

Unity 5

Game Announcer Guidelines

Pre-Game (Get Ready):

- Arrive: At announcer's booth 15 minutes before game time.
- Lineup: Get from coaches while they are warming up (Player FIRST Name & Number).
- Names: Ask coaches for correct pronunciation if unsure.
- **Teams:** Use Stack Officials list for home/away status and full team/sponsor names.

Game Start (5 Mins Before):

- Announce Loud & Clear:
 - O "WELCOME TO UNITY PARK! TODAY'S MATCHUP IS THE [Visiting Team Sponsor & Name] VERSUS THE [Home Team Sponsor & Name]."

During Game:

- Batters: Announce Number and FIRST Name (e.g., "Now batting, Number 12, Michael!").
- **End of Innings:** Announce the score using sponsor names (e.g., "After 1 inning: Sponsor Team A [Score], Sponsor Team B [Score]").

Unity 5 Microphone and Scoreboard

To power on:

- 1. Go to middle of the room where the 3 light switches are. Flip on the left one (white single plate switch). Make sure the scoreboard turns on
- 2. Turn on the black audio box in the Unity 5 alcove. The red and blue lights should come on. This turns your mic on.
 - a. Test the mic and make sure it works before the game starts
- 3. When the game is over, turn off everything you turned on, shut the window, and clean up after yourself
 - a. If you know that there is a game directly after yours that you are not announcing for, you can keep the scoreboard and mic on

To control scoreboard:

- 1. Switch the power button on the top left to On.
- 2. If scoreboard is blinking, press Enter on the bottom right
- 3. All the buttons do what they say. If you overcount on the score, press +10 and +1 until it reaches 0, and reset.
- 4. To reset balls, strikes, outs, and innings, click the respective button until it goes back to 0 on the scoreboard.

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