

The CT CUP Lacrosse Tournament

GENERAL RULES:

- □ Mouthguards, must be worn **at all times**
- □ Players may only compete for one team during the event
- □ All penalties are 1 minute, as games are in “running-time”. Officials can extend penalties beyond 1 minute if warranted.
- □ Penalties begin on the referee’s re-start.
- □ Any fighting or flagrant disrespect towards an official will result in expulsion for the remainder of the tournament. No exceptions, no refunds.
- □ Teams must be available for all games. Please remember that many teams travel great distances for this event expecting to play a minimum of 4 games, and we rely on your professionalism to hold that commitment.
- □ Referees are in charge of each individual field during gameplay, and may use their discretion to override a tournament rule if he feels necessary to do so. They have final say.

GAME PLAY:

- □ Games consist of two 22-minute halves, and a 1 minute halftime.
- □ There are no time outs.
- □ Game times are kept by the referees.
- □ Tie games will be settled with a “braveheart” competition, unless it is a playoff game.
 - Braveheart: Each team fields 2 players and 1 goalie, starting with a faceoff. Only 2 players per team are allowed on the offensive side of the midfield line. Goalies can cross if a middle stays back. NO substitutions.

YOUTH SPECIFIC RULES

- □ Modified US Lacrosse rules. No clearing counts, no over-and-back.
- □ No one-handed checks. Limited body checking.
- □ A mercy rule is in effect if one team has a lead of 8 or more goals. In this situation, the team trailing has the choice of starting with a free clear, or a faceoff.
- □ Rules of play default to US Lacrosse in the case of any question not specified here

HIGH SCHOOL SPECIFIC RULES

- □ NFHS clearing rules are in effect. Winning team keep it in the box last 2 minutes
- □ A mercy rule is in effect if one team has a lead of 8 or more goals. In this situation, the team trailing has the choice of starting with a free clear, or a faceoff.

INCLEMENT WEATHER RULES

- □ There are no rain dates for this event. Assume that games will be played on their scheduled dates.
- □ If inclement weather causes a game stoppage (i.e. lightning), the following rules apply:
 - Play will stop until the head official deems conditions are safe to resume play
 - If play stops in the first half of a game, the game resumes with the beginning of the 2nd half.
 - If play stops in the 2nd half of a game, the game ends immediately. The team in the lead gets the win. If tied, a braveheart takes place when play resumes.
 - If the delay is substantial, Tournament HQ may decide to shorten some games until the event is back on-time.

Field Map CT Cup 2017

Bartlem Park Fields 1 - 4



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Cheshire High Fields 5 - 7

