

## WILSON CITY LITTLE LEAGUE & J. BURT GILLETTE ATHLETIC COMPLEX INFO

Wilson City Little League was formed in 2004 and has grown every year. The league started with around 150 participants and now has over 600 participants.

On May 30, 2009, Wilson Recreation Department opened the new J. Burt Gillette Baseball Complex which features four (4) Little League sized baseball fields. The signature field is The Heritage Bank Stadium. The Heritage Bank Stadium is a smaller replica of Fleming Stadium that was built in 1936. The Heritage Bank Stadium seats around 450 spectators in its Grandstand and the outfield berm can hold another 400-500 spectators. There are 42 green chair back seats on the first two rows for spectators. Just like Fleming Stadium the dugouts are below field level. The Heritage Bank Stadium has bullpens on each end of the dugouts, free wireless internet, three flag poles to display the United States, North Carolina, & Little League Flags, and a sound system for PA & Music.

The other three little league fields are great for tournament play as well. They all have scoreboards that have pitch count capability, flag poles to display the United States of America flag, covered dugouts and bullpens by each dugout. Each field has free wireless internet capability as well. Fields #1 & #3 are all dirt infields and Field #2 is has a grass infield just like The Heritage Bank Stadium. Field #1 is the home to NCAA Division Two Conference Carolina's Barton College Lady Bulldogs Softball Team. Each field is hooked up to a sound system for PA & Music.

The complex has bathroom facilities for both men & women and a concession stand for spectators. The complex also features a conference room for meetings.



## Tournaments that Wilson City Little League has hosted since 2007

2007 7-8 Year Old NC Little League District 6

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2008 10-11 Year Old NC Little League District 6

2009 11-12 Year Old NC Little League District 6

**2009 11-12 Year Old NC Little League State**

2010 9-10 Year Old NC Little League District 6

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**2010 10 & Under North Carolina Recreation & Parks Department's SWAC State Finals**

## Pictures of J. Burt Gillette Baseball/Softball Complex

