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Athletics Announcement
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Iredell County Parks & Recreation Department is excited to announce some upcoming changes regarding athletic activities and facility usage. Currently, field usage has been permitted for *approved* groups for modified sports practices, training, and/or conditioning, while following CDC and NCDHHS guidelines for physical distancing, group size restrictions, equipment use, mask wearing, etc.

Starting September 8, 2020 organizations will be permitted to start league registration for approved non-contact/limited-contact sports, in preparation for league play to begin on October 2, 2020. These sports include baseball, softball, cycling, disc golf, track and field, roller-skating, running, and pickleball. At that time, games/matches/scrimmages for these approved activities will be allowed, as long as these activities follow the recommended guidance and requirements. *The date or allowances are subject to change per possible adjustments or recommendations from state or local officials.*

For your organization to reserve Iredell County Parks & Recreation athletic fields, the following items need to be provided to our department:

1. **Facility Use Form:** signed, with payment.
2. **Certificate of Insurance:** listing Iredell County Parks & Recreation additionally insured.
3. **COVID-19 Mitigation Plan, including procedures to be followed to meet CDC and NCDHHS requirements**
4. **COVID-19 Addendum:** signed and shared with coaches, parents and / or participants.

In addition to the above, Iredell County Parks & Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel or revoke usage for organizations that are found non-compliant of the reservation requirements, or those that do not adhere to the recommendations and guidance provided by state and local officials (to include but not limited to CDC, NCDHHS, Iredell County Health Department, Iredell County Parks and Recreation guidelines). Reservations may also be cancelled if guidance from state or local officials changes their recommendations or requirements.

For more information about reserving field space, or coordinating facility usage please contact the Athletic Director, Daniel Taylor at 704-878-3104 or daniel.taylor@co.iredell.nc.us.