# YOUTH BASEBALL/SOFTBALL UMPIRE

REPORTS TO:	<b>EMPLOYMENT CATEGORY:</b>
Athletic Complex & Sports	Part Time
Coordinator	

### **GENERAL DESCRIPTION:**

Youth league officials will officiate youth baseball and or softball games during the months of May-July for the summer leagues. We are looking for individuals that have experience in playing, and or officiating baseball/softball and are willing to officiate and help the players learn more about the games and rules while officiating their games.

## ESSENTIAL JOB DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1) Officiate and control games, events, and competitions in a confident, appropriate manner.
- 2) Ensure all participants understand and comply with game rules and assess penalties when needed.
- 3) Reports any damaged and/or dangerous equipment to supervisor.
- 4) Makes game calls with confidence and knowledge of league rules.
- 5) Keep track of event start times and stop and start of play as necessary.
- 6) Make sure the teams have the appropriate equipment and inspect both players and equipment for any issues prior to the start of the games.
- 7) Arrive on time for scheduled games.
- 8) Deliver excellent customer service to participants, coaches and spectators.
- 9) Dress appropriately when on duty. All personnel will receive staff shirts at the beginning of the season. Staff shirts must be worn at all times while on duty.
- 10) Represent the Parks, Recreation & Natural Resources Department in a positive way by completing tasks in an efficient manner at all times and to the best of his/her ability. This is a position of public service, with the public observing his/her performance at all times.
- 11) Follow all Parks, Recreation & Natural Resource Department policies and procedures.
- 12) Any other related tasks as directed by the Athletic Complex & Sports Coordinator.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS NEEDED:**

Previous experience officiating and working with youth desired.

Must be at least 14 years of age.

Background in athletics, baseball, softball preferred.

Enthusiastic, responsible and outgoing personality.

### Ability to:

Lift a weight of 50 pounds to a height of three feet.

Must be able to work in different temperatures and changing weather conditions.

Must have physical strength, balance, hand-eye coordination, and stamina necessary to complete jobs in various areas.

Communicate, be courteous and cooperate with other staff members and the public.

## **WORKING CONDITIONS:**

### **Average Hours/Week:**

Typically, this employee will work 2-8 hours/games per week.

## **Length of Position:**

This position will not exceed 600 hours for the year.

#### Pay:

Starting \$35/per game for non WIAA Certified Referees
Starting \$45/per game for referees with a valid WIAA Certification

#### FLSA: Non Exempt

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Formal application, rating of education and experience; oral interview and reference check, job related tests may be required.

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