## Extra Player (EP):

In 2022 the position of EP has been introduced. This Extra Player may be listed in any spot in the batting order. The EP is allowed to play defense in place of any player.

If the EP is being used and the DP/Flex is also being used, the Flex will be listed 11<sup>th</sup> in the lineup. For more information on the DP/Flex/EP, please see the interpretation that deals with the DP/Flex.

If the EP is being used, it must be declared on the lineup at the pregame meeting, and the EP position must be used throughout the entire game.

If the EP is being used the shorthanded rule changes from 8 players to 9 players.