

High School (2016, 2017, 2018) - NCAA Rules (VIEW here)

- Games will consist of four 11 minute quarters. The clock will run except for the last two minutes of the game, which will be start/stop if the score difference is less than 4 goals
- 1 timeout per HALF. Does not carry over. Game clock will stop for timeouts.

GENERAL RULES:

- Mouth guards, arm pads, gloves, helmets, and shoulder pads are required
- Players may only play for one team during the tournament.
- Any fighting of flagrant disrespect towards an official will result in expulsion for the remainder of the game and possibly the tournament. No exceptions, no refunds!
- Please remember all teams came from far and near expecting to play a certain number of games and we rely on the professionalism and sportsmanship of all coaches involved to hold that commitment.
- Referees will keep Game time. Penalty time will be kept in the box. Penalty time is start/stop.
- In the event of a tie, teams will play one continuous sudden victory overtime period. No time-outs permitted in overtime. A one minute break will be given before overtime. NO BRAVEHEARTS
- There are no mandatory stick checks. However, the head coach may request a stick check. If the stick is found to be legal, the challenging team will be charged a time out. If no timeout remains, a delay of game technical foul will be assessed.
- Decisions on the field are the final ruling. No disputes will be heard after the game.
- Any coach or player ejected from a game will not be allowed to participate in the following scheduled game for their team.

Game Breakdown

2016: 7 pools of 3. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday. Play all teams in pool and 1 crossover Sunday - Playoffs: Winner of each pool advances (7 teams). Team with the lowest GOALS AGAINST gets first round BYE

Consolation: All remaining teams play 2 games Sunday

<u>2017:</u> 6 pools of 3. 1 pool of 5. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday. Play all teams in pool and 1 crossover, except pool of 5.

Sunday - Playoffs: Winner of each pool of 3 advances. Two teams advance from pool of 5. Consolation: All remaining teams play 2 games Sunday

<u>2018</u>: 6 pools of 3. 1 pool of 5. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday. Play all teams in pool and 1 crossover, except pool of 5.

Sunday - Playoffs: Winner of each pool of 3 advances. Two teams advance from pool of 5. Consolation: All remaining teams play 2 games Sunday

Playoff Seeding

- 1. Pool Winner (Record)
- 2. Head-to-Head
- 3. Goals Against
- 4. Goal Differential
- Goals For
- 6. Coin Flip

*For pools with odd number, one team plays 4 games. If needed, pool will be decided by # of wins and then Head to Head.

Youth (2019, 2020, 2021, 2022) – Modified NFHS Rules with US Lacrosse Emphasize (View here)

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- 1 timeout per HALF. Does not carry over. Game clock will stop for timeout.
- 20 sec / 10 sec clearing rule for <u>ALL</u> ages 20 seconds to clear the ball from your defensive end.
 10 seconds to get into the offensive box.
- Teams that appear to be stalling will be warned to keep the ball in the box. All teams with a lead must keep the ball in the box for the last two minutes of the game.

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- **2019:** 4 pools of 4. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday, and 1 Sunday AM. Sunday Playoffs: Top 2 from pools of 4 advance. Consolation: All remaining teams play 1 game
- 2020: 2 pools of 4. 1 pool of 5. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday, and 1 Sunday AM. Sunday Playoffs: Top 2 from pools of 4 advance. Top 3 from pool of 7 advance. Team with lowest GOALS AGAINST gets first round BYE Consolation: All remaining teams play 1 game
- 2021: 2 pools of 4. Guaranteed 3 pool play games Saturday.Sunday Playoffs: All teams make playoffs.Consolation: First round losers get guaranteed 1 more game.
- 2022: 2 pools of 3. Guaranteed 2 pool play games Saturday, and 1 crossover.
 Sunday Playoffs: All teams make playoffs.
 Consolation: First round losers get guaranteed 1 more game.

Playoff Seeding

- 7. Pool Winner (Record)
 - 8. Head-to-Head
- 9. Goals Against
- 10. Goal Differential
- 11. Goals For
- 12. Coin Flip