

# LONG ISLAND 3 LACROSSE CLASSIC TOURNAMENT RULES

1. Games will consist of 2 – 25 minute halves with a 5-minute half time
2. PLAYOFFS = 2 – 12 min halves / 1 min halftime
3. A central horn will be used for all timing to signify beginning of game, halftime and end of game
4. NO TIMEOUTS

*ALL AGE GROUPS will play except for slight modifications to the 2025, 2026 & 2027 Age Group*

- 12v12 Full Field
- Full Checking except for 2025, 2026 & 2027 Age Group
- No Pass Rules
- Can follow through goal circle
- Play man down in zone on yellow cards for 2 minutes
- Team listed first start on score card will get first alternate possession
- 8 meter shots will be played out if the horn sounds for the half or end of game. 1 shot directly to goal

*2025 & 2026 Age Group*

- Modified Checking
- No four goal rule
- 3 second rule for good defensive positioning

*2027 Age Group*

- No Checking
- No four goal rule
- 3 second rule for good defensive positioning

## **Behavior / Yellow & Red Cards**

The Head Coach will be responsible for the behavior of personnel affiliated with their team, including all assistant coaches and fans, and will receive any cards related to lack of bench decorum.

A yellow or red card to the coach counts towards the team fouls and a player must be removed for 2 min.

Players receiving 2 yellows will not have to sit the following game, but it will be reported to the tournament director and subsequent cards could result in suspension. A coach or player receiving a red card could be required to sit an additional game. All decisions on penalties for cards will be at the discretion of the tournament committee and the head official.

## **Bracket Play Points**

- Win = 3
- Tie = 1
- Loss = 0

## **Bracket Play Tie Break Criteria**

1. Head to Head
2. Goals Against
3. Goal Differential
4. Coin Toss

## **Playoff or Championship Ties**

- 12v12 Overtime – Sudden Death