

## **Legacy Lacrosse Bylaws**

### **Article I: Organization Name and Purpose**

Legacy Lacrosse LLC is a Southern Indiana-based lacrosse organization dedicated to growing the sport through accessible programming, high-quality player development, and community engagement. The organization serves youth and high school athletes and provides clinics, camps, travel teams, and training.

### **Article II: Membership Requirements**

- All players, coaches, and staff participating in Legacy Lacrosse activities must maintain **current USA Lacrosse membership**.
- USA Lacrosse membership must be valid **through the end of the playing season**.
- Legacy Lacrosse will verify USA Lacrosse membership status **pre-season and mid-season** using the USA Lacrosse Roster Management Tool.
- No individual may participate in any Legacy Lacrosse activity without valid and verified USA Lacrosse membership.

### **Article III: Program Leadership Requirements**

- At least one designated Program Leader within Legacy Lacrosse must maintain an **active USA Lacrosse Program Leader membership**.
- This ensures access to national best practices in compliance, safety, and coaching development.

### **Article IV: Safety and Risk Management**

- Legacy Lacrosse abides by the **Athlete Safety Guidelines** established by USA Lacrosse, including:
  - Concussion protocols
  - SafeSport compliance
  - Weather and emergency procedures
- All staff are expected to maintain up-to-date First Aid/CPR knowledge.
- Event and practice safety plans will be developed and implemented for each Legacy Lacrosse event.

### **Article V: Coaching Requirements**

- All coaches must:
  - Be active USA Lacrosse members
  - Complete a background check
  - Complete SafeSport training prior to working with minors
  - Follow Legacy Lacrosse's player development philosophy and curriculum

#### **Article VI: Code of Conduct**

All participants — players, coaches, parents, and staff — must adhere to:

- USA Lacrosse's Code of Conduct
- Legacy Lacrosse's standards of professionalism, respect, and sportsmanship

Violations may result in suspension or removal from Legacy Lacrosse programs at the discretion of the Executive Director.

#### **Article VII: Insurance Compliance**

- USA Lacrosse membership ensures coverage under USA Lacrosse's general liability and participant accident insurance programs.
- Legacy Lacrosse will request a Certificate of Insurance (COI) for each event, venue, or season.
- Insurance coverage is valid only when all rostered participants are verified USA Lacrosse members.

#### **Article VIII: Amendments**

These bylaws may be amended at any time by agreement of the Legacy Lacrosse Ownership Team. Amendments will be documented in writing and distributed to all stakeholders.

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#### **Approved by:**

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