

RIDGEFIELD BORO ATHLETIC ORGANIZATION www.RBAO.org

Five Firemen's Field P.O. Box 54 Ridgefield, NJ 07657 201-943-8355

2013

safety manual for coaches and volunteers

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2013 Qualified Safety Program Registration Form



Registering your qualified safety plan is as easy as 1, 2, 3!

1) Complete all four sides of this Registration Form;

2) Complete the 2013 Facility Survey for all fields your league uses (DO NOT copy last year's form);

3) Submit **both** forms *with* your complete safety plan — including *all 14 minimum requirements clearly detailed* — with a **postmark** no later than *April 1, 2013*. This will register your safety program with Little League International (see pages 2.1-2.3 for more information). Due to the volume of plans received, plans may be submitted *starting Jan. 1, 2013*.

Approved safety plans will win your league a cash award based on the number of teams your safety plan covers, if you carry Little League Chartis Insurance. In addition, your program will automatically be entered in the 2013 ASAP Awards!

District Administrators: To earn the district incentive for ASAP participation, a district's league plans must be *received at and approved by Little League International by March 13.* This is different than the league deadline and requirement. Districts with **88%** or better of their leagues that LLI received a qualified safety plan by March 13 will earn a **\$350 credit**. Districts with **70%-87%** of their leagues that LLI received a qualified safety plan by March 13 will earn a **\$150 credit**.

This Registration Form MUST Accompany Safety Plan Submission

League Name RIDGEFIELD LITTLE LEA City RIDGEFIELD State NJ	AGUE League I.D. # 230-06-07
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League Safety Officer STEVE PAYERLE Address 676 STEWART STREET City RIDGEFIELD	League President JON HAASE Address 720 PEMBROKE WAY City RIDGEFIELD
State NJ Zip Code 07657	StateNJZip Code07657
Work Telephone _()	Work Telephone ()
Home Telephone ()	Home Telephone ()
Cell/Pager Number (201) 966-7971	Cell/Pager Number ((201) 280-8264
Email oscar7300x@gmail.com	_{Email} jhaaseman@yahoo.com
Items included with this application form: # of pages of league's safety program outline: # of non-returnable photographs: Person submitting application (if different from above	6
Name	_Title
Signature	City Telephone (Date / 13 / 13
	and granting permission for reproduction of photographs (if applicable)
Mailing Address: ASAP Award Program Little League International P.O. Box 3485 Williamsport, PA 17701	or Shipping Address: ASAP Award Program Little League International 539 U.S. Route 15 Hwy. So. Williamsport, PA 17702
•	So. Williamsport, PA 17702 ntive or no later than April 1 for basic approval

R.B.A.O. Council Members 2012

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Little League	609-695-1434
Community Center	201-943-4078

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SAFETY CODE FOR LITTLE LEAGUE

- Responsibility for safety procedures should be that of an adult member of the local league.
- Arrangements should be made in advance of all games and practices for emergency medical services.
- Managers, coaches and umpires should have some training in first-aid. First-Aid Kit should be available at the field.
- No games or practice should be held when weather or field conditions are not good, particularly when lighting is inadequate.
- Play area should be inspected frequently for holes, damage, glass and other foreign objects.
- Dugouts and bat racks should be positioned behind the screens.
- Only players, managers, coaches and umpires are permitted on the playing field during play and practice sessions.
- Responsibility for keeping bats and loose equipment off the field of play should be that of a regular player assigned for this purpose.
- Procedure should be established for retrieving foul balls batted out of the playing area.
- During practice sessions and games, all players should be alert and watching the batter on each pitch.
- During warm up drills, players should be spaced so that no one is endangered by errant balls.
- Equipment should be inspected regularly. Make sure it fits properly.
- Pitching machines, if used, must be in good working order (including extension cords, outlets, etc.) and must be operated only by adult managers and coaches.
- Batters must wear protective NOCSAE helmets during practice, as well as during games.
- Catchers must wear catcher's helmet (with face mask and throat guard), chest protector and shin guards. Male catchers must wear long-model chest protector (divisions below Junior/Senior/Big League), protective supporter and cup at all times.
- Except when runner is returning to a base, head first slides are not permitted. This rule applies to Little League (Majors)/Minor and Tee Ball.
- During sliding practice bases should not be strapped down.
- At no time should "horse play" be permitted on the playing field.
- Parents of players who wear glasses should be encouraged to provide "Safety Glasses."
- Players must not wear watches, rings, pins, jewelry or other metallic items.
- Catchers must wear catcher's helmet, face mask and throat guard in warming up pitchers. This applies between innings and in bull pen practice. Skull caps are not permitted.
- Batting/catcher's helmets should not be painted unless approved by the manufacturer.
- Regulations prohibit on-deck batters. This means no player should handle a bat, even while in an enclosure, until it is his/her time at bat. This rule applies to Little League (Majors)/Minor and Tee Ball.
- Players who are ejected, ill or injured should remain under supervision until released to the parent or guardian.

To,

Thank you for volunteering your time to help our little league program. For the protection of our children participants, we are required to perform background checks on <u>ALL</u> volunteers.

Enclosed is a volunteer application and return envelope. Please promptly complete and return this form. Without this information we can not allow you to participate this season.

Your cooperation and understanding is much appreciated, thank you.

Jon Haase RBAO President **RIDGEFIELD BORO ATHLETIC ORGANIZATION** Five Firemen's Field P.O. Box 54 Ridgefield, New Jersey 07657



Mandatory Baseball Coach's Clinic

February 23, 2013 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon Ridgefield Community Center

Please inform all your coaches!

This clinic is required by Little League Baseball for all Managers & Coaches

(There is no charge for RBAO Coaches to attend this clinic)



Youth Sports Research Council Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

S.A.F.E.T.Y. Clinic Calendar



If you are a volunteer coach interested in attending one of these programs, please contact the host agency administrator to register. They will provide you with the exact time, location, directions, and registration fee. NOTE: This schedule changes frequently as clinics are added or removed (when seating capacity is reached). Therefore, it is important that you refresh your browser often for the most current schedule of clinics.

**UPDATED 1/17/13 !!!Please note that we are between seasons at this time. As the spring approaches, there will be many more opportunities, in all areas of the state. The number of clinics <u>will</u> increase as the season gets closer.

DATE	HOST AGENCY		PHONE/WEB
2/13/13	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email. mendler@holyname.org
3.7763	Valley Hospital Sports Institute	Ridgewood	Call 800-825-5391 to register
3/12/13	Hackensack University Medical Center	Hackensack	To register, email: TMahady@HackensackUMC.org
3/13/13	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org
4/4/13	Valley Hospital Sports Institute	Ridgewood	Call 800-825-5391 to register
4/10/13	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org
4/16/13	Hackensack University Medical Center	Hackensack	To register, email: TMahady@HackensackUMC.org
5,15713	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org
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7/10/12	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org
7/11/13	Valley Hospital Sports Institute	Ridgewood	Call 800-825-5391 to register

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19/12/12	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org
12/5/10	Valley Hospital Sports Institute	Ridgewood	Call 800-825-5391 to register
12/11/12	Holy Name Medical Center	Teaneck	To register, email: mendler@holyname.org



Little League Volunteer Application -2013

Do not use forms from past years. Use extra paper to complete if additional space is required.

A COPY OF VALID GOVERNMENT ISSUED PHOTO IDENTIFICATION MUST BE ATTACHED TO COMPLETE THIS APPLICATION.

Name Date
Address
City StateZip
Social Security # (mandatory with LexisNexis or upon request)
Cell Phone Business Phone
E-mail Address:
Date of Birth
Occupation
Employer
Address
Special professional training, skills, hobbies:
Community affiliations (Clubs, Service Organizations, etc.):
Previous volunteer experience (including baseball/softball and year):
Do you have children in the program? Yes No I If yes, list full name and what level?
Special Certification (CPR, Medical, etc.):
Do you have a valid driver's license: Yes 🔲 No 🗌
Driver's License#:State
Have you ever been convicted of or plead guilty to any crime(s): Yes 🗆 No 🗔 If yes, describe each in full:
Are there any criminal charges pending against you regarding any crime(s) involvir or against a minor? Yes No If yes, describe each in full:
Have you ever been refused participation in any other youth programs? Yes
If yes, explain:
In which of the following would you like to participate? (Check one or more.)
League Official 🔲 Coach 🗌 Umpire 🔲 Field Maintenance 🗌
Manager 🔲 Scorekeeper 🗌 Concession Stand 🔲 Other 🗌

Please list three references, at least one of which has knowledge of your participation as a volunteer in a youth program:

Name/Phone

AS A CONDITION OF VOLUNTEERING, I give permission for the Little League organization to conduct background check(s) on me now and as long as I continue to be active with the organization, which may include a review of sex offender registries, child abuse and criminal history records. I understand that, if appointed, my position is conditional upon the league receiving no inappropriate information on my background. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless from liability the local Little League, Little League Baseball, Incorporated, the officers, employees and volunteers thereof, or any other person or organization that may provide such information. I also understand that, regardless of previous appointments, Little League is not obligated to appoint me to a volunteer position. If appointed, I understand that, prior to the expiration of my term, I am subject to suspension by the President and removal by the Board of Directors for violation of Little League policies or principles.

Applicant Signature	Date
If Minor/Parent Signature	Date

Applicant Name(please print or type)

NOTE: The local Little League and Little League Baseball, Incorporated will not discriminate against any person on the basis of race, creed, color, national origin, marital status, gender, sexual orientation or disability.

LOCAL LEAGUE USE ONLY:

Background check completed by league officer on

System)s) used for background check (minimum of one must be checked):

Sex Offender Registry Criminal History Records *LexisNexis

*Please be advised that if you use LexisNexis and there is a name match in the few states where only name match searches can be performed you should notify volunteers that they will receive a letter directly from LexisNexis in compliance with the Fair Credit Reporting Act containing information regarding all the criminal records associated with the name, which may not necessarily be the league volunteer.

> Only attach to this application copies of background check reports that reveal convictions of this application.



START YOUR SEASON NOW WITH 80 FREE CRIMINAL BACKGROUND SEARCHES FROM CHOICEPOINT®



As a pre-season kickoff special, Little League has partnered with ChoicePoint to provide all chartered local leagues with **80 FREE criminal background searches.**



To help protect the youth served by Little League, all volunteers at the local level must complete and submit a volunteer application giving consent to an annual background check, according to Regulation I (c) 8 and 9 and Regulation I (b) of the Little League rulebook.

All leagues are required to perform annual background checks on managers, coaches, board of director members, and any volunteer or hired worker who provides regular service to the league and/or has repetitive access to, or contact with, players or teams.

ChoicePoint Criminal Background Checks

Little League has contracted with ChoicePoint to provide local leagues with a special Web site that allows members to search a national criminal records database of more than 200 million criminal records – instantly. And, after your first 80 FREE searches, you can continue using the service at the new reduced rate of \$1.00 per search—an even further discount from the previous cost of \$1.50 per search.

To sign up and begin searching, please visit http://littleleague.choicepoint.com.

Records included in the ChoicePoint national criminal database are gathered from multiple sources across all 50 states, including:

- Fugitive File and Government Watch List
- State and County criminal record repositories
- ChoicePoint proprietary criminal records
- Prison, parole, probation, and release files from state Departments of Corrections
- Administrative Office of Courts records
- Sex and Violent Offender Registries

To view the criminal records available through a ChoicePoint search, please visit http://littleleague.choicepoint.com and click on the "Data Matrix" link in the menu on the homepage.

If you have any questions about the ChoicePoint service, please contact customer support toll-free at 866-399-6647.

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EFFECTIVE IN 2007, A BACKGROUND CHECK CONDUCTED IN ONLY ONE STATE NO LONGER MEETS THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS OF LITTLE LEAGUE REGULATIONS. Local leagues must conduct a nationwide search that contains the applicable government sex offender registry data.

To assist local leagues, Little League International has teamed up with ChoicePoint to provide each chartered U.S. league with **80 free nationwide criminal searches**. Any additional searches above the 80 free searches will be available to all leagues at the **new reduced cost of only \$1.00 per search**.

A Broader Search Range Offers More Protection

The ChoicePoint criminal records database includes more than 8.9 million sex-related criminal records, compared to just 1.6 million records included in the database that came from state sex offender registries. This translates into more than 7 million sex-related records that are not listed in state sex offender registries that can be identified using the ChoicePoint national criminal database service.

Also, natural disasters such as Hurricane Katrina have displaced as many as 15,000 sex offenders, who did not immediately re-register in their new state of residence. Using the ChoicePoint national criminal records database, leagues can help identify sex offenders who were previously registered in another state, prior to moving to their current state of residence.

In addition to providing broader coverage, the ChoicePoint search will also help reveal many other potentially threatening criminal convictions, including felonies such as incest, risk of injury to a child, negligent storage of firearms and possession of narcotics.

2006 Little League Safety and Security Results

During the 2006 season, Little League performed nearly 100,000 searches through ChoicePoint. Results of the background checks identified:

- Nearly 15,000 criminal records on potential volunteers
 - 34 registered sex offenders among potential volunteers.
 - 1,008 felony records found on potential volunteers
 a 26 percent increase over the 2005 season.
 - 37 sex-related crimes found on potential volunteers (not registered as sex offenders).

Since the program's inception in 2003, Little League has performed more than 250,000 searches through the ChoicePoint service. The results have identified:

- More than 100,000 criminal records associated with volunteer applicants.
- 98 volunteer applicants who were registered sex offenders.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: If your league already has a ChoicePoint account, or is currently in the process of signing up for an account, do not sign up for a new account. Please use your existing account. For a friendly account number/password reminder, or if you have difficulty logging in to the Web site, please call toll free: 866-399-6647. Visit the Little League Web site at **www.littleleague.org** for more information about ChoicePoint.

ChoicePoint Customer Support

ChoicePoint offers technical support to all leagues 24 hours a day, seven days a week. If you have any questions about the ChoicePoint service, please contact customer support toll-free at 866-399-6647.

To sign up and begin searching with your 80 FREE searches, please visit http://littleleague.choicepoint.com.

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Facility surveys may also be entered online at: http://facilitysurvey.musco.com.

LITTLE LEAGUE BASEBALL_® & SOFTBALL NATIONAL FACILITY SURVEY

	League Name:	RIDGEFIELD	LITTLE LE	AGUE
	District #:6			
	ID #:230	-06-07		
(if needed)	ID #:			
(if needed)	ID #:			
	City:RIDGEFI		State:	NJ

President:JON HAASE	Safety Officer:STEVE PAYERLE
Address: 720 PEMBROKE WAY	Address:676 STEWART STREET
Address:	Address:
	City:RIDGEFIELD
State:NJZIP:07657	State: NJ ZIP: 07657
Phone (work):	Phone (work):
Phone (home):	Phone (home):
Phone (cell):201-280-8264	Phone (cell): 201-966-7971
Email: JHAASEMAN@YAHOO.COM	Email: OSCAR7300X@GMAIL.COM

PLANNING TOOL FOR FUTURE LEAGUE NEEDS

What are league's plans for improvements?	Indicate number of fields in boxes below.		
	Next 12 mons.	1-2 yrs.	2+ yrs.
a. New fields			
b. Basepath/infield	grass repair (1)		
c. Bases			
d. Scoreboards			replace (1)
e. Pressbox	new cabinets (1)		
f. Concession stand			
g. Restrooms			
h. Field lighting	replace bulbs (1)		
i. Warning track			
j. Bleachers		repair (1)	
k. Fencing			
1. Bull pens			
m. Dugouts			
n. Other (specify):			

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SPECIFIC BALLFIELD QUESTIONS

Please list all fields by name.

Field Identification (List your ballfields 1-20) Use additional forms if	more than 20 fields.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
ASAP - A Safety Awareness Program Urnited Edition 10-year Pin Collection																					
This survey can assist in finding areas of focus for your safety plan. During your annual field inspections, please complete this form and return along with your qualified safety plan. In return, we'll send you the 2013 Disney [®] character collector's pin shown at right featuring Tuffy at second base. Or enter data online at: http:// facilitysurvey. musco.com for your league. Check your email for your league identification and password.		Name: five fireman's field	Name:				_					Name:		Name:	Name:	Name:	Name;	Name:	Name:	Name;	_
Please answer the following questions for each field: GENERAL INVENTORY	Field # (For the following questions	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
1. How many cars can park in designated parking areas?	None						1			(ank.)			I			1	Т				
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	101 or more																				
2. How many people can your bleachers seat?	None/NA			-			<u> </u>														\vdash
	1-100																				
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What material is used for bleachers?	Wood	х																			\square
	Metal						1														
	Other						1														
4. Metal bleachers: Ground wire attached to ground rod?	Yes						1														\square
5. Wood bleachers: Are inspected annually for safety?	Yes	Х																			
6. Is a safety railing at the top/back of bleachers?	Yes	Х					1														
7. Is a handrail up the sides of bleachers?	Yes	Х																			\square
8. Is telephone service available?	Permanent	Х					1														\square
	Cellular				1																
9. Is a public address system available?	Permanent				1			1													
	Portable																				
10. Is there a pressbox?	Yes	х																			
11. Is there a scoreboard?	Yes	х			1																
12. Adequate bathroom facilities available?	Yes	X			Γ		1														
13. Permanent concession stands?	Yes	х																			
14. Mobile concession stands?	Yes				1	1		T													

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	Field #	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
FIELD																					
15. Is field completely fenced?	Yes	X	L																		
16. What type of fencing material is used?	Chainlink	X																			
	Wood	_								<u> </u>			<u> </u>	<u> </u>	<u> </u>						⊢
	Wire									<u> </u>				<u> </u>	ļ						
17. What base path material is used?	Sand, clay, soil mix Ground burnt brick	X								 		<u> </u>		—	<u> </u>	 				ļ	
	Other:	-								<u> </u>	<u> </u>					<u> </u>					┣—
18. What is used to mark baseline?	Non-caustic lime	1 x								├──	<u> </u>	<u> </u>		-	-	<u> </u>			<u> </u>		⊢
	Spray paint	+^										<u> </u>				-					├──
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19. Is your the infield surface grass?	Yes	X								<u> </u>						 —					<u> </u>
20. Does field have conventional dirt pitching mound?	Yes	X													İ –						
21. Does field have a temporary pitching mound?	Yes											-		1							
22. Are there foul poles?	Yes	Х																			
23. Backstop behind home plate?	Yes	Х																			
PERFORMANCE AND PLAYER SAFETY																					
24. Is there an outfield warning track?	Yes	X																			
24.a. If yes, what width is warning track? Please specify:	(Width in feet)	6																			
25. Batter's eye (screen/covering) at center field?	Yes	X																			
26. Pitcher's eye (screen/covering) behind home plate?	Yes	X																			
27. Are there protective fences in front of the dugouts?	Yes	_^																			
 Is there a protected, on-deck batter's area? (On-deck areas have been eliminated for ages 12 and below.) 	Yes	x																			
29. Do you have fenced, limited access bull pens?	Yes																				
30. Is a first aid kit provided per field?	Yes	X																			
31. Do bleachers have spectator foul ball protection?	Overhead screens																				
	Fencing behind	X																			
32. Do your bases disengage from their anchors? (Mandatory since 2008)	Yes	X																			
33. Is the field lighted?	Yes	X																			
34. Are light levels at/above Little League standards?	Yes	X																			
(50 footcandles infield/30 footcandles outfield)	Don't know																				
35. What type of poles are used?	Wood*	X												1							
(Wood poles have not been allowed by Little League	Steel														1	 					
for new construction of lighting since 1994)	Concrete	+								1											
36. Is electrical wiring to each pole underground?	Yes	X																			
37. Ground wires connected to ground rods on each pole?	Yes	X																			
38. Which fields were tested/inspected in the last two years?	Electrical System													1							
Please indicate month/year testing was done (example: 3/10).	Light Levels																				
39. Fields tested/inspected by qualified technician?	Electrical System													1							
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FACILITY MANAGEMENT																				-
40. Which fields have the following limitations:																				8
a. Amount of time for practice?	Yes																	T	Τ	
b. Number of teams or games?	Yes																		Т	
c. Scheduling and/or timing?	Yes																			
41. Who owns the field?	Municipal	X																		_
	School																		Τ	
	League																			
42. Who is responsible for operational energy costs?	Municipal	X																		
	School																			
	League																			
43. Who is responsible for operational maintenance?	Municipal	X																	Τ	
	School																			
	League	X																	Τ	
44. Who is responsible for puchasing improvements	Municipal	X																		
for the field - ie bleachers, fences, lights?	School																			
	League																			
	Other																			
45. What divisions of baseball play on each field?	T-Ball & Minor	X																		
	Major	X																		
	Jr., Sr. & Big																			
	Challenger																			
	50 – 70																			
46. What divisions of softball play on each field?	T-Ball & Minor																			
	Major																			
	Jr., Sr. & Big																			
	Challenger																			
47. Do you plan to host tournaments on this field?	Yes	X																Τ		

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FIELD DIMENSION DATA

Please complete for each field. Use additional space if necessary.

	Height	Dis	tance from	home plate	to:		F	oul territory	distance fr	om:	
	of	C	outfield fend	e		Left fie	eld line to f	ence at:	Right f	ield line to	fence at:
Field	outfield				Back			Outfield			Outfield
No.	fence	Left	Center	Right	stop	Home	3rd	foul pole	Home	1st	foul pole
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Return completed survey with safety program registration and supporting materials by April 1, 2013 to:

Mailing address: Little League International PO Box 3485 Williamsport, PA 17701

Shipping address: Little League International 539 US Route 15 Hwy. South Williamsport, PA 17702

Leagues completing their facility survey online at http://facilitysurvey.musco.com should include it with safety plan submission. 2013 LL Season



The New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station Office of Continuing Professional Education

Presents this certificate to

Jonathan Haase

For successfully completing the requirements of

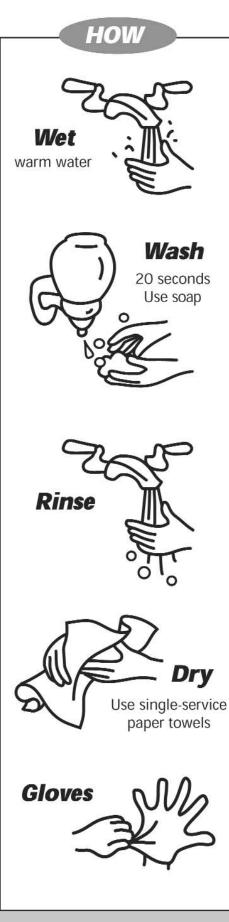
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September 23, 2009 - September 24, 2009

Edward V. Lipman, Jr. Director Office of Continuing Professional Education 01.6 CEUs

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Volunteers Must Wash Hands



WHEN

Wash your hands before you prepare food or as often as needed.

Wash after you:

- use the toilet
- touch uncooked meat, poultry, fish or eggs or other potentially hazardous foods
- interrupt working with food (such as answering the phone, opening a door or drawer)
- eat, smoke or chew gum
- touch soiled plates, utensils or equipment
- take out trash
- ▶ touch your nose, mouth, or any part of your body
- sneeze or cough

Do not touch ready-to-eat foods with your bare hands.

Use gloves, tongs, deli tissue or other serving utensils. Remove all jewelry, nail polish or false nails unless you wear gloves.

Wear gloves.

when you have a cut or sore on your hand when you can't remove your jewelry

If you wear gloves:

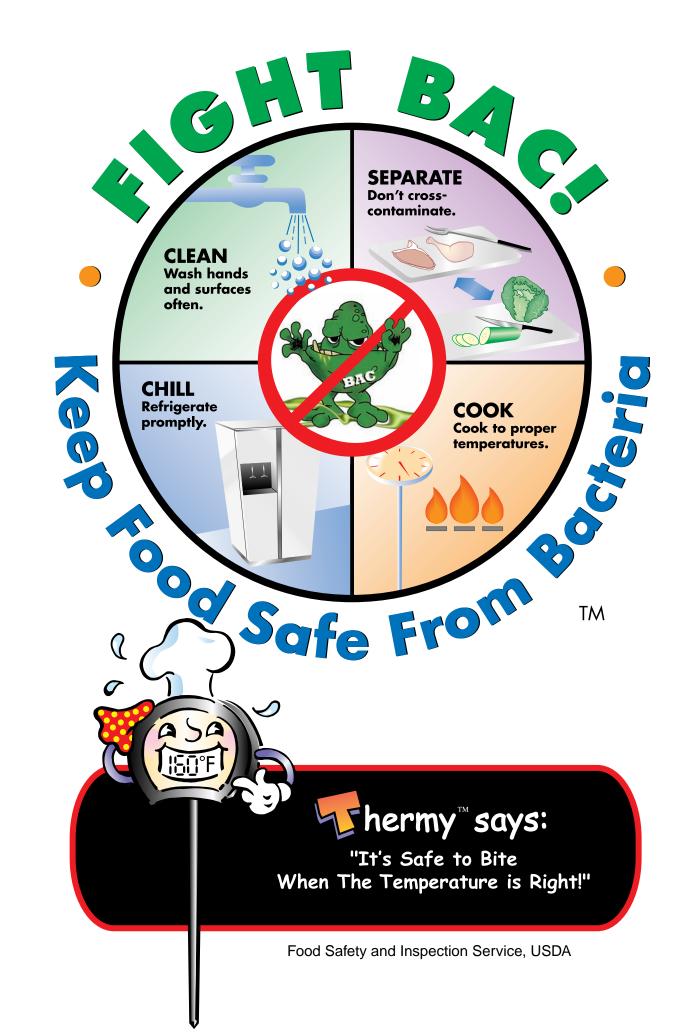
wash your hands before you put on new gloves

Change them:

- as often as you wash your hands
- when they are torn or soiled

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Activities/Reporting

A Safety Awareness Program's Incident/Injury Tracking Report

League Name:		Leag	gue ID:		Incic	dent Date	:
Field Name/Location	:				Incic	dent Time	:
Injured Person's Nar	ne:			Date	of Birth:		
Address:				Age:_		Sex: 🗆 N	/lale 🗇 Female
City:		_StateZ	(IP:	Home	Phone:	() _	
Parent's Name (If Pla							
Parents' Address (If	Different):			_ City _			
Incident occurred v	while participating	ı in:					
A.) 🗇 Baseball	Softball	Challenger	🗆 TAD				
B.) □ Challenger		· · · ·	🗖 Major (9	-12)	Junior	[.] (13-14)	
 □ Senior (14-16) C.) □ Tryout □ Travel to 		,	□ Tournam be):		Specia		
Position/Role of pe	rson(s) involved i	n incident:	·				
D.) □ Batter	□ Baserunner	Pitcher	□ Catcher		🗇 First E	Base	□ Second
🗖 Third	Short Stop	Left Field	Center F	ield	🗆 Right	Field	Dugout
Umpire	Coach/Manage	er 🗇 Spectator	Voluntee	r	□ Other:	:	
Type of injury:							
Was first aid requir	ed? 🗆 Yes 🗆 No	If yes, what:					
Was professional n (If yes, the player mu		-					
Type of incident an	d location:						
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Grounds Defe	•		-	nteer W			ague Activity
Other:			🗆 Cust	omer/B	ystander	🗆 Ot	her:
Please give a short	description of in	cident:					

Could this accident have been avoided? How: ____

This form is for Little League purposes only, to report safety hazards, unsafe practices and/or to contribute positive ideas in order to improve league safety. When an accident occurs, obtain as much information as possible. For all claims or injuries which could become claims, please fill out and turn in the official Little League Baseball Accident Notification Form available from your league president and send to Little League Headquarters in Williamsport (Attention: Dan Kirby, Risk Management Department). Also, provide your District Safety Officer with a copy for District files. All personal injuries should be reported to Williamsport as soon as possible.

Prepared By/Position:	Phone Number: ()
Signature:	Date:

B	Medic	al Release		
æ	NOTE: To be carried by any Team Manager together with			LOYAL
Player:		Da	te of Birth: _	
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Please list any allergies/medical problems, including those requiring maintenance medication. (i.e. Diabetic, Asthma, Seizure Disorder)

Medical Diagnosis	Medication	Dosage	Frequency of Dosage

The purpose of the above listed information is to ensure that medical personnel have details of any medical problem which may interfere with or alter treatment.

Date of last Tetanus Toxoid Booster:

Mr./Mrs./Ms.

Authorized Parent/Guardian Signature

WARNING: Protective equipment cannot prevent all injuries a player might receive while participating in Baseball/Softball.

Little League Baseball does not limit participation in its activities on the basis of disability, race, color, creed, national origin, gender, sexual preference or religious preference.

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### INSTRUCTIONS FOR FILING AN ACCIDENT CLAIM:

- 1. **IMMEDIATELY** submit a claim for all medical expenses to the Company that administers your own personal or group insurance or healthcare plan (including Major Medical coverage). If you have coverage through an HMO or similar facility, you **must** use those medical facilities and physicians first or the claim will not be covered under this policy.
- 2. After your other insurance or healthcare plan has paid the medical expenses up to the policy limits, attach any unpaid bills and copies of payments made by your insurance company (Explanation of Benefits) to this claim form and mail to the address shown below.
- 3. Please check and make sure that:
  - a) An Official or Administrator of the Policyholder has completed his/her section of the claim form.
  - b) You have completed and signed the Parent/Guardian or Insured's Statement of other Insurance.
  - c) The Medical Records Authorization **MUST** be signed and dated. If you want payments to be sent directly to your doctor or healthcare provider, sign the Payment Authorization Section.
  - d) You have attached all unpaid bills to this form.
  - e) You have attached any Explanation of Benefits forms that you have received from your Primary insurance carrier or other healthcare plan.
  - f) You have completed the front of this form.
- 4. Subsequent bills should be sent in as you receive them. Please write the claimant's name, policy number and date of accident on all subsequent bills. A new claim form is not necessary.

If you need further information, call Bollinger at 973-467-0444. Our Accident Claims fax number is 973-921-2876.



P. O. BOX 390, SHORT HILLS, NJ 07078-0390 TELEPHONE (973) 467-0444

### AMATEUR SPORTS ACCIDENT PROOF OF LOSS SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS

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# Coach, Please Let Players Catch!



### **REMEMBER:**

# Coaches and managers must not warm up pitchers. Let Players Catch.

### RULE 3.09

"...Managers or coaches must not warm up a pitcher at home plate or in the bull pen or elsewhere at any time. They may, however, stand to observe a pitcher during warm-up in the bull pen."





# Caution Foul Ball Hazard





# **For Your Safety No Bicycle Riding Allowed** in the Park **Walk Bicycles** Only

LEAGUE:

MAJOR

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<u>PITCH</u> <u>COUNT</u>

AWAY Manager:

HOME Manager:

Umpire (Home Plate)

Pitch Count Rules: (Age 11-12 & 9-10)

- Throws
   0 to 20

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   51 to 65
- pitches, requires ZERO (0) calendar days rest
- pitches, requires ONE (1) calendar days rest
- pitches, requires TWO (2) calendar days rest
- pitches, requires THREE (3) calendar days rest
- Throws **66**
- pitches, requires FOUR (4) calendar days rest
- Notes:
- A Pitcher can throw a maximum of 85 pitches (75 for age 9-10) in one game
- Players once removed from the mound may not return as pitchers.
- A pitcher that delivers 41 or more pitches can not play the position of catcher.
- A catcher that plays in 4 or more innings can not pitch.
- Pitcher may finish batter & maintain number of days rest based on first pitch of the at bat.

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AWAY Manager:

HOME Manager:

Umpire (Home Plate)

Pitch Count Rules:

- Throws 0 to 20
- Throws 21 to 35
- Throws 36 to 50
- Throws 51 to 65
- pitches, requires TWO (2) calendar days rest

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- pitches, requires THREE (3) calendar days rest
- Throws **66**
- pitches, requires FOUR (4) calendar days rest
- Notes:
- A Pitcher can throw a maximum of 85 pitches (75 for age 9-10) (50 for age 7-8)
- Players once removed from the mound may not return as pitchers.
- A pitcher that delivers 41 or more pitches can not play the position of catcher.
- A catcher that plays in 4 or more innings can not pitch.
- Pitcher may finish batter & maintain number of days rest based on first pitch of the at bat.

### Ridgefield Boro Athletic Organization (Tee Ball Rules)

- 1. No score will be kept.
- 2. Each game is 3 innings.
- 3. Each child will bat each inning. The batting order must be changed for each inning so that the last child up in the first inning will be the first child up in the second inning. The batting order must change for each game. Each child must get a chance to bat in a different order and run all the bases.
- 4. No pitching. Each batter will use the tee. Each batter will get 3 swings, and then the coach must help. No strikeouts.
- 5. Each child must reach base after every at bat.
- 6. One base at a time. After the last batter, all runners will advance to home. No advancing on overthrows.
- 7. All players play the field.
- 8. Coaches shall umpire the games.
- 9. Jewelry of any form is not permitted.
- 10. Smoking or Chewing gum is not permitted on the playing field or in the dugout.
- 11. Absolutely no yelling or arguing from players, coaches or parents. One warning and then the player, coach or parent will be ejected.
- 12. All coaches (including the manager) must be Rutgers-certified and must file a volunteer application and undergo a background check. A maximum of four coaches (including the manager) are allowed in the dugout. Only coaches and players are permitted in the dugout area or on the field no other parents or children. All gates must be kept closed.
- 13. No food in the dugout including sunflower seeds. No soda only water or Gatorade allowed. No ball throwing or bat swinging allowed in the dugout. While there are players in the dugout there must be at least one coach in the dugout.
- 14. All players on the batting team must be confined to the dugout except the batter. The on-deck batter can be in the on-deck area but must not swing a bat. All equipment except bats must be kept within the dugout and not in the on-deck area or flowerbeds. NO PLAYER CAN HOLD OR SWING A BAT EXCEPT WHEN AT BAT. NO BALL THROWING IN DUGOUT.
- 15. Field maintenance must be done both before and after the game by the coaches for both teams (unless one team is from out of town). Required field maintenance includes raking fields and cleaning dugouts.
- 16. Rule changes can only be made and approved by the R.B.A.O. President and Council.

### Ridgefield Boro Athletic Organization (Coach Pitch Rules)

- 1. No score will be kept.
- 2. Each game is 3 innings.
- 3. Each child will bat each inning. The batting order must be changed for each inning so that the last child up in the first inning will be the first child up in the second inning. The batting order must change for each game. Each child must get a chance to bat in a different order and run all the bases.
- 4. Each batter will have the option of being pitched to by the coach or to hit off the tee. If the batter is pitched to, they will get 6 pitches or 3 swings, and then they must use the tee. When the batter uses the tee, they will get 3 swings, and then the coach must help. No strikeouts.
- 5. In each inning, the entire line up for each team bats, regardless of the number of outs made. Three outs does not end the inning.
- 6. After the last batter, all runners will advance to home. No advancing on overthrows.
- 7. All players play the field.
- 8. Coaches shall umpire the games.
- 9. Jewelry of any form is not permitted.
- 10. Smoking or Chewing gum is not permitted on the playing field or in the dugout.
- 11. Absolutely no yelling or arguing from players, coaches or parents. One warning and then the player, coach or parent will be ejected.
- 12. All coaches (including the manager) must be Rutgers-certified, and must file a volunteer application and undergo a background check. A maximum of four coaches (including the manager) are allowed in the dugout. Only coaches and players are permitted in the dugout area or on the field no other parents or children. All gates must be kept closed.
- 13. No food in the dugout including sunflower seeds. No soda only water or Gatorade allowed. No ball throwing or bat swinging allowed in the dugout. While there are players in the dugout there must be at least one coach in the dugout.
- 14. All players on the batting team must be confined to the dugout except for the batter. The ondeck batter can be in the on-deck area but must not swing a bat. All equipment except bats must be kept within the dugout and not in the on-deck area or flowerbeds. NO PLAYER CAN HOLD OR SWING A BAT EXCEPT WHEN AT BAT. NO BALL THROWING IN DUGOUT.
- 15. Field maintenance must be done both before and after the game by the coaches for both teams (unless one team is from out of town). Required field maintenance includes raking fields and cleaning dugouts.
- 16. Rule changes can only be made and approved by the R.B.A.O. President and Council.

### Ridgefield Boro Athletic Organization (Minor League Rules)

- 1. No smoking on the field or in the dugout at any time.
- 2. Chewing gum is not permitted on the playing field or in the dugout.
- 3. No food in the dugout including sunflower seeds. No soda, only water or Gatorade allowed. No ball throwing or bat swinging allowed in the dugout. While there are players in the dugout there must be at least one coach in the dugout.
- 4. All players must be in uniform, which includes game hat, pants, and shirt.
- 5. Jewelry of any form is not permitted.
- 6. Absolutely no yelling or arguing from players, coaches or parents. One warning and then the player, coach or parent will be ejected.
- 7. All coaches (including the manager) must be Rutgers-certified, attend a coaching & safety clinic, and must file a volunteer application and undergo a background check. A maximum of four coaches (including the manager) are allowed in the dugout. Only coaches and players are permitted in the dugout area or on the field no other parents or children. All gates must be kept closed.
- 8. All players on the batting team must be confined to the dugout except the batter. The ondeck batter can be in the on-deck area but must not swing a bat. All equipment except bats must be kept within the dugout and not in the on-deck area or flowerbeds. NO PLAYER CAN HOLD OR SWING A BAT EXCEPT WHEN AT BAT. NO BALL THROWING IN DUGOUT.
- 9. All teams must clean their dugout at the end of each game or practice.
- 10. Either the 40-foot pitching rubber or the standard 46 foot rubber can be used to pitch from.
- 11. All teams must have at least 8 players in attendance to start and continue the game. If the ninth player or additional players arrive late they must bat at the end of the order.
- 12. Unless due to injury, if the ninth player leaves the game and cannot be replaced by another player, the ninth player's slot in the batting order is an automatic out.
- 13. Catchers must wear a protective cup, Little League rules apply to catcher that pitches.
- 14. After four walks in an inning, the pitcher must be changed or opposing coach must pitch.
- 15. A batter that is hit by a pitch counts as a walk. The batter must make an attempt to avoid getting hit by the pitch (umpire's call). No intentional walks are allowed.
- 16. Pitchers must follow the established Little League pitch count rules. If a pitcher is removed in an inning to allow the opposing coach to pitch after giving up four walks and the pitcher is

under the maximum pitch count, the pitcher can return as pitcher in the next inning. A pitcher cannot return as pitcher after having been replaced by another pitcher..

- 17. Pinch runner for the catcher must be the last player out and is permitted when there are 2 outs.
- 18. Base runner will take one base on an overthrow or if the ball gets stuck or goes under the fence; stealing is not allowed.
- 19. An inning is over when there are three outs or one time around the entire batting order, whichever comes first. Must play a continuous batting order of all players on roster. Must play three outfielders not four.
- 20. The game is six innings, if home team is "winning" after top of sixth, the score is final however bottom of inning is still played, time permitting. Ten (10) run rule applies after three (3) full innings.
- 21. There is a 2-hour time limit. If game starts at 5:30 and a major league game follows, then no inning may start after 7:00 pm and the game must stop at 7:15 pm after the current batter.
- 22. All players must play the field at least two innings.
- 23. Field maintenance must be done both before and after the game by the coaches for both teams (unless one team is from out of town). Required field maintenance includes raking fields and cleaning dugouts. Minor league coaches must remove the 40-foot pitching rubber after the game.
- 24. Rule changes can only be made and approved by the R.B.A.O. President and Council.

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