



BASEBALL
QUEENSLAND

2023-24
BA & BQ CAPITATIONS

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Dear BQ Members,

The information contained in this memo outlines the Baseball Australia (BA) and Baseball Queensland (BQ) capitation structure for the 2023/24 membership year, commencing on the 1st of September 2023 and concluding on 31st of August 2024. Please note some clubs may commence selling memberships as early July 2023.

Capitation Fees 2023-24

Membership Type	BA	BQ	Competition Admin	Total
<i>Including the Game Day Admin Fee of 3.5%</i>				
Adult Seniors #	\$63.00	\$131.45	\$10.35	\$204.80
Adult Masters (50+) # *	\$53.00	\$85.91	\$10.35	\$149.26
Big League (U18) #	\$53.00	\$82.80	\$10.35	\$146.15
Senior League (U16) #	\$53.00	\$82.80	\$10.35	\$146.15
Junior League (U14) #	\$53.00	\$82.80	\$10.35	\$146.15
Little League Majors (U12) #	\$53.00	\$82.80	\$10.35	\$146.15
Little League Minors (U10) #	\$53.00	\$25.88	\$0.00	\$78.88
Aussie T-Ball (U8) #	\$33.00	\$46.58	\$0.00	\$79.58
<i>Please note: all fees below this point are short season programs with limitations – please see the additional considerations below.</i>				
Women's GBL only Season (15+) **	\$63.00	\$96.26	\$10.35	\$169.61
Women's GBL Short Program 10 Weeks (15+) **	\$28.00	\$47.61	\$10.35	\$85.96
Short Program Senior - 10 weeks	\$28.00	\$16.56	\$0.00	\$44.56
Short Program Junior - 10 weeks	\$18.00	\$11.39	\$0.00	\$29.39
Baseball5	\$18.00	\$11.39	\$0.00	\$29.39
Challenger Division	\$13.00	\$6.21	\$0.00	\$19.21
Tournament	\$18.00	\$5.18	\$0.00	\$23.18

Age Matrix 2023-24



T-Ball (U8)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	All	All
	2016	2016	2016	2016	2017	2018	2019
League Age	7				7 - 6	6 - 5	5 - 4

Little League Minors (U10)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2014	2014	2014	2014	2015	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016	2016
League Age	9				9 - 8	8							

Little League Majors (U12)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2011	2011	2011	2011	2012	2013	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014	2014
League Age	12				12 - 11	11 - 10	10							

Intermediate League (U13)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2010	2010	2010	2010	2011	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012	2012
League Age	13				13 - 12	12							

Junior League (U14)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2009	2009	2009	2009	2010	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011	2011
League Age	14				14 - 13	13							

Senior League (U16)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2007	2007	2007	2007	2008	2009	2009	2009	2009	2009	2009	2009	2009
League Age	16				16 - 15	15							

Big League (U18)	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	All	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	July	Aug
	2005	2005	2005	2005	2006	2007	2007	2007	2007	2007	2007	2007	2007
League Age	Under 18												

Intermediate League Age Matrix shown for information purposes only. Members will purchase either Little League Majors or Junior League Memberships.

Additional Considerations

** The Women's GBL short season and full season programs. These program registrations allow female members (15 years+) to play in the **GBL Women's Competition ONLY** and expires at the conclusion of the GBL Women's Competition in April (or December for the short season program).

If members want access to multiple competitions, programs, and events throughout the 2023/24 season e.g. Women's State Titles, Women's State Team, Winter competitions etc, we recommend they purchase the Adult Seniors Membership as this will register them to play in any competition through to 31 August 2024 – (Does not include club fees, tournament entry fees, uniform fees etc).

Indicates a Full Season Membership and renders the member eligible to play in any competition within the membership year 1 September 2023 – 31 August 2024 (pending payment of any club/region/competition fees payable).

Please Note: Capitation Fees listed do NOT include Club/Region fees, uniform fees or tournament entry fees. Please enquire with your Club, Region or team to ascertain the fees and charges applicable in addition to these capitation fees.

#* Adult Masters Membership is only available for members turning 50 during the 2023/24 season and allows these members to play in all Masters competitions and events through to 31 August 2024. If members want access to multiple competitions, programs and events throughout the 2023/24 season e.g. Seniors competitions, GCBA Summer season competitions etc, we recommend they purchase the Adult Seniors Membership as this will register them to play in any competition through to 31 August 2024 – (Does not include club fees, tournament entry fees, uniform fees etc).

Baseball5 Membership

This membership type registers participants to play in BQ approved Baseball5 Competitions.

All Memberships - Insurance

All membership categories are covered by the BA National Insurance Policy, included within the capitation/program price outlined above. Memberships featuring # and #* are covered for the duration of the membership season. Other memberships are covered for the duration of the specific event or competition – typically no more than six to ten weeks.

Little League

The price of the Little League membership category is inclusive of the Little League International Levy.

All members of a charter (including minors) must be registered for a charter to be eligible for progression through the Little League competition framework.

Membership Refund Policy

Please access our [Membership Refund Policy here](#).

Short Season Programs

Eligibility for Clubs, Regions or Competition management Committees to access this membership type is by written proposal to State/Territory association and is assessed in partnership with BA. Proposals should address the following criteria:

- The length of the program should not exceed ten (10) weeks including finals.
- Targeting a cohort not previously addressed within a catchment area
- Pilot of a new program
- Participants have not previously been members
- Remote/disadvantaged area
- Programs are applicable for one season only and cannot be applied to existing programs or competitions

Tournament Membership

A membership category covering events where participants may only play one weekend/event per purchase. Examples include the following events:

- Masters
- Regional tournaments

Entry Level Membership

The recommended retail price for Aussie T-Ball and Rookie Ball (Little League Minors) is \$200 per participant. Clubs that sell these memberships at this price (or less) will have access to a free participant pack for distribution to those registered under these membership types.

No “Top Up” to Full Memberships.

Please urge all participants to consider their plans for participation over the full year as there are no options to pay a “Top Up” fee from a short program, tournament membership or any other form, to a full membership.

If they think they may play in more than one competition, program, or event, encourage them to consider the value of a full membership.

E.g. If a player buys a Tournament or Short Season program to play in a tournament or short season then decides they want to be eligible for selection to a Queensland Representative team, that player will need to pay the full membership season fee even though they have already paid to play in a specific event. This person (an Adult for the purposes of this example) will pay for their tournament fee, then when they decide they want to play for Queensland, will need to buy a full membership. They could have saved themselves the short season fee by buying the full season membership upfront.



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