

**THESE REQUIREMENTS MUST BE OBSERVED BY ALL PARTICIPANTS IN THE TOURNAMENT. COACHES ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR COMMUNICATING THESE TO THEIR PARENTS AND PLAYERS.**

**ABBOTT GA 29 FACE COVERINGS**

AS REQUIRED BY GOVERNOR'S ABBOTT'S GA 29 REQUIRING THE WEARING OF FACE COVERINGS FOR ALL PERSONS 10 OR OLDER:

- ALL PERSONS 10 OR OLDER MUST WEAR A FACE COVERING WHEN ENTERING SUNRISE OPTIMIST SOFTBALL COMPLEX . **MASKS MUST BE WORN UNTILL THEY ARE ABLE TO 6FT DISTANCE FROM NON-FAMILY GROUPS THEN THEY MAY REMOVE MASK AS LONG AS THEY ARE MAINTAINING 6FT DISTANCING.** MASKS ALSO MAY BE REMOVED WHEN EATING OR DRINKING.
- **COACHES, UMPIRES, PLAYERS ARE NOT REQUIRED TO WEAR MASKS WHILE ON FIELDS WHEN WARMING UP OR DURING GAMES MAINTAINING A SAFE DISTANCE WHEN POSSIBLE. COACHES, UMPIRES, AND PLAYERS 10 OR OLDER MUST WEAR MASKS OFF FIELDS IF THEY ARE UNABLE TO 6FT DISTANCE FROM NON-FAMILY GROUPS.**
- **THESE GUIDELINES AND OTHER ITEMS OF GA 29 ARE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF LAW ENFORCEMENT TO ENFORCE.**

**OPERATING PROCEDURES FOR THE TOURNAMENTS TO MAINTAIN SAFETY SHOULD BE REVIEWED BELOW:**

- TEAMS WILL NOT ARRIVE FOR WARMUPS FOR GAMES EARLIER THAN 45 MINUTES PRIOR TO GAME TIME.
- WARM UPS SHOULD BE DONE IN OPEN AREAS BEHIND THE INTERIOR FENCES OF FIELDS 1 & 2.
- TEAMS WILL NOT ENTER DUGOUTS AND MUST STAY AT LEAST 20 FT FROM DUGOUT UNTIL THE PRECEDING TEAM HAS LEFT THE DUGOUTS AND DUGOUT AREA AND NOT ENTER THE DUGOUTS UNTIL THEY HAVE BEEN SANTIZED BY FIELD STAFF. TEAMS SHOULD LEAVE DUGOUTS IMMEDIATELY AFTER GAMES ARE COMPLETED.
- PLAYERS SHOULD NOT USE OTHER PLAYERS EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING HELMETS, BATS, OR WATER.
- ONLY 1 COACH WILL ALLOWED AT THE COIN FLIP ,
- NO PLAYERS. NO HIGH FIVES ARE FIST BUMPS OR CONTACT ALLOWED AFTER GAME.
- GAME BALLS WILL BE ROTATED EACH HALF INNING. EACH TEAM COACH WILL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SANTIZING HIS TEAMS SOFTBALLS BETWEEN ½ INNINGS. BALLS PROVIDED BY LEAGUE ALONG WITH SANTIZER.
- FIELDS WILL HAVE HAND SANTIZING STATIONS IN EACH DUGOUT AND EACH PLAYER AND COACH SHOULD SANTIZE THEIR HANDS WHEN ENTERING DUGOUTS AFTER EACH INNING.
- FANS SHOULD KEEP 6FT DISTANCE BETWEEN FAMILY GROUPS AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO BRING THEIR OWN CHAIRS.
- BLEACHERS WILL BE CLOSED IF 6FT DISTANCE IS NOT MAINTAINED BETWEEN FAMILY GROUPS.

- RESTROOMS WILL BE SANITIZED AND CLEANED DAILY. SANITIZER WILL BE AVAILABLE IN RESTROOMS ALONG WITH ANTIBACTERIAL SOAP.
- CONCESSIONS STAND WILL BE AVAILABLE , MASKS WILL BE REQUIRED FOR SERVICE. AND 6FT DISTANCING WILL BE MARKED IN WAITING LINE

TEAMS AND FANS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MONITORING THEMSELVES FOR ANY SIGNS OF ILLNESS AND STAYING HOME IF THEY HAVE ANY TYPE OF CONDITIONS SIMILAR TO FLU OR ANY FEVER

**NOTICE : CHILDREN PARTICIPATING IN YOUTH SPORTING EVENTS OR PRACTICE SHOULD MINIMIZE INPERSON CONTACT WITH ANY PERSON 65 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER, ESPECIALLY THOSE WITH PREEXISTING HEALTH CONDITIONS, FOR A PERIOD OF 14 DAYS. THIS INCLUDES MAINTAINING SOCIAL DISTANCING OF AT LEAST 6 FEET OF SEPARATION FROM THOSE INDIVIDUALS , WEARING A FACE**

**IN LIGHT OF THE INCREASE OF IN COVID 19 CASES I HOPE THAT ALL OF PARTICIPANTS REALIZE THE NEED TO FOLLOW THESE GUIDELINES TO HELP PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID 19.**