



2020 LMSP Return To Play

*“canada’s largest coed league”*

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### **Follow all Government Health Regulations and Mandates**

- This includes Provincial, City and Municipal restrictions – all Laws and Bylaw’s must be adhered to at all times.
- Leagues and Event Coordinators are advised to review with their local permit officers/municipal contacts their specific requirements to ensure they understand all necessary requirements.

### **Personal Protection**

- **Do not come to the game if you are ill, show any symptoms or have been around someone who is ill**
- The use of personal fitted batting gloves at all times is recommended
- The use of individual antibacterial hand sanitizer is recommended
- NO shared equipment
- Defensive teams supply game balls
- Balls should be wiped before each inning
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue or into your elbow when coughing or sneezing
- Do not spit
- Wash your hands often

### **Arrival/Departure at the Fields**

- Arrive 15 minutes maximum before scheduled game time.
- ENTER park on the right, EXIT park on right.
- Leave facilities immediately upon game completion
- There will be absolutely no congregating at parks, facilities or parking areas before or after your game.

### **Social Distancing During the Game**

- There will be a no contact, “no handshakes or high fiving”
- No warm up of any kind before games.
- No pick ups will be allowed. You MUST use the players on your League Team Roster
- During batting, players will need to line up along the fence outside of the diamond spread out accordingly
- The dug out will only be used by the on deck batter, or participants can distance accordingly to space available
- Coaches will stand 2 meters away from 1st and 3rd base at all times, however, it is recommended that there be no base coaches
- The catcher will stand 2 meters behind the strike mat
- Defensive players will stay 2 meters away from any base runner
- It is recommended that spectators be kept to a minimum
- Any coaching conferences must maintain 2 meter distancing
- All garbage must be collected and removed by each team after the game

### **Umpires**

- There will be no exchange of lineup cards, teams will keep score with their own scorekeeping book
- Umpires will stand where they are comfortable calling the game, and at least 2 meters away from the catcher and batter.
- Umpire conferences are to be kept to a minimum adhering to distancing requirements