternoons (12pm-3pm): 30 minutes of practice and 30 minutes of scrimmages.

<u>FEE</u>: The cost of this program includes game shirt, pants & cap. 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.

Dates:Saturdays, May 3 rd - June 7 th , 2025	Resident	Non-Resident	Resident Fee	Non-Resident
	Fee	Fee	after 3/28	Fee after 3/28
Ages 3 & 4 years old	\$85.00	\$95.00	\$95.00	\$105.00

<u>**DEADLINE**</u>: The deadline to register for this program is **Friday, March 28, 2025 at 4:30pm**. Late Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis pending team availability.

<u>VOLUNTEER COACHES</u>: 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.

<u>PARENTS</u>: 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.

<u>UNIFORM RULE</u>: All players with Exeter Parks & Recreation Co-ed Youth Baseball 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.

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

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.

EXETER PARKS & RECREATION DEPARTMENT

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Website: http:/exeternh.gov/recreation Business Hours: Monday-Friday, 8:15am-4:15pm