

## FIELD USAGE AT WASHINGTON IRVING SCHOOL

**TNT** (community youth baseball and softball) uses the fields at WI about 40 hours/month in March, and 80 hours in April, May and June.

**AYSO** (community youth soccer) has 700 kids in 63 teams plus 7 travel teams. WI fields are used by many of these teams.

- 12 AYSO teams practice on WI Upper over the course of 6 ½ hours every Saturday
- 12 AYSO teams practice on WI Lower over the course of 6 ½ hours every Saturday
- Plus, these fields are also used for back-to-back games on Sundays.
- That's about 70-80 hours a month.

AYSO also runs a one week full day soccer camp for about 135 kids every August on the WI fields.

(AYSO and TNT both use Franklin Field at WI, which will be eliminated once construction starts. Those teams will need a place to practice and play.)

**Wolfpack** (youth football) uses the WI fields 85 hours/month in August, and 65 hours/month throughout the fall.

### **Middle and High School Teams practice at WI regularly**

FALL: Boys soccer (middle school, JV and varsity are based at WI). 70 hours/month.

SPRING: Boys lacrosse starts the spring season at WI, since the shed field and parking lot at the HS are no longer available. Middle school boys lacrosse practices at WI all season. JV and varsity teams move to the high school field. Modified baseball also practices at WI each spring.

WI Fields are also used by WI students during the day for physical education classes and recess, and for WI after school athletics.

*The current amount of usage at WI fields is between 430-520 hours per month, more than three times the recommended maximum amount required to have grass grow.*

## SLEEPY HOLLOW MIDDE/HIGH SCHOOL FIELD USAGE

### **Football Field used Summer through Fall, about 400 hours**

- middle school, JV, varsity football (3 teams)
- middle school, JV, varsity field hockey (3 teams)

Softball and Baseball outfields are also used by these teams.

### **Football Field, used in Spring about 230 hours**

Boys JV and varsity lacrosse, middle school lacrosse games. Shed field is now a parking lot.

Girls middle school, JV and varsity lacrosse practices and games at this field and also Morse parking lot and Kingsland Point Park. Girls lacrosse is a new sport, made possible when girls soccer moved to fall.

**Baseball and Softball fields** are used in Spring by school teams and TNT.

The high school fields are also used up to 120 hours/month by physical education classes, depending on season/weather. Synthetic turf would enable students to be outside earlier in spring, later in fall.