

2021 Chris Barnes Seaway Classic Rules

Team Check-in: Coaches should check-in their teams at the registration tent at least 30 minutes prior to their first game.

Equipment: Coaches are responsible for all equipment including legal sticks.

Mouth guards and protective eyewear are mandatory. Each team must wear matching, reversible jerseys. Coaches should bring pinnies if jersey is not reversible.

Tournament Format: 8 vs 8 for 1/2 through varsity. Each team plays a goalie, 2 defenders, 3 midfielders and 2 attack. Each game is 2 x 20 minutes halves, running time with a 5-minute halftime. We will start and stop on the master horn. Each team (3/4-varsity) plays 3 games, 2 games for Ks and 1/2.

K's will play 3v3 or 4v4 without a goalie. Format is ultimately decided by coaches.

Note: We have installed a few bigger fields for the tourney this year at the Varsity, JV and modified levels. It's the coach's choice and to adjust the format if they choose. Please conference with the refs prior to game time.

Timing: One clock for all fields. Air Horn will start games and end games. There will be 15 minutes between games and games start at the top of each hour.

Scoring: Each game will begin with a draw. Draws will occur after each goal.

The 3/4 and 5/6 grade teams and lower divisions will need to complete 1

overhand pass in the offensive zone. K and 1/2 is coaches discretion regarding draw frequency. "Hot" rule can be modified per coaches decision. Please consult with refs if you choose to play your specific game with no hot rule.

Penalties: Will be called as they are in regular field lacrosse play. Be respectful. This is a competitive tournament but we are all there to have fun. Coaches or fans who disrespect refs or tournament personnel will be asked to leave.

Substitutions: All subs will be made on the fly. Players must touch sticks at the sidelines before coming onto the field.

OFF- SIDES RULE: Two player's from each team must remain behind the midfield line and restraining line for scholastic levels, mid line for youth. This assumes 7 field players.

Checking Guidelines: The K, 1/2, 3/4 and the 5/6 graders will have no checking, the Modified, 7/8 grade division will use modified checking, and full checking for JV and Varsity.

Refs and Game Conduct: Certified refs will officiate. Good Sportsmanship is a priority of the Webster Women's Lacrosse Club. Displaying proper conduct is a concern that includes all participants, coaches, parents/guardians and spectators. This is a competitive tournament but we are all there to have fun. Coaches or fans who disrespect refs or tournament personnel will be asked to leave.

Vendors: Food vendors will be available offering a variety of lunch and snack items for sale. Merchandise vendors will also be on site. Please take full advantage!

Site: All playing fields are grouped together at Webster Schroeder High School on Ridge Road. Plenty of free parking is available on site. Please park in designated areas only. No parking will be allowed on the driveways or entrance areas to allow access for emergency vehicles. This school and town property prohibits alcohol, smoking, grills, open fires or pets. Please respect anyone who asks you to move your vehicle for any reason.

Inclement Weather Policy: Lacrosse is played in just about any weather therefore due to the planning on our part and yours, we will attempt to play all games at their scheduled times. Unfortunately, circumstances may arise that the tournament directors would need to cancel or delay a game or suspend or cancel the tournament.