



Hastings YMCA Tee Ball & Wiffle Ball Guidelines

- Tee Ball & Wiffle Ball will be modified to meet CDC recommendations and guidelines.
- We will be using a foam or plastic bat and a wiffle ball to avoid using helmets and even gloves.
- Teams will be limited to 8 kids and a goal of 2 coaches per team.
- Sharing equipment or anything will not be allowed. No equipment is necessary, but players may use their own glove, batting glove(s), and foam/plastic bat.
- Coaches will need to be active and engaged to try and keep social distancing and proper cleaning. The bat will need to be wiped down after each use and the ball before each at-bat.
- During practices for Tee Ball, coaches should keep kids in small groups and use as little equipment as possible. Kids that are in small groups should work through stations rather than switching or mixing groups.
- Players may only use their own water bottle.
- There will be no shared snacks after the game. Teams will wave at each other instead of shaking hands.
- ONLY members of the same household are able to attend games while maintaining 6-feet social distancing.
- Coaches, players, and families must stay home if showing symptoms of being sick (i.e., fever, cough, shortness of breath). If testing positive for COVID-19 or have been around someone that has COVID-19, individuals must stay home.
- Hand sanitizer and cleaning supplies will be easily accessible and available.
- After each game, coaches are required to spray and wipe every piece of equipment.
- There will be a YMCA staff member on-site to ensure guidelines are being adhered to and assist wherever necessary.
- Individual belongings must be kept separate from others.
- Seating will be not available. Please bring your own chair/seating and maintain social distancing.
- Parents and coaches are asked to help follow these guidelines and social distancing, especially for the kids.
- For wiffle ball: please wait in vehicles until the fields have been completely cleared from the previous game(s).
- For tee ball: please do not enter through the double doors and enter the tennis court are until everyone