

# NCLL Batting Cage Rules

- Batting cages are for use by NCLL players and coaches ONLY. All other players, coaches, and persons that are not members of NCLL are prohibited from using the batting cage at all times, unless they receive prior written permission from NCLL Board.
- Each team must provide 2 adults MINIMUM for their batting cage session:
  - **1 authorized** NCLL coach to feed balls into the pitching machine
  - 1 adult to monitor the players outside the cages.
- No more than 2 players are allowed inside the gate during a batting session:
  - 1 player batting wearing a helmet
  - 1 player waiting behind the safety fence inside the gate.**All other players must wait and watch from outside the gate.**
- Coaches should not start a batting session until the gate has been secured.
- **All players** with a bat in their hand must wear a batting helmet. If using a pitching machine, the helmet **must** have a facemask installed... **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- No "on-deck" practice is allowed! **Do not** swing bats outside the batting cage.
- Batting cage balls are provided. Please pick them up, place them in bucket and return them to the equipment container when finished.
- If you are the last team to use the batting cage, you are expected to return the equipment to the equipment container.
- Pitching machines must ALWAYS be removed and locked in the equipment locker **at the end of each day.**
- Under normal weather conditions, ball buckets, L-screens, and extension cords will remain in the locked cage. If raining, ball buckets and extension cords must be removed and placed in the equipment container.