

**Washington Township  
Girl's Softball  
League**

**FIELD SPECIFIC  
RULES**

Revision 2



**WTGSL Field Specific Rules**  
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**Purpose**

Some of the fields used by the WTGSL have obstructions on them ranging from swing sets to fences. The purpose of this document is to set forth some guidelines on how to handle these obstructions.

**Bennett Park** – No obstructions, no special rules.

**Church Field**

- If the ball hits the tree above the 3<sup>rd</sup> base line the ball is dead. There is no change to the count and all the runners return to their original base.
- If the ball goes over the fence the batter is awarded a home run.
- In right-center field, if the ball rolls under the fence or into the bushes and is unretrievable, the fielder must motion to the umpire by putting both their arms up in the air. The umpire will then come out to verify the situation. If the ball is unretrievable the batter is awarded a double.

**Greenwood**

- If the ball is hit into the play equipment in deep right field, the batter is awarded a home run. If it rolls into the play equipment, the batter is awarded a double.

**Hopewell** – No obstructions, no special rules.

**McGregor**

- If the ball is hit into or over any large pools standing water in the outfield, the batter is awarded a double.

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**Monac**

- If the ball is hit into the play equipment on the fly, or bounces off the building the batter is awarded a home run. No extra credit is given for breaking a window.
- If the ball rolls into the mulch the play area and doesn't pass any play equipment, the ball is live and playable. If it does pass play equipment and the player risks injury trying to field the ball, the ball is dead and the batter is awarded a double.
- If the ball rolls into the paved area behind right-field, the ball is dead and the batter is awarded a double.

**Shoreland Field #1** – No obstructions, no special rules.

**Shoreland Field #2** – No obstructions, no special rules.

**Shoreland Field #3**

- If the ball hits the tree in left field or the portion of the sidewalk in fair territory, the batter is awarded a single.

**Wernert**

- If the ball hits the school on the fly the batter is awarded a home run.
- If the ball rolls onto any part of the asphalt the batter is awarded a double.