

March 14, 2020

To: Baseball Regina Membership

From: Steve Hom (Administration Manager) and Baseball Regina Executive Board of Directors

Re: COVID-19 Statement

Baseball Regina's goal is to provide each player with an opportunity to participate, learn and enjoy playing the game of baseball which will promote health, sportsmanship, team play and good citizenship. We are experiencing unprecedented times where public safety for all must be the highest priority. The Public Health Agency of Canada has assessed the current public health risk associated with COVID-19 as low for the general population but it is an ever evolving situation. There is an increased risk of more severe outcomes for Canadians 65 and over, and those with compromised immune systems or underlying medical conditions. Public health agencies are monitoring the situation and working to limit the spread of the virus. As such, we support the March 13, 2020 announcement by Baseball Saskatchewan where all Baseball Regina sanctioned activities and events will be suspended until further notice. This includes but not limited to:

- Player evaluations / team tryouts
- Team practices and / or team gatherings
- Coach training / certification
- Umpire training / certification
- Baseball Regina Board meetings will be conducted only via conference call

Our intention is to deliver a baseball season for our valued members and we will work diligently to achieve that goal for 2020. In the meantime, we ask for your patience and understanding as we navigate through these coming weeks and see how the situation unfolds. We will continue to work with our partners at Baseball Saskatchewan and monitor public health and safety updates. Our hope is that we have a full season, however at this time we do not have all the answers about when our activities will resume and what impact that will have to the commencement of the season and any modifications that may be required.

We appreciate that our 11U Evaluations, Developmental Saturday and Rally Cap Camp were postponed and we hope to conduct them at our first available and safe opportunity. Our board loves the game of baseball and we would like nothing more than to hear the crack of the bat and the cheers of the fans and that will come when we know it is safe to do so. For now we will put the health and safety of our members, families and our community first while we continue to prepare for an exciting season of baseball. Continue to keep checking our website www.baseballregina.com for updates, please take care of yourselves and your families and be kind to one another.

Steve Hom, Administration Manager

Rob Gartner, Baseball Regina Board President