## BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

## ORDINANCE NO. 2023:05

## AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 168, SECTION 14 TITLED "FEES FOR RECREATIONAL PROGRAMS" OF THE CODE OF THE BOROUGH OF NORWOOD

## § 168-14. Fees for recreational programs.

- A. The following schedule of fees shall be charged for recreational programs as follows:
  - (1) Use of athletic fields by non-recreation-sponsored teams or activities: \$50 per team or activity per date of use during day time hours, \$70 per date of use when the use of the lights is required. An escrow deposit of \$250 shall also be paid to the Borough by the applicant as security for the Borough's costs in the cleanup of the fields and the repair of any damage to the fields caused by the applicant's use of the fields. The Borough will return the deposit to the applicant, minus any expenses incurred by the Borough, after use of the fields. All charges for these expenses will be approved by the Mayor and Council upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of the Department of Public Works. [Amended 7-3-2007 by Ord. No. 07:13; 8-4-2009 by Ord. No. 09:07; 2-23-2022 by Ord. No. 22:01]
    - (a) Teams that have 50% or more Norwood children on their roster would receive field time free of charge.
    - (b) Fees would include the raking and lining of fields prior to games.
    - (c) All organizations will be invoiced on a monthly basis, by mail and email. with payment due to the Borough 10 days after the date of the email. Failure to pay on time, or in full, will result in a warning. If nontimely or partial payment should occur a second time or full payment is not made within 30 days of the original email, field permits will be revoked.
    - (d) The community center and batting cages will only be available for use by residents and Borough organizations. If an emergency situation occurs, an outside organization may request the use of the community center or batting cage by completing the proper application, receiving a recommendation from the Recreation Committee, and having approval granted by the Mayor and Council.
  - (2) Summer recreation program registration fees: [Amended 6-1-2004 by Ord. No. 04:09; 4-26-2011 by Ord. No. 11:04]
    - (a) For the first child: \$150.
    - (b) Additional fee for the 2nd child: \$125.
    - (c) Additional fee for the 3rd child: \$100.
    - (d) Four or more children: no additional fee charged.

- (e) A late fee of \$25 will be assessed.
- (3) Norwood Kid's Running Program: \$30 per child per year. [Added 9-9-2015 by Ord. No. 15:13<sup>1</sup>]
- (4) Any such other fees recommended by the Committee and fixed by the Mayor and Council.
- B. The recreational program fees shall be collected by an agent or representative of the Recreation Department.
- C. The Mayor and Council shall have the authority to waive the collection of any recreational program or permit fees on the application of any charitable, religious, veterans, or eleemosynary organization and any Borough of Norwood volunteer emergency service organization. [Amended 8-4-2009 by Ord. No. 09:07]

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ATTEST:

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APPROVED BY

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