

North Canton YMCA Youth Baseball

Coaches & Parents Information Summer 2021

1. Staff Introduction and Responsibilities

- **Joey Tubo** – Field Lead (Present for practice & games, ensuring safety, helping coaches, maintaining gameday procedures and patron experience)
- **Austin Zinke** – Field Lead (Present for practice & games, ensuring safety, helping coaches, maintaining gameday procedures and patron experience)
- **Austin Hill** ahill@ymcastark.org – Sports and Recreation coordinator (Roster questions, coaches & parent liaison, Quick Scores Management, Answering season questions, practice scheduling)
- **Mark Humphrey** mhumphrey@ymcastark.org – Regional Sports Director (Season Scheduling, Safety concerns, child experience concerns, league rules, league/parent conduct, League management, experience request or concerns, Facility scheduling and concerns)

2. Coaches Packets

- Coaches' roster
- Practice Information
- Coaches game rules

3. Game Guidelines

- Will have rules inserted
- Dogwood Fields (7th St NE, North Canton OH) they are across from Dogwood Pool. Field 1 & 2 and the JV Field

4. Health and safety

- First Aid supplies and ice packs available at field
- Concussion training- <https://headsup.cdc.gov/>
- Lindsay's Law (sudden cardiac arrest) form

5. Practice

- **Practice is determined by the coach's availability and field schedule of dogwood**
- T-Ball practice will be Mondays and Wednesdays: Games will be on those days as well once games begin

- Coach Pitch and Kid Pitch will practice on Tuesdays & Thursdays: Games will be those days as well. There will be a few Saturday Kid Pitch Games. Saturday will start no later than 10a
- The time frame for all ages of games and practices during the week will be 5p-8p
- Equipment is provided for the coaches. Each coach will have an equipment bag for the duration of the season given to them by the ymca.

6. Field behavior

- YMCA Standard of Character will be upheld
- In the event of behavior deemed unsportsmanlike by a Parent or Child, you may be subjected to disqual from the facility.

7. Use of non-registered player

- Must be registered
- Same or younger division
- Don't play guest more than regular player

8. Team pictures

- JaJack photography
- 3rd Week of July or Midseason
- Picture Packets will be dropped off to you practices. Pictures will take place prior to a game.

9. Weather

- No games or practices if lightening is present and for 20 minutes afterwards
- Text alerts will be sent out for cancellations
- Check QuickScores
- Make- up games at YMCA'S discretion

10. Coaches Training

- Practice plan provided
- Various online resources provided via email

11. Uniform

- Required: Jersey (provided)
- Lost jersey \$10

