



CBUA - SouthBay

Plate Observation Form (Crew of 2)

Observer

First Name Last Name

Official

First Name Last Name

Game Number

Date

Year Month Day Hour Minutes

Zone appropriate for the level of play.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Zone is Consistent.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Steps back and is relaxed between pitches

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Steps in and sets in time to track the pitch

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Sets to a “locked in” position and does not sway or flinch.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Feet provide a solid base and proper distance from catcher.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Head height is appropriate.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Head is in the slot.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Arms and hands are in a confident yet safe position that contribute to the “locked in”.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Does not anticipate the pitch and allows everything that can happen to happen. Obvious that he sees, renders decision, then communicates.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Gives clear authoritative signals in a clear and relaxed style that projects confidence.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uses proper strike mechanics.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uses proper ball mechanics.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uses proper fair/foul mechanics.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uses proper foul-tip mechanics.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uses proper check-swing appeal mechanics.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Clears the catcher on all balls hit into play.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Trails runner when mechanics dictate.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Rotates tot he library/holding area when mechanics dictate.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Take play at third or goes home as the play dictates.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Is aware of partner and if appropriate adjusts when partner misses coverage.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Has good baseball instincts to determine likely action and moves accordingly.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Moves with a purpose, is coordinated, and is fluid.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Is in control of their body and does not over hustle.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Seeks appropriate initial calling positions and adjusts to secondary calling positions if necessary as play develops.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Stops for all imminent plays.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Resets or moves to his next responsibility with purpose.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Communicates with partner pre-pitch for possible rotation.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Verbally communicates with partner on rotations and nulled rotations ("staying home!").

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Communicates with partner pre-pitch for possible infield fly or timing play.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Has good eye contact with partner during developing plays.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

In control while being calm and assertive.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Not over aggressive, but firm when necessary.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Keeps game moving.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Shows good knowledge and application of rules and interpretations.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Is poised during situations and is professional.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Handles pressure well.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Identifies and Enforces Proper Pitching Positions

Always Mostly Seldom Never
Not Observed

Identifies and Enforces Penalties for non-legal slides and violations of Force Play Slide Rule.

Always Mostly Seldom Never
Not Observed

Does not allow behavior from all game personnel that compromise good sportsmanship.

Always Mostly Seldom Never
Not Observed

Does not allow game personnel to be out of their designated area.

Always Mostly Seldom Never
Not Observed

Comments:

Looks good in their uniform.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Uniform is clean and in good condition.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Carries themselves with good posture and professional body language.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Looks confident not arrogant.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments:

Maintains a polite and courteous while authoritative manner in dealing with all people involved with the contest.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Does not fraternize.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Does not undermine their partner.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Is professional.

Always

Mostly

Seldom

Never

Comments:

Concentrates on the action and anticipates issues that may arise.

Always

Mostly

Seldom

Never

Does not daydream nor look into the stands.

Always

Mostly

Seldom

Never

Comments:

Always maintains proper decorum and professional manners while in uniform.

Always

Mostly

Seldom

Never

Always maintains proper decorum and professional manners while on campus/parking lot.

Always

Mostly

Seldom

Never

Comments:

Attended Postgame.

As plate umpire, ran a brief postgame with partner with observer present.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Was honest in their self-evaluation while remaining positive with partner.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Was receptive of feedback from partner.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Was receptive of feedback from observer.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Was positive and appreciative of feedback from observer with minimal if any rebuttal.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Gave the impression of enthusiasm and an eagerness to improve.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Engaged observer and asked questions.

Always Mostly Seldom Never

Comments: