## Player and Participant Descriptions

First Base: Covers first base

**Second Base:** Covers second base

**Third Base:** Covers third base

Left Field: Covers left field

Right Field: Covers right field

**Shortstop Double:** Most active position and is located beside the Pitcher. Shortstop Double plays Shortstop and also covers home plate since the Catcher is not on a trike.

Catcher: Catcher is the only position that does not ride a trike when team is fielding. Catcher is responsible for returning the ball to the Pitcher after each pitch. Catcher does not cover home plate. If action takes place on the field while Catcher has the ball, Catcher can throw the ball to any player. (Not the Pitcher) Catcher must step back from home plate when the ball is in play to stay clear of Trikes. Catcher is also responsible for keeping home plate clear of bats, extra balls, etc.

**Pitcher:** The Pitcher is always Joe, manager of Trikeball. The Pitcher pitches the ball to the batter but does not participate in playing the game. At the end of each play the ball comes back to the Pitcher. The Pitcher also assists the Umpire.

**Team Captain:** is responsible for keeping general order of the team. Keeps batting trikes clear of the playing field, keeps track of batting order and ensures trikes are in position for the next batter. Keeps players seated in the dugout area. Team Captain may allow players to swap fielding positions between innings. Team Captain collects team vests at the end of the game.

Umpire: Usually Coaches or Gym Teachers; are in charge of officiating the game.

*Floor Guards:* Keep fans OFF the playing field. Help fans find a seat and assist them in finding a safe moment when leaving and returning during the game. A safe moment is when the ball is NOT in play.

**Announcer:** Makes announcements, introduces the teams and players and also keeps score.