



Hello Families,

Here is the up to date information in regards to where we are for the PHO Orders in regards to youth baseball;

Currently **Phase 2 Stage 1**

NO game play, including scrimmages, game simulations, etc. (so nothing that includes baserunners because they would be too close to the infielders and NO live hitting WITH a catcher because of catchers closeness to the hitters). Reminder that all practice situations need to maintain a 3 Metre distance and no shared equipment. Full team practices allowed, no spectators.

Next step is **Phase 2 Stage 2**

In club play is allowed. So for a club that has multiple teams in the same division (9U, 11U, 13U, etc.) and level (A or AA) then they can play each other. Our Club Triangle has enough teams to begin game play in house at this stage for all of our 7U-13U house teams. Our 13U AA -18U teams will be waiting to join a cohort with the other Clubs within GVBA, but they will be allowed to do scrimmages amongst their own individual teams, as game play is not allowed with other parks yet.

The following step after that is **Phase 2 Stage 3**

This stays the same for our 7U-13U house teams, to continue playing within Triangle, but now allows for those with no direct park competition to match up

with one neighbouring park to play games (15U-18U)., and For (13U AA-18U AA)teams.

Once we get to **Phase 3**

Then we may have more cross park play (GVBA), but we have to keep to maximum cohorts of 100 players.

Triangle executive has voted to keep all 7U-13U house teams playing within Triangle for the entirety of the 2021 Spring season. The Triangle 13UAA -18UAA teams will cohort play within GVBA once restrictions allow.

Currently there are no Spectators allowed at any baseball event, so please remain in your vehicle, or drop and go, volunteers, coaches, and players in the safety zones only.

On all school field practice diamonds, consider the backstop area, sidelines, and field to be the safety zone.

To review the game field safety plans please go to our website on the covid policy page at; **[trianglebaseball.ca](http://trianglebaseball.ca)**

This year in baseball it is truly going to take a team effort! But that is the best part of baseball! With covid-19 in our midst we must be diligent and keep it out of baseball so our kids can keep playing. Baseball is definitely a safe outdoor sport to be involved in, we just have to ensure our cleanliness and protocols are honoured and completed ongoing. So this means every parent at almost every ball event must help out and complete the required responsibilities to keep baseball and everyone involved safe. A coach cannot do it all, they must focus on being a coach.

Feel free to sort the entire season of responsibilities out with your team at the beginning of the season. Then everyone will know what they are responsible for and when. Possibly designate a team manager to oversee this task. It takes a village to play baseball in the COVID-19 world!

A great way to get a close up view of the practice or the game is to volunteer for one of the needed volunteer jobs required to be filled for each baseball event! See the listed jobs below.

## Team Parent Volunteer Duties:

**Charge Person and Attendance/ health Tracker** \_\_\_\_\_ cell# \_\_\_\_\_

-completes attendance forms for every person associated with each team that enters the safety zone. Home Teams at Games collect for both teams and each Practice requires attendance records:

-Takes control of situation and directs services into the injured, in the event of an emergency.

**Call person, Sanitizing/Gatekeeper:** \_\_\_\_\_ cell # \_\_\_\_\_

-disinfects shared equipment, and hand sanitizes throughout game/practice

- calls 911 and relays information to dispatch

**Pre-game Field Prep:** \_\_\_\_\_

-rake, bases, line

**Post-game Field:** \_\_\_\_\_

-rake, bases away

**Scorekeeper:** \_\_\_\_\_

-keeps score

**Washroom cleaning:** \_\_\_\_\_

-(Luxton, AT Gordon, Ed Fisher parks only)

