

KEMPTVILLE & DISTRICT LACROSSE ASSOCIATION

Newsletter March 2007

Competitive Try-outs

Try-outs for the 2007 PeeWee, Bantam and Midget competitive teams will be held two weeks in April.

Monday April 9, and Monday April 16 North Grenville District High School PeeWee 7pm-7:45pm Bantam 7:45pm-8:30pm Midget 8:30-9:15pm	Thursday April 19 North Grenville Municipal Centre PeeWee 7pm-8:00pm Bantam 8:00pm-9:00pm Midget 9:00pm-10:00pm
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Competitive Novice Prospects

If you were born in 1997 or 1998, and will be in Novice for the 2007 season, we are looking to see if we have any interested players for a competitive novice team. If you are interested please call Hubert at 613-267-9651.

Houseleague Play

Although not finished, the schedulers for houseleague games are looking at scheduling all houseleague practices and home games should be held on Monday or Tuesday nights. Interlocking away games may be scheduled for Wednesday nights, depending on that associations schedule.

Remaining Winter Nights

For those that haven't been out to warm up for the 2007 season yet, there is still time. For those born from 1997 to 2004, there are practices still on Tuesday nights from 6-8pm, March 27, April 3, 10, and 17, at South Branch Elementary school. And those born 1991 to 1996, we are at North Grenville District High School from 7-9pm, with practices remaining on March 26, and April 2. The cost is only \$5 a session. See our webpage for exact times per level.

House League Coaching Clinics

We are looking for fair-play minded, energetic, coaches and assistant coaches. Non-experienced coaches are welcome. The KDLA will pay for the Coaching Level 1 clinic for new coaches. Anyone interested in being a Houseleague coach, assistant coach or bench personnel? This years one day coaching clinic will be held on Sunday April 8 from 9am to 4pm at St Lawrence College in Cornwall. Anyone interested contact Chris @ 613-258-3994.

Competitive Coaching Clinics

For all returning competitive coaches, or houseleague coaches or other discipline coaches that want to be on the bench for any of our 2007 competitive teams, please make sure that you have all the required courses necessary to be on the bench. Visit our website, under Volunteers, to see what are the minimum requires for that position.

Referee Clinics

For all returning referees or anyone interested in being a ref, the 2007 referee clinics will be held March 31 in Nepean at Merivale High School (see attached note) and April 1 in Cornwall. Interested in being a referee ? Contact Jeff @ 613-258-6543

Lacrosse Stick Stringing

Duncan Carpenter, will be available on Monday April 23, Tuesday April 24 and Thursday April 26, at the NGMC if you require to have your stick re-strung , or modified. Custom pockets are available. You can contact him at 613-258-1102

2007 KDLA

Logo design Competition

General Info

With the amalgamation of the Smiths Falls and Kemptville Lacrosse Associations, we've decided that, for the competitive teams, the existing Rocket 98's logo and name, should be replaced.

Competition Purpose

The aim of the competition is to prepare a high quality logo for the competitive teams, which will be used for icons, splash screen, jerseys, web site, media, and so on. To go with that logo, a change in the name Rocket 98's should also be replaced, with a name that reflects the new logo. We look forward to working with the creator of the winning logo to get all derived artworks.

Logo Submission Criteria

- The competition is open to all members and their families as well as the general public. Multiple submissions are allowed.
- The logo should be submitted as a jpg or gif formats. Concept drawings are also accepted.
- The logo's concept should be simple and clear and should have relevance to Kemptville and Smiths Falls and lacrosse.
- Purposed name does not have to include Kemptville or Smiths Falls.
- The logo should be able fit nicely into a square or circle shape.
- The logo should be easily useable for web and publish works, T-shirts, and Jerseys.
- The purposed name itself doesn't have to be included in the logo, it can get written next to it or under it.
- All artwork copyright must be fully in the hand of the submitter; no third-party artwork may be used unless their copyright holders agree with all terms of these submission criteria.
- All logo submissions should be sent to logo@kemptvillelacrosse.com or dropped off at any of our Winter Program nights.
- Email should include submitter's full name and email address, and logo. You may optionally append short design description and reason why you choose the logo design and/or name change.
- All submitted logos will be uploaded to a online gallery where thumbnail-sized images will be available publicly.
- By submitting a logo the submitter agrees with all criteria listed above.

Submission deadline

The contest stay open for submissions until April 1, 2007. The final logo will be selected from the submissions by KDLA Executives and the winning submission will be announced a week later.

Award

The first place winner will, in addition to proper acknowledgement, receive a Jersey featuring the winning artwork.

For more information please contact Chris Oliver @ 613-258-3994 or email logo@kemptvillelacrosse.com

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First of the Logo Contest entries. Let us know your thoughts. Send us an email to logo@kemptvillelacrosse.com



Zone 5 Referees Clinic #1
2007 Certification
Level 1 to 3

New Referees:

The KDLA is always looking for referees. If you are interested, please contact Jeff @ 613-258-6543.

KDLA Referee Requirements:

Age: Must be at least 14 years old during 2007

Experience: Familiarity with the game and basic rules

Equipment: Must provide own whistle, pants, white socks and running shoes

Pay: \$10-\$25 per game

Referee clinic will be paid for by KDLA

Date & Location:

Saturday, March 31, 2007

Merivale High School

Registration 8:30am to 9:15am

1755 Merivale Road

Clinic: 9:15am to 4:30pm

Nepean, Ontario, K2G 1E1

Fees:

\$125.00 for all new referees

\$85.00 for re-certifying 2006 Referees at level 1 & 2

\$105.00 for re-certifying 2006 level 3 referees

\$120.00 for all other level 3 referees (includes equipment gauge)

Required at Clinic: By all participants - pen & paper
2006 Referees - OLA referees binder & rule book.

Directions:

From HWY 401 proceeding North on HWY 416 take the Hunt Club West exit. Turn right at Stop sign onto Cedarview Road. Proceed South on Cedarview Road to the next Stop lights. Turn left onto Hunt Club Road. Continue on Hunt Club Road past Greenbank Road, past Woodroffe Avenue. Turn left (just past Burger King) onto Merivale Road. Continue on Merivale Road until you pass the Merivale Arena on the right. Turn right onto Viewmount Drive and an immediate right into the entrance to the High School.

Other Information: No food or beverages are allowed in the High School. Use of the facility does not include the gymnasium during break periods. All referees and instructors are responsible for ensuring the school/classrooms are in the same condition when leaving as when they arrive.

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Pilon Goalie Clinic in Brockville

Brockville is hosting a goalie clinic Saturday April 14 at the Brockville Memorial Centre.

The cost will be \$125.00 per goalie.

The Clinic is for Rep goalies from Novice to Midget ages.

You may direct any interested goalies to the website below or they may contact me at laxgoal@gmail.com.

*****REGISTRATION FOR THIS CLINIC IS TO BE DONE THROUGH Richard Houle, NOT THE WEB PAGE*****

The Clinic is outlined at the website and will be similar in design and as to what the goalies will receive. Spaces have filled quickly by word of mouth so please have any interested goalies respond as soon as possible for the remaining spots. There are currently goalies from Brockville, Nepean and Akwesasne preregistered.

<http://www.pilonlaxgoalieclinic.com/>

It would be preferable that the goalie has registered with his/her home Association for 2007 and is therefore insured by the OLA.

Probable outline: (Times may vary)

9AM:Registration

10AM-12 NOON Classroom Instruction

Noon-1:PM Lunch which is provided

1PM-3PM On the floor training with shooters

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