



City of Greenbrier Parks and Recreation

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Parks Director

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Current COVID-19 Guidelines for Greenbrier 2020 **baseball/softball PRACTICE & GAMES Include:**

- **No player, coach or parent should come to practice if they are sick, been exposed to someone who is sick or demonstrates any symptoms of being sick.**
- No sharing of equipment, drinking from the same source (water coolers, etc.), no team coolers or centralized meeting point for exchanging of anything.
- Make hand sanitizer available (where possible please require/encourage parents to bring sanitizer with them and place in player's bag.)
- Stay six (6) feet apart at all times.
- No team meetings after the game. You must exit the ballfield area immediately. You can meet with your team if you play the second game, however, social distancing of six (6) feet is required
- No food can be brought into the ballfield area.
- Bleachers may NOT be used. Please bring your own seating and use social distancing.
- The dugout area will be extended to outside of the dugouts. Players are encouraged to stand with parents when team is at bat or subs are not in the game. This rule is in affect to practice social distance in-between innings.
- Our primary focus is the safety of your children, of you and any spectators that watch the game
- Dugout mom/ dad should spray off the bat after each batter with disinfectant (team is responsible for disinfectant)
- All games will be 1 hour and 15 min drop dead time limit. This rule is in place to be sure the park is empty before the next game begins.

- Only four outfielders in 6u & 8u baseball/softball will be permitted at a time to help keep social distancing in place. Two (2) coaches may stay in the outfield to help the players social distance. Please sub players every inning.
- Social distancing is required for all practices and no team meetings are permitted after practice unless you have the last practice for your field.
- Please exit the park quickly after each game and practice before the next team arrives.
- All teams and spectators are required to arrive no sooner than thirty (30) minutes before game or practice. (social distancing in mind)
- No player is required to play in the 2020 baseball/softball season due to the COVID virus. If you choose not to play, please let your coach know so that they can give you your uniform along with your refund minus the cost of the uniform. We respect your decision.
- No stealing or leading off in any age group for the month of June. (protection from as much contact as possible)
- To help with social distancing this season we ask that only immediate family members come to the ballgames and practices.
- We strongly recommend all spectators to wear face masks.
- Please keep in mind these are extraordinary times that call for extraordinary measures in order for the kids to get back on the field this year. Please be patient and help us make this an enjoyable season for our Greenbrier children.
- More guidelines may be added as needed

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Rory Osborne", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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