



2020 WILMINGTON BLUE ROCKS BASEBALL CAMPS



COVID-19 GUIDELINES

FOR ALL 2020 ON-FIELD BASEBALL, CAMP & CLINIC ACTIVITY

ALL GUIDANCE PROVIDED BY DELAWARE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES
DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN ACCORDANCE WITH CDC GUIDELINES

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PER GOVERNOR JOHN CARNEY & DELAWARE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, SUMMER CAMPS AND BASEBALL/SOFTBALL ARE PERMITTED TO RESUME IN THE FIRST STATE EFFECTIVE MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2020 PROVIDED THAT ALL GUIDELINES WITH RESPECT TO SOCIAL DISTANCING AND COVID-19 SAFETY LAID OUT BY THE STATE ARE OBSERVED. THE WILMINGTON BLUE ROCKS ARE COMMITTED TO PROVIDING A SAFE AND ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE FOR ALL AND WILL FOLLOW ALL COVID-19 GUIDELINES MANDATED BY THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

BLUE ROCKS CAMP AND CLINIC REGULATIONS:

- 1. HAND WASHING** – ALL ATTENDEES WILL BE URGED TO WASH THEIR HANDS WITH SOAP AND WATER AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE DURING THEIR TIME AT FRAWLEY STADIUM. HAND SANITIZING STATIONS WILL BE PLACED ON THE WARNING TRACK AROUND THE FIELD AND THROUGHOUT THE FACILITY. HAND WASHING BREAKS WILL BE BUILT INTO EACH CAMP AND CLINIC SESSION.
- 2. SOCIAL DISTANCING** – ANYONE ENTERING FRAWLEY STADIUM FOR A CAMP OR CLINIC WILL BE REQUIRED TO MAINTAIN AT LEAST 6 FEET BETWEEN THEMSELVES AND OTHERS WHENEVER FEASIBLE. SHARED DUGOUTS WILL NOT BE UTILIZED FOR CAMPS AND CLINICS. EACH ATTENDEE WILL BE ASSIGNED A SPECIFIC LOCATION ON THE WARNING TRACK OR SEATING BOWL TO STORE THEIR BELONGINGS.
- 3. FACE COVERINGS** – ANYONE OVER THE AGE OF 12 THAT ENTERS FRAWLEY MUST WEAR A FACE COVERING IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE MANDATES. FURTHER, THE STATE OF DELAWARE RECOMMENDS FACE COVERINGS FOR CHILDREN AGES 2-12. PLEASE BE PREPARED BY BRINGING A FACE COVERING. FOR CAMP AND CLINIC ATTENDEES, FACE COVERINGS WHILE ON THE FIELD OF PLAY ARE NOT REQUIRED.
- 4. CLEANING & DISINFECTING** – ALL ATTENDEES WILL BE URGED TO DISPOSE OF ALL TRASH AND REMOVE ALL PERSONAL EQUIPMENT FROM FRAWLEY STADIUM FOLLOWING EACH GAME. SEVERAL TIMES EACH DAY, AN EPA LIST 6 APPROVED DISINFECTANT WILL BE USED IN ALL RESTROOMS AND ON FREQUENTLY TOUCHED SURFACES.
- 5. HEALTH MONITORING** – ALL CAMP AND CLINIC STAFF, INSTRUCTORS AND COACHES WILL BE SUBJECT TO A TEMPERATURE CHECK AND HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE PRIOR TO ENTERING FRAWLEY STADIUM EACH DAY. ANYONE SHOWING ANY SIGNS OR SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS WILL BE DENIED ENTRY TO FRAWLEY STADIUM AND MAY NOT RETURN UNTIL MEDICALLY CLEARED BY A HEALTH PROFESSIONAL. A TRAINED AND CERTIFIED MEDIC WILL BE ON SITE FOR EACH CAMP AND CLINIC. ALL WHO ENTER FRAWLEY STADIUM MAY BE SUBJECT TO A TEMPERATURE CHECK AND A BRIEF HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE.
- 6. STAFF, INSTRUCTORS AND COACHES** – PER STATE MANDATES, ALL STAFF, INSTRUCTORS AND COACHES WILL BE REQUIRED TO WEAR A FACE COVERING DURING CAMPS AND CLINICS. AT LEAST 6 FEET OF SOCIAL DISTANCE WILL BE MAINTAINED BETWEEN STAFF, INSTRUCTORS, COACHES AND ATTENDEES WHENEVER FEASIBLE.
- 7. RESTROOMS** - DUGOUT RESTROOMS WILL BE UNAVAILABLE. ONLY THE THIRD-BASE RESTROOMS AT FRAWLEY STADIUM WILL BE AVAILABLE AND THEY WILL BE SANITIZED WITH AN EPA LIST 6 APPROVED DISINFECTANT AT THE END OF EACH DAY.
- 8. EQUIPMENT** - EACH ATTENDEE WILL BE ASKED TO PLEASE BRING THEIR OWN EQUIPMENT (GLOVE, HELMET, BAT, SUN PROTECTION, ETC). PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL EQUIPMENT IS CLEARLY MARKED WITH THE ATTENDEE'S NAME.
- 9. GROUPS** - EACH ATTENDEE WILL BE GROUPED AS BEST AS POSSIBLE WITH THEIR AGE GROUP. GROUP NUMBERS WILL BE MINIMIZED IN ACCORDANCE WITH STATE GUIDELINES. EACH GROUP WILL HAVE A COUNSELOR ASSIGNED TO IT AND WILL ROTATE TOGETHER WITH THAT COUNSLER TO DIFFERENT STATIONS.



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BLUE ROCKS CAMP AND CLINIC REGULATIONS (CONT):

10. FOOD & BEVERAGE - COMMUNAL WATER COOLERS AND DISPOSABLE CUPS WILL NOT BE PROVIDED, PER STATE GUIDELINES. ALL ATTENDEES SHOULD ENSURE THEY BRING ENOUGH WATER FOR THE DURATION OF EACH SESSION. A PRE-PACKAGED LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED TO EACH ATTENDEE AT THE CONCLUSION OF EACH SESSION.

11. CONDUCT/BEHAVIOR - ALL ATTENDEES WILL BE URGED TO MAINTAIN AT LEAST 6 FEET OF SOCIAL DISTANCE BETWEEN THEMSELVES AND OTHERS WHENEVER FEASIBLE WHILE ON THE PLAYING SURFACE. FURTHER, SPITTING AND CHEWING SEEDS OR GUM WILL NOT BE PERMITTED WITHIN FRAWLEY STADIUM.

12. PARENTS/GUARDIANS - PARENTS AND GUARDIANS WILL BE URGED TO DROP OFF ATTENDEES PRIOR TO THE BEGINNING OF EACH SESSION. AFTER CHECK-IN, THEY SHOULD PROCEED TO EXIT FRAWLEY STADIUM AND RETURN AT THE END OF EACH SESSION TO PICK ATTENDEES UP. FRAWLEY STADIUM IS SUBJECT TO CAPACITY LIMITS SET FORTH BY THE STATE AND CANNOT CURRENTLY ACCOMMODATE SPECTATORS IN THE STANDS.

IF ANY ATTENDEE - OR HOUSEHOLD MEMBER OF ANY ATTENDEE - IS SHOWING ANY SIGNS/SYMPTOMS OF ILLNESS, THEY SHOULD NOT REPORT TO FRAWLEY STADIUM FOR ANY REASON.

GUIDELINES FOR THE RESUMPTION OF COMPETITIVE OR RECREATIONAL BASEBALL

THE FOLLOWING IS A MODIFICATION OF THE RULES FOR BASEBALL/SOFTBALL RELEASED BY DELAWARE HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH THAT ALLOWS FOR THE RESUMPTION OF BASEBALL GAMES/CAMPS/CLINICS AS OF MONDAY, JUNE 15, 2020 WITH SOCIAL DISTANCING AND OTHER SAFETY PROCEDURES OBSERVED. ALL OTHER RULES OF THE SPORT NOT HERE ARE ASSUMED TO BE IN PLACE, SUBJECT TO THE DISCRETION OF THE INDIVIDUAL ADMINISTRATIVE BODY. WHEN NOT ACTIVELY PLAYING THE SPORT, PARTICIPANTS SHOULD CONTINUE TO PRACTICE SOCIAL DISTANCING WHEN NOT FROM THE SAME HOUSEHOLD.

1. HOME PLATE UMPIRE SHALL STAND BEHIND THE PITCHER'S MOUND (SOCIALLY DISTANCED FROM PITCHER) IN ORDER TO CALL BALLS AND STRIKES
2. A CATCHER SHOULD BE KEPT AT LEAST SIX (6) FEET FROM THE BATTER. IF THIS IS NOT POSSIBLE, A CATCHER SHOULD NOT BE USED.
3. NO STEALING OF SECOND BASE IS PERMITTED, SO THAT FIRST BASEMAN CAN BE SOCIALLY DISTANCED FROM HOLDING RUNNER ON FIRST BASE. FIRST BASEMAN SHOULD BE AT LEAST SIX (6) FEET FROM THE RUNNER.
4. THE BALL SHOULD BE ROTATED OUT AS FREQUENTLY AS POSSIBLE, OR BE DISINFECTED BETWEEN INNINGS.
5. EQUIPMENT (BATS, GLOVES, CATCHERS GEAR, ETC.) SHOULD NOT BE SHARED BETWEEN PLAYERS.
6. DISTANCING ON THE FIELD, AND IN THE STANDS IN PLACE.
7. BASE COACHES SHOULD DISTANCE THEMSELVES FROM BASERUNNERS, PLAYERS, AND UMPIRES IN FIELD OF PLAY.
8. NO COMMUNITY WATER COOLER.
9. NO SPITTING, CHEWING GUM, OR SUNFLOWER SEEDS.
10. INDIVIDUAL TEAMS SHOULD USE THEIR OWN SETS OF BASEBALLS OR SOFTBALLS.