### **Village of New Glarus**

## **Summer Recreation Program**

# **Baseball/Softball Facility Usage Expectations and Guidelines**

To prevent any misunderstanding or misinterpretations when problems occur during the baseball season, the Village of New Glarus has instituted the following Facility Usage Expectations and Guidelines.

### **For Practice**

- 1. Follow the Code of Conduct.
- 2. Fill in, smooth, and tamp all the holes created around the pitcher's mound, home plate, and the bases. This is vital if it should rain later in the day or that evening to prevent cancelations the next day.
- 3. Remove bases, put them away, and replace with plugs.
- 4. If applicable, remove pitchers rubber, put it away, and replace with plugs.
- 5. Do not hit baseballs / softballs into the chain-link fencing.
- 6. Make sure you leave the park clean. Pick up any garbage. The dugouts and bleachers should be clean and free of any trash.
- 7. Make sure all lights are turned off, scoreboard is off, buildings and storage units locked, and all equipment put away.

### **For Games**

- 1. Follow the Code of Conduct.
- 2. The Parks and Recreation Director will make the determination to cancel a game due to inclement weather or poor field conditions, unless other arrangements have been made.
- 3. If the game is cancelled for any reason, it is the coach's responsibility to contact the umpires and inform the Park and Recreation Director of any details for rescheduling a game.
- 4. Fill in, smooth, and tamp all the holes created around the pitcher's mound, home plate, and the bases. This is vital if it should rain later in the day or that evening to prevent cancelations the next day.
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If the coach fails to follow these expectations and guidelines, the coach and team will lose the privilege to use the facilities for practices and/or games.