



# Delaware Community Center YMCA's Batting and Golf Cage!

**The Delaware Community Center YMCA now offers passes and rental opportunities for our new batting cage!**

## **Batting Cage Features:**

- An adjustable pitching machine capable of throwing baseballs or softballs. The pitching machine offers height and speed adjustments.
- An L-screen, adjustable tees, baseball and softball pitching mounds.
- All baseballs, softballs, and golf balls are provided, but patrons are welcome to bring their own.
- Golfers will have an indoor tee box with tees provided for them.
- Individual usage, small group (2-5 people) usage, and team rentals.
- Private and semi-private lessons.

## **Pass and Rental Procedures**

*To get a pass for the cage as an **individual or small group** please use the following steps:*

1. Check our website ([ymcacolumbus.org/Delaware/pages/batting\\_cage](http://ymcacolumbus.org/Delaware/pages/batting_cage)) for Open for Usage Hours.
2. **Call 740-203-3051** to reserve their session during Open for Usage Hours.
3. Fill out all paperwork and give it to the YMCA welcome center staff with payment.

*To rent the cage as a **team** please use the following steps:*

1. The team representative will submit their rental paperwork to Jake Bonofiglio or Rob Morris **AT LEAST** one week in advanced of their rental.
2. Allow Jake or Rob 24 hours (48 on the weekend) to get back with them and to set up the rental.
3. The team representative will have their entire team fill out all required paperwork and turn in all paperwork.
4. Team rentals will receive a discounted rate when booking 10+ weeks.

*Ask about pricing regarding discounted rates!*

- Paperwork can be found online or at the Delaware Community Center YMCA and **MUST** be filled out by **EVERY** participant prior to use of the batting cage.
- Drop-ins are not permitted to ensure our staff has adequate time prepare the cage for each session.
- The batting cage shares the gymnasium with other YMCA programming, so open cage hours are limited.
- Please follow Rules and Procedures (on next page) at all times.

For the cage's Open for Usage hours see: [ymcacolumbus.org/Delaware/pages/batting\\_cage](http://ymcacolumbus.org/Delaware/pages/batting_cage)

To reserve your spot during the cage's Open for Usage hours please call: 740-203-3051



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## Rules

- All individuals participating in usage of the batting/golf cage must sign a liability waiver.
- If the participant is younger than 18, they **must** have a legal guardian/responsible adult sign the liability waiver for them. The legal guardian/responsible adult must also remain in the gymnasium to supervise the minor.
- All baseball/softball participants in the cage must wear a batting helmet at all times.
- The YMCA will provide extra batting helmets should participants be in need of them.
- Baseball/softball participants **must** provide their own bats.
- Golf participants **must** provide their own clubs.
- Participants will use the batting cage at their own risk.
- There will NOT be a staff member present during the usage of the cage.
- Participants are responsible for cleaning up all materials they have used during their time in the cage.
- NO horseplay is allowed in the gymnasium or batting cage.
- Batting cage participants are NOT permitted to use the basketball court or any gymnastics equipment in the gymnasium.
- Participants are only permitted to use the rental they purchased and nothing else in the gym.
- No cleats in the gymnasium.
- A pitching net must be used at all times to protect the pitcher from oncoming balls.
- DO NOT SET ANY OF THE PITCHING MACHINE DIALS ABOVE 5.

## Batting and Golf Cage Usage Procedure

1. Purchase pass and sign waiver(s) at the Welcome Center Desk.
2. Manager on Duty will accompany participant back to the batting cage. Manager on Duty will show participant how to properly use the pitching machine (if needed), and inform them of their time limit.
3. Manager on Duty will give participant access to: extension cord for pitching machine, baseball/softball/golf balls, pitching mount, and/or golf mat.
4. Participant will prepare materials for usage.
5. Participant will use cage for purchased services until purchased time is up.
6. Participant will clean up all used materials and replace them in their original location, as indicated by Manager on Duty.
7. Participant will inform Manager on Duty that they are done.
8. Manager on Duty and participant will go through gym together, to ensure it is clean.