



NEW VISION

I. Introduction

This policy prescribes the specific regulations under which New Vision Baptist Church may make its outdoor recreation area and equipment available for use by church members and non-church members. Any questions concerning the interpretation of this policy should be referred to the Recreation Ministry Assistant.

II. New Vision Mission

Our mission is Guiding People to Lives of Gospel Transformation. Our desire is to help people grow in personal intimacy with Jesus Christ and in relationship with each other.

We love what God is doing through NVBC here and around the world, and are thrilled to be a part of it! We want to be always sensitive to His calling on us, and to be the kind of church so involved in bringing Jesus into our community and around the world that a void would be felt if we ceased to exist.

III. Primary Use

Church facilities are provided first and foremost for the use of regularly scheduled programming. When not in use for regularly scheduled programming, NVBC, at its sole discretion, may make certain facilities available for usage and/or rental.

IV. Rentals unrelated to church functions

The facilities of NVBC will be made available for rental to groups that meet the following qualifications.

1. Groups whose general objectives are in harmony with the principles, objectives, and mission of New Vision and do not seek to exploit the New Vision name or constituency.

2. Groups that the church sponsors. Any group not known shall be asked to present a written statement of purpose, the reason for meeting, and name of its officers or leaders.

The Field Director shall decide whether any group qualifies for facility use under this policy and New Vision reserves the right to cancel any use agreement at any time without prior notice.

V. Standards of Conduct

1. Smoking, use of smokeless tobacco, alcohol, violent behavior, abusive language, and other forms of detrimental conduct are prohibited.

2. All groups using NVBC facilities must adhere to all New Vision policies, rules and standards of behavior.

3. Any member of the group who participates in activities that are not permitted will be asked to leave the property.

4. Each request must be made by submitting a building request form via email to the Field Director, recreation@newvisionlife.com, who will consider each request and, after consulting the church calendar, will reply by email with an approval/denial. NVBC ministry events will take precedence over any other requests.

5. Non-sponsored groups may be asked to provide the church with a certificate of liability and property damage insurance (minimum \$1 million limit).

6. The Field Director of NVBC is responsible for maintaining a playable service free of waste and hazards, and also to maintain the surrounding area that is respectful to guest when reserved. The Rec. Assistant has the ability to set charges for teams that do not leave the field in the condition found.

7. Unless specific authorization is obtained, church furniture, equipment, and fence signs should not be moved by anyone but the NVBC facilities team under the direction of the Field Director.

8. Coaches must provide their own equipment (Balls, Bats, Gloves, pads). Lost and Found equipment will be located in Rec Closet. Contact Field Director if any items are lost. NVBC is not responsive for lost or stolen equipment.

9. "Soft toss" (Hitting balls into the fence) is not permitted.

10. God is honored by all activities that take place on New Vision Property.

VI. Responsibility for Damage

Damage to the facility, or church property is the responsibility of the group using the facility. (Balls being hit into fence and denting fence, broken benches in dugout, Etc.)

VII. Loss of Personal Property

NVBC assumes no responsibility for items of value brought to the facility.

VIII. Use of New Vision Name

1. Use of the church facility does not imply endorsement or sponsorship of the event in any way by NVBC.

2. Use of the NVBC name or logo in any form of publicity is prohibited.

IX. Rental & Regulations

It is not the intention of the church to raise revenue. The fees only serve to help maintain the field in the best possible condition. Fees are broken up into two categories: Damages, and Litter control.

No field cost will be added for: (Other fees apply)

NVBC Staff
NVBC Members
Non-Members

X. Clean-up

The rental group is required to leave the facility in the condition it was found. Failure to do so may result in additional fees and the loss of future use privileges.

XI. Decorations

1. Decorations for any event must be approved prior to use of the facility.

2. All furniture, equipment, and decorations brought into the facility must be removed immediately following the event. Due to lack of on storage space and items left for more than a week will be donated to a local charity of our choosing.

XII. Usage Policy

1. Hierarchy:
 - a. Ministry
 - b. Member
 - i. First come first serve
 - c. Non-Member
2. Reservations are required for field use
3. Duration:
 - a. 2 hour limit for ministry
 - b. 1 hour limit for non-ministry
4. Frequency
 - a. 2 times a week for ministry
 - b. 1 time a week for non-ministry

❖ NVBC reserves the right to schedule usage to best accomplish the mission of the church.

XIV. Suspension of use privileges

1. Violation of any part of this policy may result in immediate suspension of use privileges.

