

PYAA 2021 Waiver Disclaimer

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in PYAA GAMES OR TOURNAMENTS, within the baseball/softball program involved in event and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates and agrees that:

- 1. The risk of injury and/or illness from the activities involved in the program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce the risk, the risk of serious sickness and injury does exist.
- 2. The risk to have direct or indirect contact with individuals who have been exposed to and/or diagnosed with one or more communicable diseases, including but not limited to COVID-19 or other medical conditions, diseases, or maladies, and/or any mutation or variation thereof does exist and it is impossible to eliminate the risk that I could become infected through contact with or close proximity to an individual with a communicable disease.
- 3. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation.
- 4. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms/guidelines and conditions for participation. I will abide by all PYAA and WIAA rules and guidelines and any additional rules/guidelines that may be enforced during the course of a weekend, which may be mandated but are not limited to local park districts, local government, state, etc. I realize these rules may be fluid and I take full responsibility to be aware of all rules/guidelines on a given tournament weekend or game day and ensure that I am following. I acknowledge that failure to follow any terms, guidelines, rules, etc. will result in removal from the tournament. If, however, I observe any unusual, significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such hazard to the attention of the nearest PYAA board member.
- 5. I, for the player, participants, us parents, additional dependents, myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next kin, HEREBY RELEASE, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS the PYAA, its employees, agents, members, managers, officers, officials, representatives, contractors, other players, other participants, sponsoring agencies, directors, sponsors, advertisers, premises owners and lessors of the premises used to conduct the event (collectively "Releases") from and against any and all liabilities, damages, injuries, illnesses, disabilities, deaths, costs, expenses, fees and attorney fees incurred arising from or in any way negligent acts or omissions of Releases.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OR RISK ASSESSMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

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Full Name	Signature	Date	

By signing this waiver, parent or legal guardian or head coach agrees to the above statements and verifies that the player(s) may not participate in a PYAA game or tournament event without completion of this waiver.