## ناأأان YOUNG ISRAEL - STATEN ISLAND

## Safety Regulations for YISI Softball Little League-2019

The purpose of the YISI Softball Little League is to ensure a safe and fun experience for the children to enjoy playing softball amongst their peers. Unfortunately, there are sometimes circumstances that may arise which can ruin that opportunity. This form is a way to ensure the safety and well-being of all the children who are participating as players.

The following rules will apply to all participants within the YISI Softball Little League. Those that do not adhere to these rules may forfeit their opportunity to continue playing or participating based on the severity of their action(s).

1) The YISI Softball Little League is for the children. Sometimes coaches, parents, grandparents, siblings, friends, children/players etc. may feel the urge to over express their excitement while a game or practice is occurring. This may sometimes lead to vulgar or derogatory language being used in front of the children/players. If this occurs, that person will be given **1 warning**. If that person continues their behavior, they will be asked to leave the playing field. If that person continuously does this action weekly, they will be banned for the duration of the season.

2) Due to safety concerns, no individual may smoke near the field. If an individual needs to smoke, they are asked to leave the YISI park and smoke away from any of the park entrances.

3) At no time may an individual, who is neither the coach, child/player, umpire nor commissioner enter the field during play. If an individual does so, they will be given **1 warning**. Failure to adhere to that warning will result in being banned for that game. If repeated weekly, this may result in a permanent ban for the season. **Exception:** If a child gets injured, a family member or medical-related individual may enter the field to help the child/player **upon request of the Coach, Umpire, or Commissioner**.

4) No individual is ever allowed to touch a child unless it is their own child and no individual is ever allowed to harm one of the children. If this occurs, it will result in an automatic ban for the season. That ban will also include entering the YISI park during hours that the YISI Softball League is utilizing the field. This rule applies to all coaches and umpires. Any coach or umpire that fails to adhere to this rule, will relinquish their position immediately. **No exceptions!** 

5) Children/players who are participating must also never be disrespectful to their coach, umpire, commissioner or fellow participants. If the child/player continues to misbehave, this may result in a **1** game ban or more based on their actions.

6) If circumstances change, other rules may be added and current rules may be adjusted based on need. If a ban is applied, in certain circumstances, the banned individual may have the opportunity to appeal their ban before the YISI Shul Board.

Please note that the purpose of this is not to ruin the experience of the child or family and friends. This form will ensure that the children will have a safe and happy experience.

Thanks, YISI Little Commissioner

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Player's Signature