

# agenda

Introduction of Two Rivers Youth Sports

Goals

Field at a glance

Pros and cons of the project

City of Manitowoc and TRYS partnership/community



## Vision

- \*Helping youth succeed well into the future with the ability and access to play Youth sports.
- \*Access to quality fields, programs and opportunities for success in sports and life.

### Mission

- \*To Educate, equip and empower youth players.
- \*To learn sportsmanship, respect, teamwork and selfconfidence.
- \*Play in a safe and well maintained environment.
- \*Work with all to reach their goals and dreams!

## Value

- \*Mental, physical, emotional & social health wellbeing.
- \*Education and career success.
- \*Economic and community.
- \*Decreases mental illness, increases self-esteem.

## Goals

- \*To provide a fun, safe and competitive environment.
- \*Putting youth players FIRST.
- \*Buiding a sense of pride for players, families and the community.
- \*Fair and equal treament of all players.
- \*Build character, teach skills

- \*We are a 501c3 non-profit
- \*Money raised comes from events we run and sponsorships
- \*Past donations from TRYS include the following
- -Two Rivers field lighting project
- -Two rivers softball
- -Two Rivers Football
- -MYBA
- -Paid for athletes to attend programs for various sports
- -Mishicot softball
- -Lincoln softball
- -Roncalli infield, fence, press box, dugout and field work
- -Sports equipment
- -League sponsors (no fees for kids to play in league)
- -Tournaments and clinics



# Goals for the Renovations

New infield

New fencing and backstop

Fix the outfield with irrigation

Build dugouts

Build bullpens and batting cage

Build press box

Concessions stand

Bathrooms

Grandstands

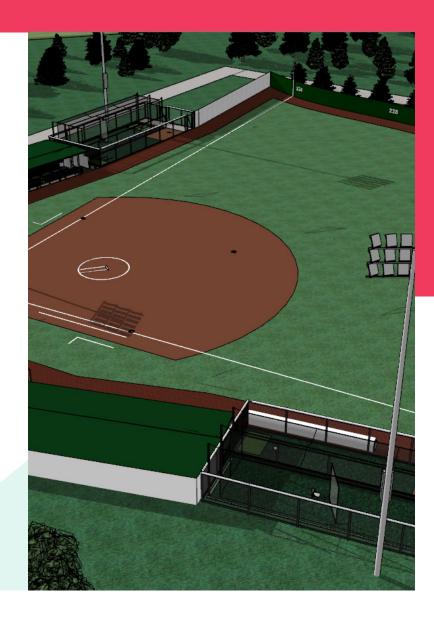
Picnic areas

Gated

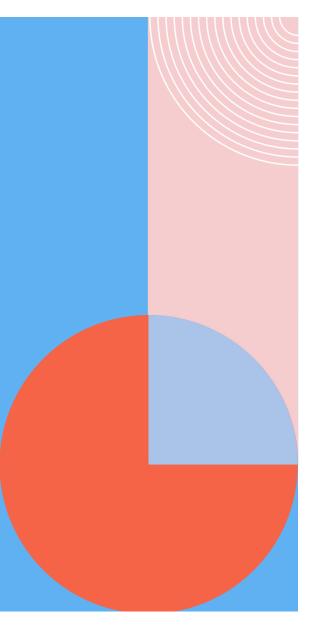
A major facelift to the park increasing the parks attendance and awareness

## Goals of the project

- \* the first youth sports stadium in Northeast Wisconsin
- \* Increase league participation and create new opportunities for boys and girls
- \* add several new tournaments at the field
- \* create clinics for youth to learn the game







### **Pros and Cons**

#### Pros:

- \*Added Revenue for the City of Manitowoc (15 year lease)
- \*Field maintenance and grass cutting by TRYS
- \*Brand new field with a brand new look to Halverson park with no tax payer expense.
- \*More kids at Halverson Park throughout summer
- \*Added programming
- \*Current field needs updating which will be accomplished by this project and returned to the city of Manitowoc after 15 years
- \*Added amenities to the Halverson Park

#### Cons:

The space will be gated to ensure the field is top notch. It can be accessed by renting the space, leagues, tournaments and so on. So its available to the public at specific times.

# Partnership and Community

#### Partnering with Manitowoc

We want to partner with Manitowoc to improve this space for youth athletes throughout the area. Working together on this space will improve the moral and overall experience for youth athletes. This will also attract more kids to the park, to sports and area businesses. Working together will achieve many great things for all.

#### **Community Impact**

TRYS has a great impact on the community as it stands through our contributions to sports and economic impact. A economic study in 2017 for War on the Shore showed over \$500,000 spent in the community during the 3 day tournament. Since then we have added teams, games and Thursday to the mix. The impact our tournament has in the community is quite significant. We look to add more tournaments and league play that will further impact the community economically in a positive way and doing it right here in Manitowoc. Tourism is great for the area. Multiple hotels reach out to us on about War on the Shore each year. We hope to continue to build on that!



# Responsibilities of TRYS

- \*Building this new stadium
- \*Insurance on said stadium
- \*Utility costs
- \*Grass cutting in the stadium
- \*Rent due to the City of Manitowoc for the area used
- \*Maintenance of the stadium

# Responsibilities of Manitowoc

- \*Sidewalk maintenance and snow removal.
- \*Working with TRYS to promote activities through tourism
- \*Keeping the area safe (when needed a police presence)