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**Appendix AF:
Athletic Field, Court and Track Use**

GENERAL TERMS. The use of athletic track and fields by community groups is limited to those times when the fields are not needed for college activities.

Field and/or track use begins and ends at the times stated on the permit, including inspections, set-up and clean-up. Groups are not allowed on the fields prior to the start time stated on the permit and are required to exit the fields and have adjacent areas cleaned up at the ending time indicated on the permit.

Unauthorized use of any other facility not identified in the contract is strictly prohibited.

Only authorized participants are allowed on field of play (participants, coaches, officials). All others are to remain in the stands. The use of the stadium playing surface will be limited to activity participants. Spectators will not be permitted on the playing surface.

Motor vehicles are not allowed on any track or field surface except for maintenance or emergency. Children are to be supervised and remain in the stands at all times. No playing on high jump/pole vault pits, sand pits, or other practice areas.

Public toilets will be opened for scheduled games only.

PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES. The following activities or items are not allowed on any track, field, or court area:

Bicycles, skate boards, roller blades, wagons or any other wheeled vehicles	Formal practice or organized group without prior field reservation
Alcoholic beverages	Unauthorized use of model planes or rockets
Fireworks or any open flame	Golf practice

The following activities or items are not allowed on the Synthetic Turf/track Fields:

Animals (except to assist persons with disabilities)	Chairs (must only be placed on concrete)
Food or drink on the field surface (water only) Absolutely NO colored beverages	Glass containers
Sunflower seeds and gum	Tobacco products
Golfing, shot putting, javelin or discus throwing	Metal cleats and spikes (only formed rubber cleats are allowed)
Painting, chalking, tape or other adhesive material without prior approval	Stakes, spikes or other pointed objects

BASEBALL AND SOFTBALL FIELDS. The main diamonds may only be used for league or tournament games. Practice sessions will be scheduled on other athletic playing fields. Specialized facilities, such as batting cages, press box, and scoreboard are not available except for special arrangement.

Users will be required to pay the labor costs for infield preparation.

All scheduled use must recognize the need to maintain and water the facility.

Only games using 90-foot base paths in baseball and 60 foot base paths in softball will be permitted.

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Users may be required to supply their own bases.

Warming up/infield practice must be taken from the appropriate batting circles.

No hitting into the fences is allowed.

FOOTBALL STADIUM AND TRACK. Contracted use of the football stadium or the track is limited to those facilities only. No other sport athletic field, including but not limited to the outfield of the baseball field or the softball field may be used as warm-up areas.

The only shoes allowed on the running track are running flats or track shoes with spikes of a ¼" length or less . Track shoes with spikes longer than ¼", baseball, football, and soccer shoes are not be allowed.

TENNIS COURTS. These facilities can be used for tennis only. Bicycle riding, skate-boarding, and roller skating are expressly prohibited.

Drop-in use is permitted. Children under 16 years, however, must be accompanied by an adult. Use of courts for organized tennis lessons, tournaments or other organized forms of tennis activities is expressly forbidden without authorization from college facilities rentals office.

OTHER PLAYING FIELDS. These fields are for such activities as touch football, softball, soccer, and field hockey and are primarily available for practice sessions or contests not involving spectators. Use will be limited generally to these stated activities.

Failure to comply with these rules will result in users being asked to leave and/or immediate cancellation of reservation. SMCCCD Staff reserves the right to refuse service to any participant and/or spectator who violates any policy, procedure or engages in any verbal and/or physical abuse of the Sports Complex or district staff. UNAUTHORIZED USERS WILL BE ASKED TO LEAVE.

FAILURE TO COMPLY IS SUBJECT TO ENFORCEMENT PER CALIFORNIA PENAL CODE 626.6.

Permitee Initials _____ Date: _____