

CCLA 10S 2018 Mini-Tournaments

Events to be held on:

*April 8, 15, 22, 29; May 6, 20; June 3
June 10 (possible rain date)*

Rules of Play (revised 4/23/18)

- *7 v. 7 (2-2-2 plus goalie) WITH OFFSIDES PLAYED ON A SHORT FIELD*
- *TWO 20-MINUTE HALVES/5-MINUTE HALF-TIME - teams change field direction for the 2nd half.*
- *RUNNING TIME. Clock will only stop for injuries at the discretion of the referee. Home team will provide one adult time/score keeper. Games must begin promptly on the hour.*
- *NO OVERTIME in the event of a tie.*
- *PENALTIES: Penalized player is removed from game for 1 minute (ref will not time this ... coach's honor system), immediately replaced by a teammate. Other team gets free clear from midfield.*
- *TIME OUTS: Each team has one 30-second time out per half. Game clock keeps running during time outs. No time outs in last 2 minutes of the game.*
- *SUBSTITUTIONS: Players may substitute on the fly and on dead ball situations on sidelines (not endlines); substitutions in dead ball situations will be facilitated by officials if requested promptly by coaches (coaches should yell "Horn!").*
- *ADVANCEMENT RULES & "KEEP IT IN BOX" DO NOT APPLY; NO OVER-AND-BACK*
- *STALLING: The official can direct a team to "advance the ball" within 5 seconds. Non-compliance will result in a turnover.*
- *NO BODY CHECKING*
- *NO ONE-HANDED STICK CHECKS*
- *NO LONG POLES: Field player sticks must be 37-42". Goalie sticks 40-72". Referees will not be enforcing the NFHS stick head rules, or the shooting string rules. We recognize that these are new players possibly borrowing gear to play the game, and we don't want to do anything to discourage them to continue playing.*
- *FACE OFFS/FREE CLEARS: Teams will face off to start each half. Following each goal, the opposing team will have a free clear starting at midfield.*
- *MERCY RULE. A team leading by 5 or more goals is required to successfully complete 5 consecutive passes before attempting a shot. The pass count begins from the moment the leading team gains possession, and it restarts following each shot. If the ball hits the ground at any point during the 5 pass attempts, it results in a turnover. Actions intended to circumvent the spirit of this rule will also result in a turnover.*
- *BALLS: All teams are responsible for balls on their offensive end-line. Teams are responsible for those balls and for making sure there are an adequate number of balls on their offensive end-line during games.*
- *REFEREES: There will be one referee assigned to each game; payment per game is \$40 (\$20 from each team).*
- *SPORTSMANSHIP & SCORE REPORTING: Coaches and referees are required to provide this information for each game in Horizon Web Ref immediately following the tournament.*
- *SPIRIT OF 10S LACROSSE: The prevailing spirit of these events is for the boys to have FUN, MAXIMIZE THEIR TOUCHES, LEARN TO PLAY ALL POSITIONS, EXHIBIT GREAT SPORTSMANSHIP, AND COME BACK NEXT SEASON. We expect all adults in attendance to cheer loudly and honor the spirit of the game.*