

## 2006 Superclinic Practice Exam - Answers

- 1) False. A runner may not return to a previous base once he legally acquires the next base and the pitcher assumes a pitching position. The runner shall be declared out. Rule 7.01
- 2) True 3.03 notes
- 3) False. The runner is out as soon as he passes the preceding runner. The ball is alive and in play. 7.08(h)
- 4) True 7.05(a)
- 5) False Pine tar does not improve the performance of the bat. The bat however, is removed from the game. 1.10(c) note, 6.06(d)
- 6) False. The runner's advance is legal. 6.07(a)(1), 6.07(b) note
- 7) True 8.02(d)
- 8) False. The foot must be entirely outside the batter's box, on the ground and contact must be made with the ball all at the same time. 6.06(a)
- 9) False. The umpire should call a ball except if the pitcher delivers the pitch and all runners including the batter-runner advance at least one base. Rule 8.02(a)(1)
- 10) True. Third base belongs to the runner in the run down between third and home until he touches home. In this case he never reached home. Therefore you send the runner standing on third back to second in this situation. 7.08(b) notes, 7.01
- 11) True. 6.05(h), 7.09(b)
- 12) False 8.05 penalty
- 13) True. 5.08
- 14) True. 5.09(f), 7.08(f)
- 15) False. The batter-runner stays at 1st base. 5.09(f)
- 16) False. The ball is dead and the BR is out. However, R2 returns to 2nd. 6.05(k) , 7.09(k), 2.00 (Interference (a) )
- 17) False. The Umpire in Chief (usually called the plate umpire) has jurisdiction over setting the ground rules. 3.13, 9.04(a)(9)
- 18) True. 7.04(b) play
- 19) True 3.05(c)
- 20) False Rule 3.15
- 21) False The run is allowed to score. With two out, the run would not score. 6.05(n), 5.09(h)
- 22) True 6.10
- 23) False.
- 24) False 7.06(b)
- 25) False 4.09(a)(1)
- 26) True Rule 8.03

- 27) False NAPBL 5.1
- 28) True. Rule 7.07, 6.08(c)
- 29) True. The manager does have the option. However, it is his responsibility to advise the umpire. Rule 6.08(c)
- 30) True. Rule 6.09(b), 5.09(g)
- 31) True. 6.05(m) , 7.08(b), 7.09(l)
- 32) False 4.03(c)
- 33) False The following runner must be tagged. 7.03
- 34) True 6.09(b)
- 35) False. The pitcher is only removed in professional baseball. In all amateur baseball the pitcher may move to another position. 8.06(b) Canadian Content.
- 36) True 6.06(c)
- 37) False. The ball is alive and in play. Rule 5.10(f), 7.04(c)
- 38) Pro - True,  
Little League - False. Little League specifies all fielders. Also, although never mentioned in the rule book, the catcher cannot appeal after he leaves his normal position. 7.10 notes.
- 39) False 7.06(a)
- 40) True 8.05(j)
- 41) False. He must pitch to at least one batter. 3.08(a), 3.05(b)
- 42) False The pitcher has 20 seconds. This starts over every time batter leaves the box. Rule 8.04
- 43) False. The umpire does not call time and he must refer to the base umpire. 9.02(c) notes
- 44) True 7.06(a)
- 45) True. Rule 2.00 (Person) includes the player's clothing. Therefore this is a case of a hit batter. Rule 6.08(b)
- 46) False. Rule 2.00 (Pitch), 2.00 (Throw)
- 47) True. Rule 3.01(e)(3)
- 48) False. Because the runner was entitled to second base on ball four, and is called out in error, the umpire shall call time, and place the runner back at second. Rule 9.01(c), 7.04(b), Baseball Canada Rule Interpretation (Oct. 26, 2001)
- 49) False. Chinstraps are required for PeeWee and lower. Rule 1.16 (Canadian Content)
- 50) False. Any umpire can rule on the fitness of a ball. Rule 3.01(c), 5.10(e)