



PACIFIC COAST FIELD LACROSSE LEAGUE

September 15th, 2020

Declaration Meeting Minutes – Youth

Attendees:

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| Roger Terhune – Chair | Delta – Greg Leong |
| Kelly Scott – 1 st Chair | Langley – Alex Vanichuk |
| Stacy Paterson – 2 nd Chair | Mission – Owen Munro |
| Angie Wolfe – Secretary | New West – Bill Tyler |
| Jody Weatherby – Head Referee | North Shore – Shannon Webber |
| Angie Reid – Head Umpire | Port Coquitlam – Margot Gallant |
| Pam Mason – U11 Commissioner | Richmond – Greg Paterson |
| Karen Hertslet – U15 Commissioner | Ridge Meadows – John Olson |
| Adanacs – Shaun Ashworth | Surrey – Sean Reid |
| Burnaby – Brad Romano | Valley – Curtis Pederson |
| Chilliwack – Tyler Crompton | Vancouver – Shawn Donahue |

Absent:

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| Trish Keizer – Past Chair | Roger Paterson – U9 Commissioner |
| Lynda Callard – Treasurer/Registrar | Cal Davies – U15 Commissioner |
| Tyson Craiggs – U5 Commissioner | Mary Clare – U18 Commissioner |
| Ceyon Johnston – U8 Commissioner | |

Call to Order @ 7:12pm

Acceptance of the Aug 25th minutes:

- Motion to accept: Kelly Scott
- Seconded by: Sean Reid

Declarations:

- See attached

Reports

Chair:

- Since our last meeting the Field Directorate has not met so no updates there
- When parents have questions, they need to go to their home association. They should not be contacting the BCLA directly
 - Parent>Home Association>PCFLL>Field Directorate>BCLA Execs
- With city fields do you have to do tracing reports?
 - Burnaby does, Pitt Meadows but not Ridge, North Shore does, Chilliwack does
 - Make sure you are sharing your field maximums so those teams in your cohort are aware
- BCLA has put through notice that teams will be maxed at 20 players and if any team wishes to apply for oversized (up to 23) they must do so through PCFLL
- Maximum 2 team staff on the sidelines during a game. One of them must be a head coach and the other can be assistant coach, trainer, manager

- If your second staff is a trainer or manager they cannot coach players at all and if head coach is tossed from the game, they cannot take over the bench
- Recommended that second person be a trained coach to avoid these issues

1st Chair:

- We will be taking standings from 2 years ago to figure out cohort but also making it competitive, no blow outs
- You cannot call up players from a lower division at all this season
 - BCLA will allow players to be shared within the same cohort
 - Not share how often this will work with schedules
 - Will be modifying one game permit to reflect borrowing player within you cohort
 - distinct team which separate entrances/exits for each team
- No sharing of equipment this season
 - Dpoles cannot hand off their long pole to a middie if they take a penalty
 - Must have their own stick on the sidelines and go get it
 - Will get technical foul if changing sticks Improperly
- Will cohort games be scheduled all together?
 - No, it will be regular scheduling based on home team field time
- Are we looking at revamping cohorts over Christmas as we will have two weeks off?
 - Technically we could but we will need to take that back to the FD for approval
- Make sure you get all your releases in asap. Would like to have releases completed in the next two weeks
- Teams should be separated on the field and not practicing together unless they are in the same cohort. Make sure there is at least 10 feet separating each
- If your club policies bar a player with a compromised immune system from playing, please revisit that policy.
 - If an immune compromised player has been clear to play by their physician, you cannot deny them to play

2nd Chair:

- Nothing to report. Just waiting for numbers so they can begin working on cohorts

Treasurer/Registrar:

- \$24, 744.81
- If associations want to etransfer team payments this season please send to pcfll.treasurer@gmail.com

Head Referee:

- 12 minute quarters
- No face off, coin toss to decide possession to start and then alternate each quarter after that
- After a goal is scored, ball will be placed 20 yards out like crease play
- Play will be slowed down a bit
- If the ball is loose, ref will call a team color and will allow a play on. That team have 1-2 seconds to pick up the ball or it will be awarded to the other team
- Respect is going to be a huge thing to make this run smoothly. Maintain your distance and let the other team take the ball
- No contact as per BCLA. Can we clarify this at U7/U9 as they have no contact.
 - Refs will allow contact for U11 and above but no loose ball contact
 - U7/U9 loose ball will be difficult as the ball is almost on the ground
 - New refs at that age will need patience
- Is there stop time in the 12 min quarters
 - U9 will be stop time in the last half
 - All other divisions will have no change to stoppage rules from last season

- Bill from New West wants to know if there would be interest in using shooter tutors in the net for U7/U9 as they are not allowed to have goalies
 - Many clubs would be interested in that idea
 - An expense for each club
 - Would stop players shooting on an empty net from center
 - As a league we should be proposing to the BCLA that we allow goalies to maintain players interested in playing goal
 - Langley will put together the proposal and email to Roger to send up the chain
 - Bill motions to mandate the use of shooter tutors at U7 and U9 if the proposal fails
- Motioned: Bill Tyler
- Seconded: Kelly Scott
- Will we be using electronic whistles?
 - The RTP guidelines specify the use of blow whistles
 - Lee was asked at the townhall meeting if they were going to be used and he said no they weren't
 - Jody will look into this as it is a safety issue for refs and players
 - Huge help for timid refs who sometimes go unheard. Electronic whistles give the same tone for all
- Ref clinics are up now and Jody has contacted allocators to get refs registered

Club Reports:

Adanacs:

- Have ordered 40 electronic whistles for their coaches

Burnaby

- What will be the process for oversize teams this year?
 - PCFLL will look at all the numbers and we will decide at which teams should be considered
 - Has to be reviewed by the FD and we will come back to vote on it
 - There are so many teams needing releases, should we allow oversized?

Valley

- When will we find out when the releases for the Island kids will be processed
 - All have been forwarded to the Field Directorate

Delta

- Would like to discuss forfeit policy?
 - Will there be flexibility this year on notification rules and fees?
 - Forfeit fines are up to commissioners and can be reviewed on a case by case
 - Should have flexibility to have 5v5 or 3v3 for the U7/U9 as the max team limited are so small
 - Teams with large roster will likely not have to forfeit games unlike the smaller teams

Jody

- Are we going to start the season on October 10th? It's a long weekend and will be difficult to get refs via history
- Clubs should be polling their teams to find out if it is going to be an issue

Adjournment: @ 8:56 pm

- Motion: Kelly Scott
- Seconded by: Margot Gallant

Next meeting scheduled for: Tuesday, September 22nd, 2020 @ 7:00 p.m. via Zoom

| Association (Youth) | U5 | | U7 | | U9 | | U11 | | | | U13 | | | | | U15 | | | U18 | | Notes | |
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| | # of Players | | # of Players | # of Teams | # of Players | # of Teams | # of Players | Blue T1 | Red T2 | White T3 | # of Players | Tier 1 | Tier 2 | Tier 3 | # of Players | Tier 1 | Tier 2 | # of Players | # of Teams (Tier?) | | | |
| | | | | | | | | # of Teams | # of Teams | # of Teams | | # of Teams | # of Teams | # of Teams | | # of Teams | # of Teams | | | | | |
| Adanacs | 1 | | 20 | 2 | 43 | 3 | 54 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 48 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 34 | 1 | 1 | 25 | 1 | U9 2 x 14, 1 x 15 No U15 goalies | | |
| Burnaby | 1 | | 8 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 22 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 1 | Want up to 4 releases for U15 Want up to 8 release for U18 | | |
| Chilliwack | 13 | | 7 10 | 1 | 19 14 | 2 | 22 27 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 25 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 1xT2 | 3 x U8 girls added to U7 5 x U9 aged up to U11 | | |
| Delta | 0 | | 9 | 1 | 22 | 2 | 15 | 0 | 1 x T2 or T3 | | 19 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 23 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 1 | Ask for 4 releases for U18 | | |
| Langley | 0 | | 17 | 2 | 27 | 2 | 33 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 41 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 29 | 1? | 0 | 24 | 1xT1 | Could either release 9 x U15 or take releases to create 2 teams | | |
| Mission | 10 | | 17 | 2 | 24 | 2 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| New West | 5 | | 6 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 20 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 15 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 24 | 1 | 0 | 18 | 1xT1 | May combine U7 & U9 Oversized U15 or release 4 No goalie for U15 or U18 | | |
| North Shore | 0 | | 1 | 0 | 12 9 | 1 | 9 12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 4 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 16 17 | 0 | 1 | 11 | 0 | 3 aged up U9 to U11 1 age up, 2 releases at U13 Combine U18 with Burnaby | | |
| Poco | 0 | | 7 5-6 | 0 | 20 | 2 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 24 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 18 | 1 | 0 | 16 | 1xT2 | 1-2 age up from U7 Need U18 goalie | | |
| Richmond | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | ? | 1 | 1 x T2 or T3 | | ? | 1 | 1 x T2 or T3 | | ? | 1 x T1 or T2 | | ? | T1 or2 | Declared teams but Vancouver numbers | | |
| Ridge Meadows | 0 | | 20 | 2 | 39 | 4 | 30 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 54 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 45 | 1 | 1 T2 1 T3 | 44 | 1xT1 1xT2 | | | |
| Surrey | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 14 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 28 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 13 | 1xT2 | Changed to tier 2 after consideration | | |
| Valley | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 7 8 | 1 | 6 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 12 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 0 | Will age down 1x U11 Will age up 4x U11 | | |
| Vancouver | ? | | ? | | ? | | ? | | | | ? | | | | ? | | | ? | | Player numbers not available | | |

Blue – Oversized team

Green – Requesting releases

Red – Players to be released

