

# JEFFERSON CITY PARKS AND RECREATION OPTIMIST SPORTS COMPLEX EVENING OPTIMIST, COSMO, AND KUTSCHER FIELDS 2000 Optimist Court

## RULES & REGULATIONS

WELCOME! To ensure all participants have a safe, fun and enjoyable experience at the Optimist Sports Complex please obey the following rules and regulations.

### GENERAL GUIDELINES

- Practice and warm up are not permitted once a field is prepared for games.
- These fields are rentable for practice. Please call (573) 634-6482 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday for availability and rates.
- Be alert for fly balls.
- Please return foul balls to the umpire.
- Alcoholic beverages and tobacco products are not allowed during any youth (18 years of age or younger) sports program. Anyone in possession of alcohol will be asked to leave and, if needed, authorities notified.
- Smoking allowed in parking lots only.
- Pets are not allowed in the concession and spectator areas or on the ball fields at any time.
- Skate boarding, roller-skating, roller-blading, scooters or bicycling are not allowed in the city parks except upon established parking areas, roadways, trails or facilities specifically designed for such equipment.
- All spectators must remain behind the fences and out of the dugouts. Only coaches, participants, Parks and Recreation staff, approved school personnel (during fall sports) and approved photography companies may go on the field of play.
- The following are prohibited:
  - Hitting or throwing balls into fences
  - Fireworks
  - Glass containers
  - Amplified music
  - Vulgar language
  - Weapons (guns, knives, explosives or any other object that may be used as a weapon)
  - Climbing on any fences, gate structures, planter beds, trees or boulders
- Please be aware of weather conditions at all times. It is your responsibility to protect yourself and seek shelter during inclement weather.
- For Parks and Recreation game cancellations please call the hotline at (573) 634-6485.
- For league and other information please call (573) 634-6482 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. Monday thru Friday or visit [www.jeffcitymo.org/parks](http://www.jeffcitymo.org/parks).

### MAINTAINING YOUR SPORTS COMPLEX

- Please dispose of litter in proper waste containers. Participants and spectators are responsible for keeping the Optimist Sports Complex safe and litter free.
- Report any maintenance concerns to Parks and Recreation (573) 634-6486. Messages may be left 24 hours a day.

