



Return to Play Tournament Guidelines

Teams

- Teams are responsible for cleaning all trash from their dugout after each game.
- Teams should not enter the dugout until the other team completely exits.
- Teams are recommended to thoroughly wipe down dugout upon entrance.
- Teams are prohibited from handshakes/high fives (air high fives are recommended!)
- Warm-ups should only take place in the outfield
- Recommended to provide hand sanitizer to their athletes. (None will be provided)
- No chewing gum or sunflower seeds allowed in the dugout.

Athletes

- Allowed to wear PPE masks during the game, but not required.
- No team huddles on the field during the game.
- No sharing of equipment (bat, helmet, glove, etc.)
- All players must have their own water bottles (no sharing).

Coaches

- If a coach visits the pitcher, all other players to stay at their positions.
- Only 3 coaches will be allowed in the dugout.

Pre-Game Meeting

- One coach is allowed from each team and must properly social distance.
- No players allowed at the coaches meeting.
- Umpires do not need to receive a lineup from each team.
- Each team's scorekeeper should exchange line up cards electronically example:
Take a photo of your lineup and send it via text to the opposing teams scorekeeper and umpire.

Game Balls

- Use two set of game balls for each game
- One set for when the home team is in the field
- One set for when the visiting team is in the field
- Teams will manage their own game balls
- Teams are recommended to wipe them down with a disinfecting wipe when they go out of play and are handled by others.

-All game balls must be turned into a Seminole Sports staff member post game.

Umpires

- Umpires will call balls and strikes 6 feet behind the pitcher.
- Umpires may wear PPE if they desire but are not required to do so.
- Umpires will verbally confirm final score with both teams and then provide score sheet to Seminole Sports staff.

Fans

- Will only be permitted in the outfield and deep along the foul lines.
- No bleachers, fans will be asked to bring their own chairs.
- Fans will not be permitted in the areas behind home plate or around the dugouts.
- Fans are asked to respect social distancing guidelines at all times while on site.
- If you are a spectator please do not enter the park until it is your teams time to play. This will allow the other teams to clear out and open up space for you to get in.
- Once your game has ended, we ask the parents, players, and coaches to vacate the premises to avoid large groups of people gathering. Only show up to the fields if your team is scheduled to play.
- Parents, please vacate the area you were sitting at once your game has finished to allow the next teams parents to come in and set up their seats.
- Any individual who is running a temperature, sick, or not feeling well should not attend any tournaments.

Post-Game

- Each team will line up along their respective foul line, then acknowledge the opposing team with a tip of the cap/round of applause.
- Following the tip of the cap/round of applause teams are asked to immediately clean up and vacate their dugout.
- If you have a team meeting after a game, please take your team away from the dugouts and others and distance your group.
- Award ceremonies will be contact less. Seminole Sports staff will give a brief speech towards both teams and then present the teams with their awards so they can distribute independently. All teams should send photos with their awards to mia@seminole-sports.com so we can recognize the applicable teams on Seminole Sports social media platforms.

Concessions

Will be managed and operated at the discretion of the hosting site

Restrooms

Will be managed and maintained by the hosting site



RETURN TO PLAY Seminoles Sports Waiver Disclaimer

PLEASE READ BEFORE SIGNING:

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in SEMINOLE SPORTS TOURNAMENTS, baseball/softball program involved in event and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

1. The risk of injury and/or illness from the activities involved in the program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce the risk, the risk of serious sickness and injury does exist;
2. The risk to have direct or indirect contact with individuals who have been exposed to and/or diagnosed with one or more communicable diseases, including but not limited to COVID-19 or other medical conditions, diseases, or maladies, and/or any mutation or variation thereof does exist and it is impossible to eliminate the risk that I could become infected through contact with or close proximity to an individual with a communicable disease;
3. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
4. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms/guidelines and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual, significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such hazard to the attention of the nearest Seminole Sports staff member.
5. I, for the player, participants, us parents, myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next kin, HEREBY RELEASE, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS SEMINOLE SPORTS LLC, its employees, agents, members, managers, officers, officials, representatives, contractors, other players, other participants, sponsoring agencies, directors, sponsors, advertisers, premises owners and lessors of the premises used to conduct the event (collectively "Releases") from and against any and all liabilities, damages, injuries, illnesses, disabilities, deaths, costs, expenses, fees and attorney fees incurred arising from or in any way negligent acts or omissions of Releases.

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