

# CHESTERFIELD BASEBALL CLUBS, INC.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

### COMMISSIONER OF BASEBALL

1. The Commissioner of Baseball will be appointed by and report to the Executive Board of CBC (see Constitution and By-Laws, Article VI, Section X).
2. The Commissioner of Baseball will be responsible for promptly reporting all violations of CBC regulations to the Executive Board of CBC.
3. The Commissioner of Baseball will serve on the Protest Committee and will be responsible for furnishing the Committee with all necessary and /or requested data so that they may render a decision.
4. The Commissioner of Baseball will recommend League Commissioners for each league. The recommendations must be approved by the Executive Board of CBC.
5. The Commissioner of Baseball will be responsible for the following:
  - (A) Reporting all violations of CBC General and/or Playing Rules to the Executive Board of CBC.
  - (B) Investigating all written request for relief from the enforcement of CBC General and/or Playing Rules and recommending a course of action in writing to the Executive Board.
  - (C) Rescheduling all rainout games, including advising the Umpires Association and county personnel.
  - (D) To approve and/or recommend approval to the Executive Board of all free agents, as required under boundary rules.
6. The Executive Board of CBC has delegated to the Commissioner of Baseball, and his staff, the authority to dismiss any coach, player, or fan from a game or field if, in his judgment, such coach, player, or fan conducts himself in such a manner detrimental to the game of baseball. Furthermore, the Commissioner of Baseball and his staff have been delegated the authority to forfeit any game in which such conduct occurs. Such dismissal shall apply to only the game in question; however, the Commissioner of Baseball may take disciplinary action which is not in conflict with General Rule 3.
7. The Commissioner of Baseball, Pony and Stallion Commissioners will determine the teams eligible to play in the Stallion League.
8. The Commissioner of Baseball, Bronco and Palomino commissioners will determine the teams eligible to play in the Palomino League.
9. The Commissioner of Baseball, Mustang and Yearling commissioners will determine the teams eligible to play in the Yearling League.
10. The commissioner of Baseball, Pinto and Shetland Commissioner will determine the teams eligible to play in the Shetland League.

### BOARD OF GOVERNOR'S MEETING

The Board of Governor's Meeting will be held monthly. These meetings are scheduled for the third Sunday of each month in the Board of Supervisors' Public Meeting Room, Chesterfield County, unless otherwise notified by the League President.

### CBC OFFICER'S MEEETING

The Officers' meeting shall be held monthly at a time and place designated by the President.

### MEMBERSHIP FEE

Each Association will be required to join Chesterfield Baseball Clubs, Inc. and pay a membership fee of \$100.00 not later than the third Sunday in February. Late fee will be \$50.00.

### PROTEST

1. A written protest must be filed with the Commissioner of Baseball or his designated representative within 72 hours after completion of the game protested. All games under protest also must be so protested according to procedure outlined in the approved rulebook.
2. A check in the amount of \$25.00 and made out to Chesterfield Baseball Clubs, Inc. must accompany the written protest. If the protest is upheld, the check will be returned to the protesting Association. If the protest is denied, the check will be retained by CBC.
3. A Protest Committee shall consist of the First Vice-President, the Commissioner of Baseball, and three (3) members at large from the Board of Governors. If any member of this committee is a member or voting representative of the Association involved in the protest, this individual shall be disqualified as a member of the committee and the First Vice-President shall appoint an alternate member of the committee. The Voting Representative for the association involved will be notified of the time and place of the committee meeting.
4. Any individual within CBC who actively campaigns, whether verbally or by publication, regarding decisions by the protest committee, shall be immediately suspended by the Executive Board for the remainder of the season.
5. The decision of the Protest Committee is final. No appeal.
6. Decisions of the Protest Committee will be prepared in writing by the Protest Committee, copies of which will be forwarded to each association involved, the CBC President and CBC Secretary.
7. A written protest of ineligible players by boundary or age may be made at anytime during the season.
8. Once a protest is filled there is to be no discussion about the protest with anyone other than the 4 members of the protest committee and the association voting rep involved. If there is any unauthorized discussion about the protest it will be denied and the \$25.00 protest fee retained by CBC.