# 14U Boys Lacrosse (Grade 7&8) | NHYLA

ORYA CACROSSE

Registration Opens
Registration Deadline
+\$30 Late Registration Window
Uniform Order Deadline
NHYLA League Registration Deadline
Estimated Practice Start
Estimated Games Start
NHYLA Tournament
Player Fee

| Week of March 26th

| April 8<sup>th</sup> (based on field conditions)

Early June (to be announced later in the season)

| \$145

# REGISTER HERE

#### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION |

PRACTICES | Tuesdays & Thursdays
GAMES | Sundays with potential of Fridays

During the regular season, the team will have 2, 60-90 minute practices per week in the late afternoon or early evening. Specific times will depend on field and coach availability. During the preseason (anytime prior to natural grass fields being opened by the Town or ORYA) each team may have some Saturday sessions.

The season usually ends in June with a league jamboree/tournament, sponsored by New Hampshire Youth Lacrosse Association ("NHYLA"). We hope and expect players to make lacrosse a priority for the spring and attend the majority of practices and games, but understand conflicts and highly value multi-sport/multi-activity participation.

Depending on final enrollment numbers, game days may vary for players – see **Program Outline Disclaimer**. Games may fall on Friday afternoons and/or Sundays. Occasionally, games vs. other towns may be held during the week, with every attempt to schedule such games during practice time blocks.

<u>Late Registrations:</u> We will plan our number of teams and approach based on the number of players we have at the time of our registration deadlines. Since we will have already registered an appropriate number of teams for league play & have roster restrictions, late additions can cause major issues related to playing time for everyone else in the program.

Anyone attempting to register for ORYA Lacrosse after our registration deadlines of Feb. 19<sup>th</sup> and Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> runs the risk of not being a full-team member. Late registrations may be classified

as practice-only players (while paying the same amount for the program) if the late addition would negatively affect the playing time of the rest of the group.

### PROGRAM OUTLINE DISCLAIMER |

ORYA Lacrosse has created the program outlined above to accommodate the program numbers historically seen at this age group. As numbers dictate, ORYA Lacrosse may change the program approach to offer players a developmentally appropriate and safe program based on number of players, age groups, ability levels, etc. of those that participate in the program. As such, the final makeup of the teams and roster will be driven by the number of enrolled participants, see below:

**0-20 Participants** = One Team, only Sunday games. Players will get roughly 8 games.

**21 – 29 Participants** = One Team, Sunday and Friday evening games with a rotating roster. Players will get roughly 6 games

**30 or more Participants** = Two Teams\*, only Sunday Games. Players will get roughly 8 games.

\* Teams may be divided based on experience level and based on coaches' discretion (no tryouts will held).

#### 14U UNIFORMS |

ORYA will be utilizing a new uniform supplier this year and have updated its uniform design (examples below). Those who purchased a new uniform last year are not required to purchase a new one this year. The new style was created to be close enough to the old uniform to avoid a required purchase for all players.

The uniform fee is NOT included in your program tuition, this is a separate cost but the uniform is yours to keep. No extra uniforms will be provided, each player must have/purchase their own uniform.

You will only need to purchase a new uniform if:

- 1. You have outgrown, lost or otherwise want the new style with updated logo
- 2. You have never purchased the blue & grey uniform set

UNIFORM ORDER LINK | Order Deadline Feb. 19th

#### **OLD Jerseys:**



#### **NEW Jerseys:**



Late Uniform Order Window | Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> – March 9<sup>th</sup> | Anyone attempting to order a uniform after this window may expect increased costs and delivery after the start of the season.

## PRESEASON CLINICS | Feb. 4 & 11

All interested lacrosse players are expected to attend **at least one** of our clinic & orientation dates in February. Whether you are very experienced or new to the game and trying lacrosse for the first time, please attend one of these sessions so you can be introduced to the sport, our coaches and coordinators.

As players get started playing in our relaxed clinic skill building environment, ORYA Lacrosse coordinators will meet with all parents and discuss program philosophy, approach, expectations and run them through an informative parents clinic. At the clinic, parents will have the opportunity to meet with members from the ORYA Lacrosse Advisory Group; to ask questions and learn more about the game and the rules. (Please see age group resources on the ORYA website for additional information on lacrosse).

#### TEAM SNAP |

Each coach will utilize Team Snap as their team communication tool. This easy & user-friendly app helps keep your schedule straight and allows to and from communications with your coach. Great for last minute schedule updates and player availability, we hope this app makes your season that much easier to keep track of!

#### PLAYER TUITION |

Based on expected number of registrations, the tuition for this program accounts for insurance (medical & liability), referees, field fertilization/aeration/shatter tine treatments, shared irrigation expenses, program equipment budget, ball stipend, ORYA Admin (\$30) & Capital Fund (\$10) allocation, online payment processing fees, porto-potties, Team Snap, first set of field lines, field lining paint, league fees, emergency uniforms, and small stipend for required US lacrosse coach education.

Your player tuition was developed with input from, and approved by, your volunteer Lacrosse Advisory Group members.

