SCOREKEEPER CHEAT SHEET 2015

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- 1. Arrive to the field at least 15 minutes early with 2 pencils (with erasers) & pick up the scorebook from the snack bar.
- 2. Introduce yourself to the umpire and collect the original lineup cards from both managers.
- 3. Situate yourself near the umpire so you two may easily communicate.
- 4. Transfer lineups to the scorebook. Record at least the first and last name, uniform number, and position. Also indicate the Home and Visiting teams.
- 5. During the game, record Pitches, Runs, Outs, Balls, and Strikes. If you're doing all this, then your PROBS doing it right.
- 6. After the game, write the winning team and the score in large letters on a blank portion of the page.

OTHER THINGS

- Feel free to call a time-out to ask an umpire to clarify a call.
- Little League has very specific rules on the number of pitches a pitcher can pitch, it is important to note the ending pitch count of each pitcher in the scorebook.
- You have a very important job, so try and block out distractions from the crowd and remain neutral.
- Each manager is responsible for having his/her own team scorekeeper to report batting-out-of-turn, pitch counts, and ensuring players receive their mandatory play (2 defensive innings and 1 at bat).
- Record offensive substitutions and defensive substitutions involving benched players, pitchers, and catchers.

1: Pitcher 6: Shortstop
2: Catcher 7: Left fielder
3: First baseman 8: Center fielder
4: Second baseman 9: Right fielder
5: Third baseman

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MOST COMMON ABBREVIATIONS

1B - Single

2B - Double

3B - Triple

BB - Walk

DP - Double Play

F - Fly Ball

HBP - Hit By Pitch

HR - Home Run

K - Strike Out swinging

Backwards K - strike out "looking"

L - Line Drive

SB - Stolen Base

LESS COMMON ABBREVIATIONS

INT - Interference

BK - Balk (Pitcher's Error)

CS - Caught Stealing

E - Error

FC - Fielder's Choice

PB - Passed Ball (Catcher's Error)

WP - Wild Pitch (Pitcher's Error)

RBI - Runs Batted In

Sac - Sacrifice (Fly, Bunt, etc.)

