Wahoo Parks and Recreation Department **10U BASEBALL LEAGUE RULES**

- 1. No metal spikes.
- 2. Pitchers will be limited to 3 innings per game. One pitch to a batter will be considered an inning pitched.
- 3. No player may sit on the bench more than 3 defensive outs and **must** return to the game after sitting out for 3 defensive outs.
- 4. Teams will use a continuous batting order. An inning will consist of 3 outs or maximum of 5 runs, whichever comes first.
- 5. Pitchers are allowed two balk warnings per inning per pitcher. For the warning, the ball will be declared dead and the base runners will return to the base occupied prior to the balk. After more than two balks in the same inning by the same pitcher, the balk penalty will be enforced.
- 6. No new inning shall start after the 75-minute mark (even if the score is tied).
- 7. On dropped 3rd strikes, runners may advance to first base if it is open.
- 8. Infield fly rule is in effect.
- 9. Players may lead off. A base runner may only steal one base per attempt. Home plate is closed.
- 10. On over throws, players may only advance one base.
- 11. The pitching distance is 44'. Base distance is 60'.
- 12. Game scores will be kept, but league standings will not.