

Blue Ridge Lacrosse Club Playing Time Policy

The mission of Blue Ridge Lacrosse Club is to provide quality instruction in a fun and competitive environment for youth in our community. In an effort to ensure the growth of each player, as well as a fun, competitive environment consistent with each player's skills, Blue Ridge Lacrosse Club has adopted the following policy on playing time:

- (1) each player on a U9 or U11 recreational team will receive substantially equal playing time in all games;
- (2) each player on a U13 recreational team will play in each game, but playing time on a game-by-game basis will be determined by the team's coach, whose goal is to promote substantially equal playing time for all players across the entire season; and,
- (3) each player on a U15 recreational team will play in each game, but playing time on a game-by-game basis will be determined by the team's coach, whose goals are to promote fair (as opposed to equal) playing time in amounts consistent with the overall interests of the team and with criteria that include the player's attitude, skill, preparation, lacrosse IQ, and attendance at and participation in practices and games.