



## **LITHYAA 2020 Summer Guidelines**

### Fields and Dugouts

- Only players, coaches and designated helpers are allowed on the field during practice and games
- Only players and two coaches per team are allowed on the field during games
- Every effort should be made to keep players at a safe distance, this includes team huddles, drill stations and other areas of congregation
- Dugouts can now be used for shade but safe distancing should be maintained. Additionally players should place bags, bats, gloves, etc. alongside the fence inside the field for practice, outside the field for games.
- No seeds or other food allowed inside playing field

### Coaches

- No more than 2 coaches will be allowed on field per team during games
- No more than 4 coaches and helpers will be allowed on the field during practices
- Two base coaches are allowed but must maintain safe distance from baseman and runner
- Pre-game coaches meetings should be conducted at a safe distance
- Coaches will be provided with one bottle of hand sanitizer
- No “good game” handshake lines after games, players are allowed to line up on base lines and offer congratulations across diamond

### Players and Teams

- No extra batting helmet will be provided this season, players must bring their own batting helmets
- No sharing of bats, gloves or helmets will be allowed between players other than family members
- In-House teams will be provided one set of catcher’s equipment. This equipment should NOT be shared between players during a practice or game. Equipment should be sprayed down or wiped down between uses.
- Players are allowed to bring their own catchers equipment but may not share with teammates.
- Catchers should provide ample space behind the batter’s box to create a reasonable distance between catcher and batter
- Masks for players are not required but allowed at player and parent’s discretion
- Sharing of sunscreen, eyeblack, etc. is not recommended.



#### Parents and Family Members

- Family members and fans should be limited per household, please refrain from bringing large groups, elderly or other at risk family members and friends to the ball park
- Masks for fans are not required
- Maintain a safe (6 foot) distance from other fans and groups of fans
- Hand Sanitizer is recommended to be provided by parents if desired, coaches will be provided one bottle.
- Concession stands will not be open this summer, please plan accordingly
- Restrooms are maintained by the village and can't be guaranteed to be accessible at all times