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Version 1.35 of the rulebook was recently uploaded to www.seasonticketbaseball.com. This included the following changes since Version 1.30 (released July 2022):

Page 2:

The home team bonus on rolls of 600-699 was increased from +5 to +10.

Page 3 (Runner Advancement on Outs):

Changed to specify exactly which plays allow unforced runners to advance. (These changes have also been made to the Quick Start Card).

Page 8:

The name of the "Bunt Flowchart" was changed to "Two Strike Flowchart" (because it can be relevant to both bunt plays and hit & run plays). This change is cosmetic and doesn't change any of the underlying rules.

Page 11:

Some changes have been made to the table for *Bringing the Infield In*. (This has also been updated on the Strategy Card).

Result		R3 goes on contact?	
		No	Yes
1-3 or 1-6	→	1-3*	1-2?
143 DP or 163 DP	→	1-3*	1-2!
3-1 or 3-6 or 3U	→	3U*	3-2?
363 DP or 361 DP or 3-6 DP	→	3U*	3-2!
463 DP or 4-6	→	4-3*	4-2?
4-3 DP	→	4-3*	4-2!
5-3 or 5-4	→	5-3*	5-2?
543 DP or 5-3 DP	→	5-3*	5-2!
643 DP or 6-4	→	6-3*	6-2?
6-3 DP	→	6-3*	6-2!

* = R3 holds ! = R3 thrown out at home

Page 15 (Optional Rules):

"Rare Plays on Challenges": the result for "1-1-1" (rolling three 1's) was changed from "Catching Error" to "Throw Off-Line":

1-1-1	Throw Off-Line. The throw is in time, but pulls the fielder off the bag. (For a throw by a <i>catcher</i> , <i>pitcher</i> or <i>infielder</i> on a batted ball, record a throwing error.)
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Page 17 (Optional Rules):

"Advancing on the Throw" has been modified to create a small chance that the trail runner is thrown out trying to advance.

Page 17 (Optional Rules):

The rule for starting pitchers getting "Blown Up" was changed to a flat 5-run limit, regardless of the pitcher's Stamina rating.

Page 18 (Optional Rules):

The following hit location table was added:

Hit Locations



For results that don't specify hit location, use the last digit of the roll to determine the fielder:

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
1B(IF)	P	1B	2B			SS				3B
1B, 1B+, 2B, 2B+		LF				CF				RF
3B		LF		CF						RF

Page 18 (Optional Rules):

Added to clarify official scoring on outfield assists:

Outfield Assists

Use the following official scoring for runners being thrown out from the outfield:

	Out at 2B	Out at 3B	Out at Home (R3/R2) (R1/B)	
LF	7-4	7-5	7-2	7-6-2
CF	8-4	8-5	8-2	8-6-2
RF	9-6	9-5	9-2	9-4-2

Note that throwing a runner out at home on an extra-base hit includes a relay throw from one of the middle infielders (e.g. 7-6-2, 8-6-2, 9-4-2). Both the outfielder and infielder are credited with an assist.

Page 19 (Auto Manager):

Auto Manager rules were simplified and adjusted to match historical stats.