



Spokane Crew Baseball Club Coaches, Parent and Youth Agreement

Player Name: _____ Date of Review: _____

*I understand that Crew Baseball requires a higher commitment level than other leagues, both from a time and financial point of view. Upon acceptance or continued commitment to the Crew, **I am required to review and initial the points below** with the coaching staff to acknowledge understanding of and expectations tied to these commitments.*

1. The team may practice up to (2) two times per week beginning in December through August. The coaching staff reserves the right to hold additional practices if deemed necessary. All practices are mandatory unless excused in advance.
2. In addition to playing in several tournaments, regular season league games may be played in an organized local league.
3. Crew will participate in approximately 7 to 9 weekend tournaments. Some tournaments may require an overnight stay out of town with locations throughout the Northwest.
4. The goal is to play at a competitive level and to advance player's skills. Lineups are generally designed to put the best players in the positions they are most suited to succeed at, and that gives the team the best opportunity to win. While players will be given opportunities to play many positions, there is no guarantee of equal playing time, playing a particular position or batting a full rotation in certain games.
5. The Crew philosophy is to help the players improve and to have fun, while playing high quality, competitive baseball. We encourage our players to strive for excellence in all areas of their life. We believe in academic excellence and strongly encourage players to discipline themselves and dedicate time to their studies.
6. All players will be treated with respect and encouraged on and off the field. All players and parents are expected to act responsibly and abide by basic rules of conduct for youth sports.

7. Players are expected to attend all practices and games (with the exception of illnesses, school commitments, family emergencies, etc.). Family commitments such as vacations, reunions, etc., require advance notice.
8. Players and parents are expected to abide by the 24 Hour Rule.
9. Players will be held responsible for their actions. Lack of hustle, goofing off, disrespecting a coach, parent, other player or umpire, throwing and kicking of helmets, water bottles, etc. will earn players disciplinary action. We do realize that we are playing competitive sports and that some level of frustration can be expected. However, repeated incidents, depending on severity, may result in a players removal play/game.
10. While playing in out-of-town tournaments where a hotel stay may be required, there will be an 11 pm curfew for the players. Players are expected to be in their rooms by 11 pm. If they need to leave their rooms after the curfew, they should be escorted by a parent/guardian. Players caught out past curfew may have their playing limited the next day.
11. Our primary objective is to play at a high level at all games whether they are regular league games or tournaments. As a result, players should refrain from strenuous activity prior to a game.

By signing below, I acknowledge receipt and understanding of the contents of the Crew Parent/Player Handbook. I also understand that I will be required to sign a separate form addressing legal release of liability. I fully understand the financial commitments necessary to play Crew Baseball.

Player Name (print): _____

Parent Name (print): _____

Player Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

Review by (Coaches' Signature) : _____

Date Reviewed: _____