



PJBL COVID-19 Plan

We at Plainfield Parks & Recreation have worked hard on getting our plan in place to ensure the safety of the players, coaches, spectators, officials, and staff. We are extremely excited to be able to offer our basketball league this year. We want to stress that everything is always subject to change based off the times we are currently living in. Below are items that we want to highlight so that you can feel reassured that safety is our number one concern regarding the players and battling the pandemic that is COVID-19.

- All players can have 1 spectator at games
 - All spectators will check in at the front of the Rec. Center to ensure this is occurring
 - If parent is a coach that does not count as their 1 spectator
- Practices will be coaches, players, and support staff only
 - Parent will drop off for practice
 - They will be asked to wait in the car and pick up after practice
 - Parents can walk player in and if uncomfortable to the court, but then will need to wait in car.
 - League will ask coaches to stay with players in facility until parents are there for pick up
- All coaches & spectators will sign a code of conduct sheet
 - Coaches did so at the coaches meeting
 - If not at we will get it signed at the first practice. Must be signed before participating in practice
 - Spectators will do so at every game check in
- All spectators will be required to socially distance when watching games
 - Spectators will be asked to bring their own chair and be socially distant while watching the games
- All coaches & spectators will be required to wear masks at all times
 - Players will wear their masks upon entering the facility
 - When players begin warm-up, they will not be asked to wear their masks until after the conclusion of the game
 - If parents want their child to wear masks while on the bench that is fine
- Officials will also be asked to wear masks
 - Officials will be asked to wear masks between games and halftime.
- Plainfield Parks staff will be required to wear masks at all times
- Sanitizer will be available just for PJBL players, spectators, coaches, and officials as well as the other sanitizing stations located around our facility
 - Check-in, scorers' bench, and if able one station next to each bench
- We will not be doing handshakes/high-fives after the games
- We ask that players not share water bottles

- Plainfield parks staff will sanitize the basketballs and players bench area in between practices/games
 - If your players want to bring their own ball that would be helpful as we are only giving 2 balls per practice and game.
- If a player/coach is not feeling well
 - If a player does not go to school, we ask that they stay at home and do not attend their scheduled practice or game on that day
 - If a coach stays home from work for not feeling well, we ask the same of them
- If a team is missing players, we will run the game/practice as long as we can. If you have 5 players that can be there, we will be conducting the game. Practices will be conducted no matter what, unless an entire team is out.
 - If we must cancel a game due to too many players not being able to attend their scheduled game, we will do our best to try and reschedule the game. If we are unable to reschedule unfortunately the effected teams will be without that game.
- 1st/2nd grade coaches will be given 2 sets wristbands for each player to have their own for the games/practices
 - It will be on the coach to make sure that every player has them at games/practices to ensure we are not sharing and passing them around as we have in the past
- There will be a gap in between scheduled games/practices for staff to sanitize everything
 - We ask that players show up closer to the game time for a better flow of people in and out of the facility, let staff sanitize properly, and will help with the potential of a line at the check-in table
 - Through the week it will be 6pm and 7:15pm. On Saturdays we will start at 8am and then 1 hour and 15 minutes later will be the next scheduled item
 - Practices are still only an hour long even though there is a 1 hour and 15 minute gap
- We will not be giving any refunds due to COVID-19

As everyone knows our year is ever changing. Everything we have set in place for this year is subject to change based on the Governor's direction as well as the Town of Plainfield. We reserve the right to add or take away from our program as we seem fit in regard to the safety of the players, coaches, officials, spectators, and staff. Please bear with us in this trying time as we offer the best program we can. Thank you for your continued support of our basketball league in such a trying time in the world we live in today.