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Attention Field/Facility User:

On August 6, 2020, the County of Ventura Public Health Department relaxed some Youth Sports restrictions to update state orders by Governor Newsom and the California Department of Public Health.

From the VC Recovers website – FAQ Page
<https://www.venturacountyrecovers.org/faqs/>

Bottom Line:

1. Training & conditioning may resume provided 6' physical separation is maintained among a stable cohort.
2. No Games, No Scrimmages, No Contact, No Team Drills.
3. Youth sports must register at www.vcreopens.com
4. Adult Team Sports are not allowed.

Here is the FAQ in full:

Can you participate in Organized or Recreational Team Sports Activities? **Updated 8/6/2020**

The California Department of Public Health has issued Youth Sports Guidance. Youth sports training, conditioning and physical education is now permitted in Ventura County when those activities include continuous physical distancing of at least six feet and a stable cohort, i.e. the same children at each meeting. Teams, classes, and other youth sports activities that involve contact, competitive or team play are not permitted.

The State guidance document may be found at [COVID-19 Industry Guidance: Youth Sports](#).

As an example, team sports such as football, baseball, volleyball, and soccer are currently prohibited under the state order, whereas sports such as surfing, singles tennis, golf, and singles rowing are allowed if conducted outdoors and six-foot physical distancing is maintained.

Any team or entity conducting youth sports training must register under Youth Sports at www.vcreopens.com and follow the state issued guidance. **Please note that physical distancing must be maintained under the guidance, which precludes scrimmages, games, and team drills from being performed at this time.** Further, all outdoor and indoor sporting events, assemblies, and other activities that require close contact or promote congregating are prohibited, including tournaments, events, or competitions and regardless of whether teams are from the same school or from different schools, counties, or states.

Since Ventura County is currently on the state's monitoring list due to elevated case rates of COVID-19 all sports activities including conditioning, training and physical education must be conducted outdoors.

While youth sports conditioning and training is now allowed under certain conditions, adult, amateur (non-professional) team sports are not permitted in the state at this time. The state indicates that guidance for adult sports will be forthcoming.

These Ventura County Public Health Department Orders have the force of law and are in effect on Conejo Recreation and Park District properties. Therefore, when on park property, you must **NOT ORGANIZE NOR PARTICIPATE IN GAMES, PRACTICES OR SCRIMMAGES. PLEASE TAKE NOTICE** that field, sport court and facility use by your team or organization is unpermitted and unlawful and may be subject to citation. **All Organized and/or Recreational Activities are Prohibited on Park Property without a Permit.**

We appreciate your attention to this matter and ask for your cooperation to help contain the spread of COVID-19.

If you have any questions or would like to inquire about the field permit process, please contact Dana Miller, Sports Supervisor, at the any of the contact information listed below.

Sincerely,

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