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Monday	Tu	Wednesday	Th	Friday	Saturday
<u>May 25</u> MEMORIAL DAY- No T-ball!	26	27 PRACTICES- all 5:30-6:30pm Field 1: RED Field 2: ORANGE Field 3: YELLOW Field 4: LBLUE 6:30-7:30pm Field 1: PURPLE Field 2: NAVY Field 3: GREEN	28	29	30
<u>June 1 PRACTICES- all</u> 5:30-6:30pm Field 1: PURPLE Field 2: GREEN Field 3: YELLOW Field 4: NAVY 6:30-7:30pm Field 1: RED Field 2: LBLUE Field 3: ORANGE	2	3 GAMES 5:30pm Field 1: RED v ORANGE Field 2: NAVY v PURPLE Field 3: LBLUE v YELLOW PRACTICE 5:30-6:30pm Field 4: GREEN	4	5	6 PICTURE DAY & GAMES 10am- RED pictures 10:20am- GREEN pictures <u>10:45am Field 1: RED v GREEN</u> 10:40am- ORANGE pictures 11am- LBLUE pictures <u>11:15am Field 2: ORANGE v LBLUE</u> 11:20am- NAVY pictures 11:40am- YELLOW pictures <u>12:15am Field 3: NAVY v YELLOW</u> 12:00am- PURPLE pictures Purple-no game *game times are approx., start
8 GAMES 5:30pm Field 1: GREEN v LBLUE Field 2: PURPLE v YELLOW Field 3: ORANGE v NAVY PRACTICE 5:30-6:30pm Field 4: RED	9	10 PRACTICES- all 5:30-6:30pm Field 1: RED Field 2: ORANGE Field 3: PURPLE Field 4: LBLUE 6:30-7:30pm Field 1: YELLOW Field 2: NAVY Field 3: GREEN	11	12	immediately after both teams finish pictures!

PICTURE DAY SCHEDULE—Saturday June 6th

****PLEASE BE ON TIME SO THAT TEAMS CAN GET THEIR PHOTO TAKEN AND MOVE ON W/THEIR GAMES.**

****GAME TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE, PLEASE START THEM W/IN REASON AFTER BOTH TEAMS ARE FINISHED W/PICTURES.**

PICTURE LOCATION—GRASSY SPACE NEXT TO THE COVERED PAVILION BY THE PARK

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Monday	Tu	Wednesday	Th	Friday	Saturday
<p><u>June 15</u> GAMES 5:30pm Field 1: PURPLE v GREEN Field 2: RED v LBLUE Field 3: ORANGE v YELLOW PRACTICE 5:30-6:30pm Field 4: NAVY</p>	<p>16</p>	<p>17 PRACTICES- all 5:30-6:30pm Field 1: RED Field 2: NAVY Field 3: YELLOW Field 4: GREEN 6:30-7:30pm Field 1: PURPLE Field 2: ORANGE Field 3: LBLUE</p>	<p>18</p>	<p>19</p>	<p>20 GAMES 10am Field 1: NAVY v LBLUE Field 2: ORANGE v PURPLE Field 3: RED v YELLOW GREEN- no game</p>
<p>22 GAMES 5:30pm Field 1: YELLOW v GREEN Field 2: RED v NAVY Field 3: LBLUE v PURPLE PRACTICE 5:30-6:30pm Field 4: ORANGE</p>	<p>23</p>	<p>24 GAMES 5:30pm Field 1: NAVY v YELLOW Field 2: ORANGE v GREEN Field 3: RED v PURPLE PRACTICE 5:30-6:30pm Field 4: LBLUE</p>	<p>25</p>	<p>26</p>	<p>27 GAMES 10am Field 1: GREEN v NAVY Field 2: RED v ORANGE Field 3: LBLUE v PURPLE <u>End of season</u></p>

SPONSOR – COACH – COLOR

Universal Drilling & Pump – Coaches: Brenton Cordle, Michael Clarkson, Austin Hittle – RED

Vinyl Expressions – Coach: Brandon Hajny – ORANGE

Northern Peak Mechanical – Coach: Trevor Brown – YELLOW

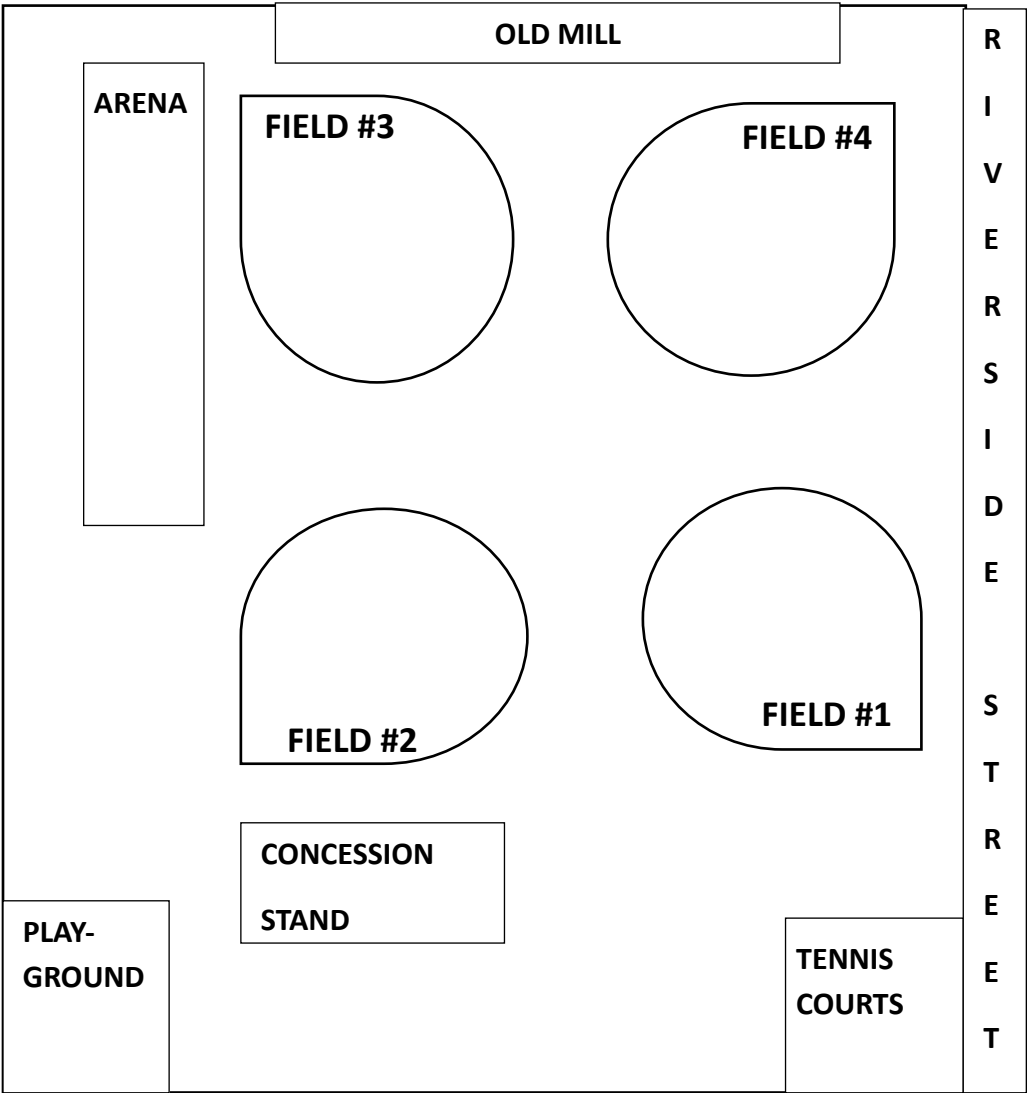
KG&T Septic – Coach: Kylee Heigel – LIGHT BLUE (LBLUE on schedule due to space)

Watts Pest Control – Coach: Melissa King – PURPLE

Selkirk Energy Solutions – Coach: Remington Daniels – NAVY

Evergreen Horizon – Coach: Daniel Silberstein -- GREEN

All practices/games at Memorial Park:
Field #1 –by tennis courts
Field #2 –by playground/concession stand
Field #3 –mill/arena side
Field #4 –mill/river side



Parks & Rec T-Ball Program Guidelines/Rules

GOALS

1. T-Ball is the starting point of a child's baseball/softball skills. The goal of t-ball is for them to learn the basics of how a baseball game is played, learning the positions and rules of the game, and having fun.

EQUIPMENT PROVIDED BY PARKS & REC

1. Team shirts & hats to be worn for ALL games, hats required for all practices/games (see below)
2. Bats, helmets, balls and tees provided to coaches at the beginning of season and need to be returned in a timely manner at the end of season
3. **Players must wear a baseball hat under batting helmets at all times to help reduce any head lice issues.**

PLAYERS NEED THE FOLLOWING EQUIPMENT

1. T-Ball glove, baseball pants, tennis shoes or cleats (cleats recommended)
2. Players can use their own bat, but it must be a T-Ball bat with an official USA stamp on the barrel
3. If a player wants to bring/use their own bat and/or batting helmet, keeping track of it is the responsibility of the parent(s), not the coach or Parks & Rec
4. **Players must wear a baseball hat under batting helmets at all times to help reduce any head lice issues.**

THE APP

1. Not required! However, the Team Snap ONE app is very useful and helps you stay up to date on schedules, cancellations and has a "team chat" feature. If you have questions, reach out! Cancellations, etc. will be sent out via coaches as well. We do not print paper schedules for players; Parks & Rec has some printed on the office porch if you'd like to pick one up.

PICTURE DAY

1. Picture day is scheduled for **June 6th** for ALL TEAMS. The scheduled time for each time is on the main calendar.
2. Please be on time at the gazebo next to the covered pavilion at the park, with team t-shirt/hat. You are welcome to bring your own photo props (i.e. bat, glove)
3. **Coaches will pass out photo forms at first practice or you may print via this document (pg. 7)**
4. Cash/checks to: **Line Point Printing**
5. Coaches: one free sports package per team coached, please indicate on your child's form that you are the coach by writing "COACH" – buttons, posters, etc. not included in your free package.
6. A team photo is sent to your sponsor with a Thank You card. If you do not want your child's photo to be sent to the sponsor, please do not have them participate in the team picture.
7. Games will start as soon as both teams are finished with their pictures. Please have your team warm up while waiting their turn for pictures so games can start quickly.

WEATHER POLICIES

1. Lightning: If there is lightning within 6 miles of Bonners Ferry, all practices/games are cancelled per NCAA standards. This is checked via WeatherBug: <https://www.weatherbug.com/alerts/spark/bonnerr-ferry-id-83805>
2. Heat: 92F practices/games are considered “optional” to coaches. At 95F, all practices/games are cancelled. We will be using the following to monitor temperature: <https://forecast.weather.gov/MapClick.php?textField1=48.7&textField2=-116.31>
3. Air Quality: All practices/games will be cancelled if Air Quality Index is >150 (anything in the red zone or higher). Checked at: <https://www.airnow.gov/?city=Bonners%Ferry&state=ID&country=USA>
4. Cancellations will be posted to the app and coaches will be notified. Coaches need to relay the message on to the parents of kids on their team in a timely manner.
5. **Coaches are allowed to cancel practice/game if bad weather/lightning occurs mid-practice or game.** Participation is always *optional* so if you feel that the weather condition is unsuitable for your child, you are welcome to keep them home.

FIELD

1. Base path will be approx. 60’ in length and “pitching mound” will be 40’ from the home plate
2. Out of bounds lines will be chalked, no batter’s boxes

LENGTH OF GAME

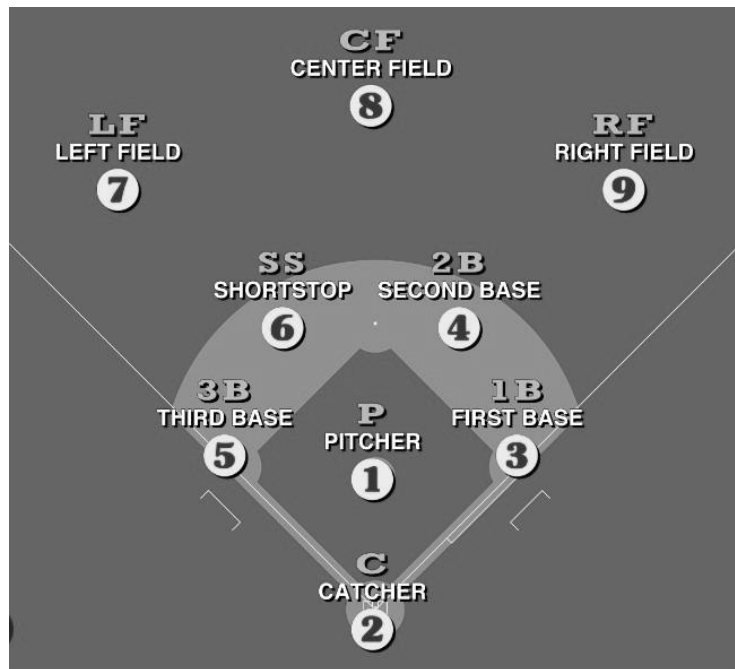
1. Games will be 4 innings or 1 hour (a started inning needs to be completed in full regardless of the time limit) **do not start another inning if the time limit is almost met**
2. Rainouts will be cancelled by Parks & Rec Sports Director

RULES

1. All batters, base runners and players on deck **MUST** wear protective headgear. The defensive player in “catchers” position will wear a helmet as well. Batting helmets are required during practices & games.
2. “Pitcher” and “Catcher” positions will be utilized in defense even though this is **NOT a player pitch program.**
3. 3 coaches may be utilized on offense: one to assist batter, two at the bases.
4. 2 coaches may be utilized on defense: located behind the infield and the front of the outfield (additional parent helpers can be utilized in the outfield if necessary) **coaches/parents are not permitted to touch or pick up the ball while in play.**
5. All players should play on defense, placing the extra players in the outfield, so no kids are sitting on the bench.
6. Each player is placed in number sequence for batting line up, if a player cannot bat his/her turn, the batting order continues. Ideally this order should rotate so the same kid is not always waiting forever to bat.

7. There will not be 3 “outs” per inning, the inning will end once the **offensive team has run through their full batting lineup ONE TIME. See next on “outs”. Last hitter rule: last hitter hits a “grand slam” bringing all players in off the bases.**
8. We are not keeping track of “outs”, but once and “out” is made, the player needs to return to the bench. The goal of this program is to teach them the **fundamentals of the game**, even though that is not always “fun”.
9. Score will not be kept and coaches/volunteer parents will serve as umpires for their games.
10. Each batter will get the chance for a fair hit. A fair hit is any hit 10’ or more from the tee. **Players will advance only one base per hit.**
11. Games can be paused/stopped for instructional purposes at any time.
12. Outfielders must throw the ball to the infield; they are not allowed to tag a base or runner.
13. If a batter throws their bat, he/she will be given TWO warnings, after that they will be called out.
14. The following is not allowed: lead offs, stealing bases, sliding, pinch hitting, infield fly rules, baseline interference, running on any overthrows, double plays or protesting.
15. Defensive team will field 9 players. Any extras may be placed in the outfield rather than the bench, if preferred. Each inning, the players/positions need to be rotated.
16. Runners on base may be forced out or tagged out per regulation rules.

Example of standard field positioning:



Sports Photo Package

Order Form

Parent Name _____

Phone Number _____

Youth Name _____

Team Color _____

Coach _____

Item	Price	Quantity	Subtotal
Sports Package -One Team Photo -Two Individual Photos 3.5x5 -Four Individual Wallet Photos	\$10	x _____	= _____
Buttons 3 in	\$5	x _____	= _____
Stickers 3 in, 5 pack	\$5	X _____	= _____
8x10 Photo ___ Individual or ___ Team	\$5	X _____	= _____
Poster 12x18 ___ Individual or ___ Team	\$10	x _____	= _____
		Total	\$ _____

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