

## 2022 ACLL General Park Rules

These park rules are in place for the safety of players, spectators, coaches, parents, and league officials. If you have any questions or comments please contact a league official.

- Follow all state, county, city, and ACLL COVID-19 Safety guidelines
- Park in designated areas only
  - Do not park in back area after rain or when wet
  - Be aware of drainage ditch and other dangerous areas
- No dogs and or pets of any kind are allowed within the ACLL facility. Persons with leashed/secured
  pets are welcome to view games, practices, and other events outside of the facility. There are
  several areas outside the facility that provide viewing access:
  - Street parking areas on Hess road provide viewing access to Field 2 and Field 3
  - West parking area provides viewing access to Field 1 and Field 3
  - South parking area provides viewing access to Field 4
- Smoking, vaping, alcohol, tobacco, firearms, marijuana, cannabis products, and illegal drugs are prohibited on park grounds
- Please report any hazardous or unsafe conditions
- For player safety, only volunteers with approved background checks are allowed on/in the field/dugout with players
  - o The number of coaches/team parents allowed is defined by the division rules
  - No friends, family or siblings that have not gone through proper background checks and league approval
- No running on black top areas anywhere within the park
- Riding on scooters, bikes, skateboards and use of motorized toys are not allowed
- No throwing rocks
- Do not allow play in/on irrigation valve boxes
- No foul language or inappropriate horse play
- Please help keep children away from dirt piles
- Please return all foul balls to correct fields
  - Spectators can go to the canteen and get a prize
- Wall ball
  - Wall ball can not be played on the back of dug outs during game play
  - No hardballs / tennis balls only
- No harassment of the players (even your own children) or the coachers, managers and umpires
- Please keep restrooms clean
  - Notify someone if restrooms need to be cleaned or stocked
- No kids (under 16) will be allowed upstairs in boardroom or score booths unsupervised
- Only adults are allowed to have food in score booth
  - Scorekeepers are responsible for keeping score booths clean after games
  - Empty trash containers
- Report all injuries to a league official

In order to maintain a safe, fun environment at ACLL, any violation of these rules may result in removal from the park, and possible additional actions after review of the incident by the board of directors



## 2021 ACLL General Field Rules

- Dugouts
  - Clean before and after any practice or game.
  - Brooms will be in the dugouts
  - Sweep dugout after every use
  - No food or gum in the dugout
  - Sunflower seeds ok only in dugout if swept after game or practice
    - Seeds not allowed on the field
    - This privilege will be revoked it misused
  - o Drinks allowed
    - Sports drinks / Water
- Fields (ACLL and all other City Fields)
  - Clean and drag field after every practice or game
  - When the weather is dry, hose down the infields
    - Before and after dragging
- Team managers are responsible for clean dugouts
- No player at any time should be swinging a bat without a helmet
- No player at any time should be swinging a bat in the dugout
- Dugout gates should be closed at all times during games and practices
- Players are not allowed to leave the dugout without permission from their coach/manager
- Parents not allowed in the in the dugout unless part of the approved team staff
  - o For Rookies and T ball Parents allowed to help with their child with managers discretion
- Managers or coaches are not allowed to leave games without umpire approval
- Game time protocol
  - Home team will prep the field (bases, field marking, water infield)
  - Visitor team will break down field (put away bases, water infield, drag field, mound rake)
    - Bases can be left on the field if there is another game following on the same day
    - If a non ACLL team is the opponent home team will do both prep and break down
- After every game and practice the fields should be dragged, mound raked, and infields watered
- Weekday games typically start at 5:30 PM and complete by 8:00pm (see game schedule for official game times)
- Saturday game schedule typically begins at 9:00am and completes by 5:00pm (see game schedule for official game times)
- Home Team is responsible for supplying scorekeepers for the game
  - Applies to Farm division and above
- Weekend games
  - If no game is following the last game of the day Game time can extend up to 30 minutes if tied
  - All trash containers taken out to the street after last game
- Sunset Rule Games will be ended for player safety no later than 15 minutes after sunset time as defined by NOAA (National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration)
  - o Umpires have the authority to end games prior to the Sunset Rule for player safety based on the Umpire's assessment of playing conditions and player safety.
- No kids under 13 allowed to operate pitching machines
- No kids under 13 will drive golf cart
  - Golf cart usage is at Board members discretion