

Watertown Park & Recreation Department Parent & Athlete Concussion Agreement

Watertown Parks & Recreation Department
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As a Parent and as an Athlete it is important to recognize the signs, symptoms, and behaviors of concussions. By signing this form you are stating that you understand the importance of recognizing and responding to the signs, symptoms, and behaviors of a concussion or head injury.

Parent Agreement:

I/we have **read** the Parent Concussion and Head Injury Information and **understand** what a concussion is and how it may be caused. I/we also understand the common signs, symptoms, and behaviors. I/we agree that my child must be removed from practice/play if a concussion is suspected.

I/we understand that it is my responsibility to seek medical treatment if a suspected concussion is reported to me.

I/we understand that my child cannot return to practice/play until providing written clearance from an appropriate health care provider to his/her coach.

I/we understand the possible consequences of my child returning to practice/play too soon.

Athlete Agreement:

I/we have **read** the Athlete Concussion and Head Injury Information and **understand** what a concussion is and how it may be caused.

I/we understand the importance of reporting a suspected concussion to my coaches and my parents/guardian.

I/we understand that athlete must be removed from practice/play if a concussion is suspected. I/we understand that the athlete must provide written clearance from an appropriate health care provider to my coach before returning to practice/play.

I/we understand the possible consequence of returning to practice/play too soon and that athlete's brain needs time to heal.

For Information on Concussion, please either come to our office for a paper copy, our facebook page ("Like" Watertown Park and Recreation Dept), or go to our website www.ci.watertown.wi.us.

Parent/Athlete Concussion Agreement

My child & I have read the above statements and sign acknowledging that if a concussion is suspected that the athlete will not play until clearance is given from the health care provider.

Parent/
Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Athlete Signature _____ Date _____

Youth Baseball & Girls Fastpitch Softball



Watertown Parks & Recreation Department provides kids ages 5-16 the opportunity to participate in summer baseball and girls fastpitch softball. Players of all skill levels are encouraged to participate. Parents interested in coaching should review information on becoming a volunteer coach.

Register Online:

<https://watertownwi.recdesk.com/community>

Deadline: April 1, 2019

League Choices

T-Ball (ages 5 & 6)

Participants will be introduced to the basic skills of hitting, throwing and fielding through game play. Soft baseballs are used. **Meets:** Brandt/Quirk Park Baseball Center **Dates:** Mondays, June 10-mid-July.

Game Times: 5:30 or 7:00 pm. **Cost:** \$35/city resident & \$52.50/non-city resident.

Pee Wee (ages 6 & 7)

This league is offered to children possessing more advanced skills. Coaches pitch to players using softer balls during modified game play. **Meets:** Brandt/Quirk Park Baseball Center **Dates:** Thursdays, after Memorial Day-mid-July. **Game Times:** 5:30 or 7:00 pm. **Cost:** \$35/city resident & \$52.50/non-city resident.

Rookie (ages 7-9)

Introduces player pitch with a no walk/coach pitch rule. All players included in batting line up with 10 fielders. **Meets:** Brandt/Quirk Park Baseball Center **Dates:** Tuesdays, after Memorial Day-mid-July.

Game Times: 5:30 or 7:00 pm. **Cost:** \$45/city resident & \$67.50/non-city resident.

Major (ages 10-12)

This is a recreational hardball league where all principles of baseball are used, although modifications exist to allow for development. Advanced concepts are taught to provide players with a well-rounded background.

Meets: Brandt/Quirk Park Baseball Center **Dates:** Mondays & Wednesdays, after Memorial Day-mid-July.

Game Times: 5:30 or 7:00 pm. **Cost:** \$50/city resident & \$75/non-city resident.

Sandy Koufax (ages 13 & 14)

This Tri-city hardball league involves travel to area communities. It is a competitive league where youth continue to improve their skills. The league champion is determined by a post-season champion. **Meets:** Riverside Park **Dates:** Various days, after Memorial Day-mid-July.

Game Times: 6:00 pm. **Cost:** \$80/city resident & \$120/non-city resident.

Girls Fastpitch Softball (ages 7-16)

U8, U10, U12, U14, U16 offered but age groups may be combined. **Meets:** Brandt/Quirk Park Baseball Center or Riverside Park **Dates:** Various days, after Memorial Day-mid-July. **Cost:** U8-\$45/city resident & \$67.50/non-city resident; U10-12-\$50/city resident & \$75/non-city resident; U14-16 \$80/city resident & \$120/non-city resident. **Game Times:** Vary.

Coaching

Coaching is done by volunteers, usually parents of players. Good coaches are the key to the success of the program because of their direct contact with the children. We are continuously in search of persons willing to donate their time for coaching. The department will train coaches. Baseball & Softball meeting on Monday, April 29 at 6pm at Watertown Park & Rec Dept. Softball league meeting is April 17, time/location TBA. *If you have interest, please check yes to coaching on the next page.* Background checks will be required of all coaches. Please log onto <https://opportunities.averity.com/wpr>.

Program Format

Players will be contacted by a coach for practice upon receiving rosters in early May. The practice sessions are generally 1 hour in length and are held at local parks at times convenient to the coach. League play begins late May through mid-July, weather permitting.

Special Needs:

The department will make every effort to comply with the regulations associated with the American's with Disabilities Act (ADA). In the space provided, list any special needs that the participant may have that would benefit his/her participation in this program. The department will attempt to accommodate these needs and will contact you to discuss participation. Parent should contact any special needs with their instructor.

2019 Youth Baseball/Girls Fastpitch Softball

Deadline: April 1, 2019

Name: _____ Age: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____ M or F

City: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ T-Shirt Size: _____

Email: _____

T-Shirt Size: YS YM YL AS AM AL AXL Other: _____

Is parent willing to coach? Yes No If yes, parent name _____

List any special needs or medical conditions this participant has:

League Choice:

Youth Baseball (as of May 1, 2019)	City Resident Fee	Non-City Resident Fee
T-Ball (ages 5 & 6)	\$35.00	\$52.50
Pee Wee (ages 6 & 7)	\$35.00	\$52.50
Rookie (ages 7-9)	\$45.00	\$67.50
Major (ages 10-12)	\$50.00	\$75.00
Sandy Koufax (ages 13 & 14)	\$80.00	\$120.00

Girls Fastpitch Softball (as of December 31, 2018)	City Resident Fee	Non-City Resident Fee
8 & Under	\$45.00	\$67.50
10-12 Years	\$50.00	\$75.00
14-16 Years	\$80.00	\$120.00

This form must be returned to the Park and Rec office, 514 S. First Street, no later than April 1, 2019, to avoid an additional \$10.00 late fee.

I understand the inherent risk of injury in participation in this sports program and verify that my child is medically fit to participate. I give my permission to the supervisors of this program to take the proper steps in case my child is in need of emergency medical attention. I also release the sponsoring groups and their agents from any an all claims arising from this child's participation in this activity.

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____