

# CT CUP Boys Lax Invitational 22'

**PARKING** in permitted areas only. There should be plenty of parking. Please do not park on any grass area along the entrance/exit.. Violators of parking policy will be towed at the owners expense.

## **HOST VENUES**

Please respect the rules, requests, and policies of the host venue. Those found to be in violation of any of these rules may be asked to leave for the day. These rules will be enforced. We appreciate you working with us to run a safe event.

## **REFEREES**

Please model good sportsmanship and be courteous to the event referees. Their efforts all weekend make the tournament run!

## **SAFETY**

### **COVID-19 Safety**

As our communities continue to recover from the COVID-19 pandemic, please be respectful of those around you and adhere to any and all state guidelines, facility rules, and event rules.

## **RULES:**

- Mouth guards, must be worn at all times
- All penalties are 1 minute, as games are in “running-time”. Field Directors will keep penalty time and 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 lacrosse and we rely on your professionalism to hold that commitment.
- Referees are in charge of each individual field during game play, 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 2 minute halftime w/4 min between each game.
- There are no time outs.
- Game times and scores are kept by the Field Directors, coaches sign off

## **YOUTH SPECIFIC RULES**

- Modified US Lacrosse rules. No clearing counts, no over-and-back.  A mercy rule is in effect if one team has a lead of 10 or more goals. In this situation, the team trailing has the choice of starting with a free clear, or a faceoff.

## **HIGH SCHOOL SPECIFIC RULES**

Games consist of two 22-minute halves, and a 2 minute halftime w/4 min between each game.

There are no time outs

Game times and scores are kept by the Field Directors, coaches sign off .

NFHS clearing rules are in effect 20 sec to clear midfield and 10 seconds to get in the restraining box.

Winning team keep it in the box last 2 minutes under four goals differential.

## **INCLEMENT WEATHER RULES**

There are no rain dates for this event. Assume that games will be played on their scheduled times.

If inclement weather causes a game stoppage (i.e. lightning), the following rules apply:

- o Play will stop until the head official deems conditions are safe to resume play
- o If play stops in the first half of a game, the game resumes with the beginning of the 2<sup>nd</sup> half.
- o If play stops in the 2<sup>nd</sup> half of a game, the game ends immediately. The team in the lead gets the win. If tied, a 3 player Braveheart takes place when play resumes.
- o If the delay is substantial, Tournament HQ may decide to shorten some games until the event is back on-time.

Please remember this is a fun day of lacrosse. Enjoy watching your teams play and coach'm up.

Thank you,

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