

MADISON BASEBALL ASSOCIATION

Welcome,

Thank you for being a volunteer this year. You are very much appreciated! Being a team mom is a wonderful way to help your child's team as well as Madison Baseball. Your coach and team will rely on you to get up to date information on such things as concession duty, team drinks, trophies, getting names put on hats/jerseys, organizing end of the season parties, etc.

Let me assure you that you will never be left alone in the concession stand. Myself, Carol Townson, or Wilma Allison will be there every night to get things going and keep things running smoothly. There is no reason to "dread" or "fear" your night in the concession stand. Most people find that it brings the teams parents closer together and they have a little bit of fun too!

Below is a list of points to keep in mind about your scheduled night in the concession stand:

1. **You will need five (5) adult volunteers (PARENTS).**
2. Two (2) concession duties will be scheduled for the season.
3. Please keep "little ones" at home or otherwise watched. Their presence in the concession stand poses a risk to them from the hot equipment that we use for cooking.
4. The shifts for the Upper and Lower Concession are as follows:
 - a. 5:30pm to 9:00pm **Monday thru Friday**
 - b. 10:00am to 1:00pm, 1:00pm to 4:00pm, and 4:00pm to 7:00pm **Saturday**
5. The individuals are scheduled to arrive at least 15 minutes prior to the time you are to work to become familiar with the equipment. Those who will be there for the closing of the concession stand, be prepared to stay a few minutes later to help with the clean-up procedures.
6. You can choose to have the same five (5) adults work the whole night, or you may choose to make two shifts out of the night.
7. We are happy to provide you the workers with FREE fountain drinks the entire time you are working in the concession. You may purchase a sandwich at half price if you work the full four hour shift. That may not seem like much, but remember we have a concession stand to provide a needed service to our teams, and to earn money to make needed improvements to Madison Baseball.

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8. **THERE IS A PENALTY FOR A TEAM THAT IS A “NO SHOW” FOR CONCESSION DUTY. (ROOKIE, MINOR, AND MAJOR WILL FORFEIT THEIR LAST WIN) (T-BALL AND PREP, WILL FORFEIT THEIR TEAM DRINKS). You will be responsible for making up your missed concession duty and have an extra one to get the forfeit removed from your team standings. Believe me, your coaches will not be happy campers if this happens.**

Other points of interest:

- The **HOME TEAM** will be responsible for keeping the Official Scorebook. This entitles their team to free post-game drinks for that game.
- The **VISITING TEAM** will be responsible for keeping the Scoreboard. This entitles their team to free post-game drinks for that game.
- Team Moms will assign or ask for volunteers to do this task for their teams. Please choose responsible adults.....not children. Children love to keep scoreboard, but sometimes mess up, causing frustration for the coaches and parents who look up there for game information. Older children (12 and over) are usually able to keep the scoreboard. Please be considerate of the other team. You would not want the scoreboard wrong every time you looked up.

In closing, I would like to thank you for your support. By doing these tasks set before you, you are enabling Madison Baseball to continue its growth and progress for another year. As you look around the park, you can see the growth and progress we have been able to do.

***VOLUTEERS ARE THE BACKBONE OF YOUR ORGANIZATION
WE APPRECIATE YOU AND ALL YOU DO!***

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