



Shrewsbury Little League

Announces its 2010 season On-Line Registration for all ages.
All registration to be completed on-line. There will be no walk in registration

This year the TOWN OF SHREWSBURY PARKS AND RECREATION DEPARTMENT voted to charge a reservation fee for all youth sports teams who use town fields in order to cover rising costs. This reservation fee of \$15.00 per player will be collected for each sports period (spring, summer and fall). There is no family maximum for this new fee. See attached document from the Town of Shrewsbury

Registration will be CLOSED after October 31, 2009. **ABSOLUTELY NO EXCEPTIONS! THE PROGRAM IS AT CAPACITY!**

Our Refund Policy for this Year is as Follows

Prior to December 1st, 2009 – 100% Refund of Total Paid

Prior to January 1st, 2010 – 50% Refund of Total Paid

January 2nd, 2010 and going forward – No Refund

Please visit our website at: www.shrewsburylittleleague.com to Register.

Registration Fees – (No Family Max)

U7 Boys (5,6 and 7 year olds) \$125.00	U6 Girls \$125.00
Minors boys(8 and 9 Year olds) \$140.00	U8 Girls \$125.00
Majors/Prep (10,11 and 12 year olds) \$140.00	U10 Girls \$140.00
Junior League Boys (13 and 14 year olds) \$190.00	U12 Girls \$140.00
Senior League Boys (15 and 16 year olds) \$190.00	U16 Girls \$140.00

Age Determination for the 2010 Season

Boys Little League Age - is determined by what age the player is on or before April 30, 2010.

Girls Softball Age - is determined by what age the player is on or before December 31, 2009.

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Parks and Recreation Department

TO: All Youth Sports Organizations

FROM: Angela Snell

DATE: August 14, 2009

The Shrewsbury Parks and Cemetery Commission voted at their August 2009 meeting to establish a reservation fee for all youth sports organizations and has also updated the field policies.

A reservation fee of \$15.00 per player for each registration period (spring, summer, and fall) will be collected from each group. The fee will be used to supplement the town's parks budget and will be used specifically on sports fields.

Please note that we appreciate the cooperation and the support we have received from the sports groups over the past few years as well as the groups who have made donations towards maintenance. This new program will make the fee more equitable to all groups and give us a budget to work from so we can plan maintenance for each season.

Sports Groups that have players that use exclusively non-town fields for the season will not be charged the reservation fee for those players. Any player that you provide a scholarship to due to their inability to pay will also not be charged.

Teams that are under 80% Shrewsbury residents will continue to pay the per hour reservation fee.

Groups will still be responsible for lining their own fields, covering expenses for the maintenance of concession stands and sports lighting, and any other sport specific expenses you may have.

Our hope is we can improve on the general maintenance of the fields by supplementing our existing budget which has been reduced in personnel and supply costs over the past few years.

Sincerely,

Angela Snell
Director

Attachments: Field Policies, Rate Sheet, Field Expenses

FIELD EXPENSES

*Fees will help supplement the following items:

- Re-Hire additional Part time seasonal staff
- Sunday trash clean up
- Fertilizer applications
- Overseeding and aeration
- Irrigation start up and winterize costs and repairs
- Machine rental for ball field prep to remove weeds from infields.
- Mechanical equipment repairs as needed to do park maintenance

Parks covered will be fields used by sports groups:

- Dean Park
- Maple Ave
- North Shore field
- Lake Street Park
- Hills Farm
- Hillando
- Melody
- Edgemere
- Municipal

Schools covered:

- Coolidge School
- Oak Middle School
- Sherwood Middle School
- Beal School
- *Any other town owned field maintained by Parks Department that is used for sports.*

** Please note this list will be reviewed again after the ATM appropriates next year's parks department budget. Items listed are based on current budget situation.*