



May 5, 2022

Dear NMAA baseball coaches and players:

The Albuquerque Isotopes would like to welcome you to our facility for the 2022 NMAA 5A Championship Game. We hope that your time at Rio Grande Credit Union Field Isotopes Park is enjoyable.

Due to the high number of events that take place on the field at Isotopes Park, the maintenance staff is requesting your cooperation in limiting the wear and tear on the playing surface. Your attention to and respect for these requests is greatly appreciated and will assist us in providing the best playing surface.

Batting Practice

- Batting practice will not be allowed either on the field or in the indoor batting cages

Infield/Outfield Practice

- Must be **approved** by the Head Groundskeeper at least one week in advance of the event
- These activities are subject to change due to weather and field conditions on the day of the event

Footwear

- Spike/cleats are **not allowed** to be worn during **infield practice**
 - Only players wearing turf shoes will be allowed to participate in in/out practice
- Spikes/cleats are **only allowed** during the game

Throwing/Warm-Ups

- Warm up throwing is NOT allowed in foul territory
- Warm up throwing in the outfield should be a minimum of **20 feet away** from all **edges** and the **foul lines**

Warm-Up Swings/On Deck Hitters

- Warm up swings are NOT allowed on the grass
 - These activities can be performed on the warning track and skinned walk-up areas between the dugouts and home-plate

Bullpens

- Bullpens will remain covered when not in use – please have players cover them when done

Bags/Drinks

- Bags and drinks are not permitted on the grass at any time

Grass/Dirt Edges

- Please do your best to have your fellow coaches and players stay off grass edges on the warning track/walk ups/baselines/infield cut outs, whenever possible.

Congratulations, and best of luck to you and your team. It is our pleasure to host the NMAA Tournament, and we hope all of your players look back on their games at Isotopes Park fondly. Your respect for and cooperation with these requests will assist the field maintenance crew in providing the best possible playing surface for your games.

We thank you in advance for your attention to these requests. If you have any questions or concerns either before you arrive or while you are at Isotopes Park please feel free to contact me at (904) 894-8452 or eattalla@abqisotopes.com.

Thank you in advance for your understanding.

Sincerely,



Ed Attalla
Head Groundskeeper