

PROGRAM CATALOG

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INTRODUCTION

ORYA MISSION STATEMENT

Oyster River Youth Lacrosse is a community-based lacrosse development program offered to girls and boys from kindergarten through 8th grade in Durham, Lee and Madbury. ORYA Lacrosse not only introduces the sport of lacrosse to student athletes who have never played before, but also develops the skills of those student athletes with prior lacrosse experience. We welcome all levels of play, no matter what age level. Our main mission is to provide a comfortable, yet challenging environment for all levels of play, and for each player to have a positive, enriching lacrosse experience.

PROGRAM INFORMATION

Will all players make a team - YES!

Our 8U, 10U, 12U & 14U girls and boy's teams practice 2 times per week and have one game per week for 6-8 weeks {Saturdays for SAYLL league play or Sundays for NHYLA league play}. The boy's teams will practice on Tuesdays & Thursdays, the girl's teams will practice on Mondays and Wednesdays. Specific times will depend on field and coach availability, but practices are 60-90 minutes in length. The season usually starts and ends with a league jamboree/tournament. 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.

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Wednesdays | 5:30-6:30pm Dates | May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30, June 6, 13

7U

This is usually a players first experience to the game of lacrosse and we don't take that lightly! Our volunteer coaches do their utmost to showcase the fun side of the game to instill a passion for the game. Basic hand-eye coordination, lacrosse specific skills and movements are introduced via fun games and exercises in a relaxed environment. Players can try lacrosse in a non-competitive environment while building some of the skill building blocks for the sport. Come and give it a try!

UNIFORM SHIRT | \$9.75

We would like all participating 7U players to order their uniform shirt to make each player feel special, to feel like they are part of the team and to produce a more professional practice environment. Players that order their uniform shirt before the March 2nd deadline are guaranteed to receive their shirt in time for the program start. To ensure accurate sizing and orders, each family will order their shirt individually, online. Simply follow the uniform order link, choose your size and place your order.

<u>UNIFORM ORDER LINK</u> | Order Deadline March 2nd

Any questions regarding your Field Hockey uniform shirt order should be directed to Chris Lobasso at Chris@blatantlacrosse.com.

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8U Boys Lacrosse (Grade 1&2) | SAYLL

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Uniform Order Deadline | Feb. 19th

Estimated Practice Start | Week of March 26th

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Sample Jerseys:



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ORYA 10U Full Field Team(s) | 10v10

4th graders with previous ORYA Lacrosse experience or coach approval. Extensive travel is required. Sundays, New Hampshire Youth Lacrosse Association ("NHYLA") League. Saturday games, as well. This is a more rigorous commitment for the older and more experienced ORYA 10U players. The season usually ends in June with a NYLA league jamboree/tournament.

ORYA 10U Small Field Team(s) | 6v6

 3^{rd} graders with or without previous ORYA Lacrosse experience and 4^{th} graders desiring small field games or 4^{th} graders who are new to the sport. Seacoast League – Saturdays.

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12U Boys Lacrosse (Grade 5&6) | NHYLA

Registration Opens Registration Deadline

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Uniform Order Deadline

NHYLA League Registration Deadline

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NHYLA Tournament

Player Fee

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14U Girls Lacrosse (Grade 7&8) | NHYLA

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

| January 1st | February 19th

| Feb. 20th – Feb. 26th

| Feb. 19th | March 1st

| Week of March 26th

| April 8th (based on field conditions)

| Early June (to be announced later in the season)

| \$145

REGISTER HERE

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION |

PRACTICES | Mondays & Wednesdays GAMES | Sundays with potential of Fridays

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