## Mountain View Little League

Mountain View Little League (MVLL) is planning a full 2021 Season while keeping our community healthy during the COVID-19 pandemic. MVLL will comply with regulations from the City of Scottsdale, Little League International, and AZ District 6.

## 2021 COVID Safety Protocol (Individuals = Players, Managers, Coaches, Umpires, Spectators, League Officials unless otherwise noted)

## Self-Monitoring

- Individuals who feel sick are asked to please stay home
- Individuals will have a body temperature within normal range (below 100.4 degrees per CDC) prior to arriving at any MVLL events
- Individuals will maintain social distance when possible (walking down to field, breaks during practice, team meetings, etc.)
- Individuals will wear a mask covering mouth and nose while participating in MVLL events (evaluations, practices, Home/Away games)
  - Players/Coaches/Managers will have a mask on while in the dugout, however masks are optional for players while *actively* playing baseball (e.g., playing defense in field, batting, running bases)
- Individuals with symptoms of fever, cough, or worsening respiratory symptoms, or any known exposure to a person with COVID-19 should not attend any Little League activity until cleared by a medical professional
- Individuals at risk for severe illness or with serious underlying medical or respiratory conditions should only attend Little League activities with permission from a medical professional
- Individuals who receive a positive test diagnosis of COVID-19 will immediately inform MVLL Safety Officer Tim McDonnell
  (timmcdonnell1@outlook.com or 602-910-8411) and will refrain from any League activity until cleared by a medical professional

## On Field

- Managers/Coaches will encourage players to maintain social distance unless otherwise required to participate in baseball activities
- Attendance will be taken at all practices to enable contact tracing should a player or coach test COVID positive
- Managers/Coaches will confirm participants do not have Covid-19 symptoms and not been in recent contact with someone COVID positive
- Teams will be provided hand sanitizer for use by players, managers/coaches prior to starting play/practice and will also be at Snack Bar
- NO personal contact (handshakes, high fives, fist bumps, chest bumps, huddles or homerun celebrations)
- NO use of shared beverages or shared snacks/food; bring your own personal drinks to all team activities
- For discussions between coaches and/or umpires, all must wear a face covering and maintain 6 feet of distance
- Players will not share equipment with other players or coaches, except for baseballs and instructional devices
  - o Shared catcher's gear will be sprayed with Lysol and/or cleaned with Clorox wipes between use
- Pitchers cannot lick their fingers at any time during the game. First time is a warning, thereafter it is an automatic ball to the batter
- Players/Managers/Coaches will tip their caps/hats to the opposing team and spectators at game end as a sign of good sportsmanship
- Spectators are encouraged to bring their own chairs, sit alongside foul areas/behind outfield fence, and to maintain social distance
- Individuals will vacate field/facility as soon as is reasonably possible at conclusion of activities (ideally within 10 minutes)