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# INTRODUCTION

MLB Home Run Derby X is an electrifying new baseball format taking MLB on a global tour to London, Seoul and Mexico City in 2022. Teams of MLB Legends, Superstars, Rookies and Wild Cards will represent 4 iconic Major League Baseball Clubs as they compete in a bracket style competition, earning points in each city to determine the ultimate MLB Home Run Derby X Champions. Points are scored by both offense and defense, with Home Runs and epic catches stealing the show, while live music and ballpark culture provide an action packed day out for all.



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# THE GAME

### Field of Play

The Field of Play is a reduced version of a baseball field, with Home Plate mounted on a stage and the Pitcher's Mound on a podium.

### What Clubs will we see?

Our players will represent 4 iconic Major League Baseball Clubs - Boston Red Sox, Chicago Cubs, Los Angeles Dodgers and New York Yankees.

### Who are the players?

Teams will consist of MLB Legends, Superstars, Rookies, Wild Cards and Pitchers.

#### MLB LEGENDS

Former MLB players, the star hitters on the team.

#### SUPERSTARS

The best talent from women's baseball and softball.

#### PITCHERS

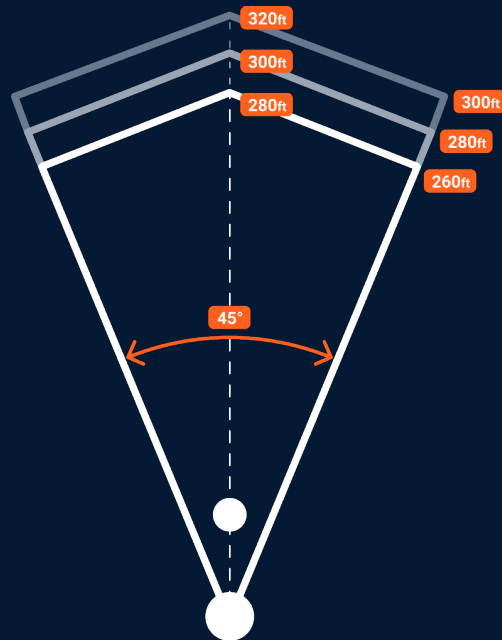
Will put the ball in the right spot every time and will be on the same team as their Batters.

#### ROOKIES

The most exciting talent drawn from the men's baseball development system.

#### WILD CARDS

High-profile content creators trained up by MLB and can be male or female.



\*Size may flex to accommodate specific venues and local conditions

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### How does it work?

MLB Home Run Derby X is played on a reduced version of a baseball field, with points available for both offense and defense, and additional scoring opportunities with target hits and hot streak balls. At Each Tour Event the teams will compete in a bracket style competition, battling it out for top spot in two prelims, ahead of a third place play off and a final. The competition continues throughout the Tour with the most successful team crowned Home Run Derby X 2022 Champions.

**Hot Streak:** Any time during their At-Bat, the hitter may call for their Hot Streak: five consecutive pitches where the outcome of the play scores double Points. This applies to points scored on both offense and defense.

**Target Hit:** When a batter hits a Target without the ball bouncing, it scores 1 point for their team. If they hit a Target beyond the Outfield Fence they will score 1 point for their Home Run and 1 additional point for the Target Hit.

### How do teams score points?

Home Run - 1 point

Target Hit - 1 point

Catch - 1 point

Hot Streak - double your points

### The Tour

Four teams will play in each city, battling it out for the top spot in two prelims, ahead of a 3rd place play off and the final. Based on where they rank at each event, teams will be awarded points which will determine their position on the Home Run Derby X Tour leaderboard. The leaderboard will determine seedings for the final event of the Tour which will be played as a knock-out competition to determine the Home Run Derby X 2022 Champions.



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# 2022 TOUR DATES

July 9  
Crystal Palace Park, **LONDON**

September 17  
To be announced, **SEOUL**

October 15  
To be announced, **MEXICO CITY**



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