

Rising Stars Tournament

May 20, 2018

General Rules of Play

1. All Rules will be established by US Lacrosse Youth Rules with current YGL modifications unless otherwise noted here.
2. Each game will consist of:
 - a. 25 minute running clock
 - b. (1) One minute time out per team per game. No timeouts in last 5 minutes of the game.
 - c. Playoff games:
 - i. Immediate 2 minute OT, sudden victory. Full teams.
 - ii. If still tied, a 2 v. 2 BraveHeart until there's a score. Both players (1 center+1 goalie) have full range of the field. Goalies may not score nor trade sticks with a field player.
 - iii. Any issued card during BraveHeart results in a win for the other team.
3. South Western Girls Lacrosse and/or the YGL Board reserve the right to adjust the timing of the games.
4. There is no mercy rule for a 4 goal differential.
5. This is a tournament. Team awards will be given to top teams in each competition level. However this tournament is about playing lacrosse, sportsmanship, and having fun! An ejection foul to any **player** or **coach** automatically disqualifies the **team** from any awards.
6. Tournament and All-Star teams are precluded from the competition.
7. Players may not play down below their age level.
8. Players may not be on multiple rosters in multiple age groups. NO EXCEPTIONS.
9. Any team that uses an illegal player at any time in the tournament will forfeit their games.
 - a. All games played will be recorded as 1-0 loss for the team that forfeits.
 - b. All additional games played will be counted as 1-0 forfeit losses.
 - c. A forfeiting team will be disqualified from all awards.
10. Any player, coach, or fan ejected from the game or field during the tournament will be prohibited from playing, coaching, or watching any other games in the tournament and will be asked to leave the grounds.
11. Each team must "check in" at the head table at least 30 minutes prior to their first game.
12. Each team will be responsible for providing end line balls on their end of the field before each game.
13. Please have your team warmed up and ready to play at the appointed times so that we may move things along and keep to the time schedule.
14. Please make sure your bench area is clean when you leave.
15. All Parents and spectators are to sit on the opposite side from the teams, with the exception of Field 2 where the seating area is behind the team benches.
16. All spectators, players, and coaches are expected to respect the tournament rules, facility rules, and any applicable local, state, and federal laws. This includes the prohibition of alcohol and tobacco products from being used/consumed on school property. Any violators will be reported and will be subject to expulsion from the tournament at the discretion of the South Western Girls Lacrosse Club and/or the YGL Board.

17. This is a School District property. Dogs, cats, or any animals, leashed or un-leashed are prohibited. Service dogs are exceptions.
18. There is no grilling on the fields or parking lots.
19. **Parking is allowed in paved parking areas only. Please, no parking on grass areas.** There is limited parking space near the main 2 fields. The overflow parking is in the high school stadium parking lot. Parking adjacent to field 3 is for handicapped persons only. Main parking for field 3 is adjacent to the back of the middle school – approximately 150 yards from the field. There is no street parking at the MS. You will get ticketed!
20. Any issues or concerns during the tournament should be brought directly to the tournament director, Jen Krouse (410-961-1975). Decisions of the tournament director and South Western Girls Lacrosse Club are final.

WEATHER REFUND POLICY

We will plan on holding the tournament rain or shine (except lightning). Since we are using school fields it is possible that we could be prohibited from playing. If that happens there will be a partial refund (minus our layout expenses).

1. No refunds will be issued for games canceled for reasons other than weather (forfeit, no shows, etc.)
2. No refunds will be issued for games shortened due to weather.
3. If one game is canceled due to weather, there will be no refund. If a second or third game are canceled due to weather, the team will receive a limited refund. Any refund checks would be made out to the registered club within 30 days from the cancelled tournament.
4. No refunds will be issued for playoff or championship games canceled due to weather.

THUNDER/LIGHTNING POLICY

If thunder or lightning is observed at any field of play, play will be suspended immediately and players and fans will be asked to leave all fields. Play will be allowed to resume 30 minutes after the last sound of thunder or sighting of lightning is observed. If a game is in progress, the game will end immediately. If it is between games, the next game will be considered a 1-1 tie.

Scoring/Tie Breakers

Each team is guaranteed 3 games. Points will be awarded as follows.

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

#1 in each pool will play #2 from the other pool in the semi-final games. The winners of each of those games will face each other for the Grand Championship.

The tie breaker rules:

- Head to Head
- Fewest goals allowed
- Coin flip

DIVISIONS

3RD/4TH	NAVY	IRISH	DOVER	D.TOWN	KD.RAMS
3RD/4TH	ARMY	MUSTANG	WARRIOR	R.LAND	NEWOX

5TH/6TH	TOWSON	KD.RAMS	R.LAND	R.LION	WARRIOR	MUSTANG
5TH/6TH	LOYOLA	IRISH	NEWOX	D.TOWN	SUBURB	

7TH/8TH	DENVER	IRISH	CENTRAL	R.LAND	WARRIOR	SUBURB
7TH/8TH	SYRACUSE	MUSTANG1	NEWOX	W.YORK	R.LION	MUSTANG2

	Soccer Mini 1	Soccer Mini 2	Girls Field
8:30 AM	IRISH V. DOVER	MUSTANG V. WARRIOR	IRISH V. NEWOX
9:00 AM	D.TOWN V. KD.RAMS	R.LAND V. NEWOX	D.TOWN V. SUBURB
9:30 AM	IRISH V. KD.RAMS	MUSTANG V. NEWOX	IRISH V. D.TOWN
10:00 AM	DOVER V. D.TOWN	WARRIOR V. R.LAND	NEWOX V. SUBURB
10:30 AM	IRISH V. D.TOWN	MUSTANG V. R.LAND	SUBURB V. IRISH
11:00 AM	DOVER V. KD.RAMS	WARRIOR V. NEWOX	D.TOWN V. NEWOX
11:30 AM	#1 ARMY V. #2 NAVY	#1 NAVY V. #2 ARMY	SUBURB V. WARRIOR*
12:00 PM		GREEN CHAMPIONSHIP	#1 TOWSON V. #2 LOYOLA
12:30 PM		IRISH V. R.LAND	MUSTANG2 V. R.LION
1:00 PM		CENTRAL V. WARRIOR	MUSTANG2 V. W.YORK
1:30 PM		IRISH V. WARRIOR	
2:00 PM		NEWOX V. R.LION	R.LAND V. SUBURBAN
2:30 PM		IRISH V. SUBURBAN	R.LAND V. CENTRAL
3:00 PM		R.LION V. MUSTANG1	
3:30 PM		DENVER #1 V. SYRACUSE #2	
4:00 PM			

Stadium
MUSTANG V. WARRIOR
R.LION V. R.LAND
KD.RAMS V. MUSTANG
WARRIOR V. R.LION
R.LAND V. KD.RAMS
KD.RAMS V. R.LION
R.LAND V. MUSTANG
#1 LOYOLA V. #2 TOWSON
YELLOW CHAMPIONSHIP
MUSTANG1 V. NEWOX
CENTRAL V. SUBURBAN
W.YORK V. MUSTANG1
WARRIOR V. W.YORK
NEWOX V. MUSTANG2
SYRACUSE #1 V. DENVER #2
RED CHAMPIONSHIP



Please Note: No Parking on any grassy area will be permitted. Violators will be towed at owner's expense. Coaches, please pass this information on to your teams. Thank you for your cooperation.