



2005 US Lacrosse U-15 National Youth Festival

Presented by Warrior

Festival Rules and Regulations

Coach/Chaperones are direct supervisors of their teams. All team members must be monitored at all times both on and off the fields. Adherence to this rule will ensure a safe controlled environment for all participants.

For the safety of everyone, coaches/ chaperones and staff members are required to direct their players to use designated crosswalks to the dorms, dining halls and athletic playing fields.

All parking areas will be designated with Event Parking signs and all other campus traffic restrictions will be enforced. Vehicles must be parked in parking lots designated by University police. Vehicles must be parked within the boundaries of a valid parking space. There is no parking on crosswalks, on sidewalks, on off-pavement areas, at yellow curb areas, on the grass, beyond the end of a marked row, in the bus or loading zones and in traffic lanes or barricaded or closed areas.

Youth Coach/Chaperones ONLY may check teams in at registration. No player or parent is able to check in individual youth players.

UMASS dining services will issue meal cards to all Youth Festival players, coaches/chaperones at registration. **Please note: lost meal cards will cost approximately \$5.00 which will be collected by the University at check out for all cards not returned.**

Under no condition are cleats to be worn inside any building. This includes but is not limited to the dining halls, residence halls, etc. Under no conditions are sticks to be used anywhere at any time in the residence halls, dining halls or any indoor areas.

Males will not be allowed in female dorms nor will females be permitted in male dorms.

In order to enter the dining halls, everyone must be wearing shoes or sandals. No one with bare feet or socks with no shoes will be allowed in the dining hall.

Linen services to be provided are: An unmade bed with one blanket and a pillow (in the room) and a linen pack consisting of two sheets and two towels; items will be in each room prior to the group's arrival.

Damage inventory sheets will be given to coaches with their packets. These sheets must be filled out and returned to the desk clerk on check-in day. **Please note: A credit card is required at check in from all teams to cover lost meal cards and lost room keys. Your team will not be permitted to participate in the event without submitting a credit card to the University at check in.**

Damages will be assessed by the RA in each residence hall upon check out. ***Individuals or teams will be billed for any damages that occur during their stay.*** This includes any damages for which they are responsible in their room or any areas of the residence hall, other residence halls or other buildings. Teams or individuals involved in any damage liability will be held completely financially responsible.

Damage to common areas will be billed by splitting the cost equally among teams staying in the area where the damage is found – therefore reporting damage immediately will help the University track down the proper party which will ultimately save charges to a team that is not responsible for damages found in common area's.

Please note, that in addition to the following, all laws of the State of Massachusetts are enforced on campus by the University Police.

1. Alcoholic Beverages

Alcoholic beverages are strictly prohibited on campus. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages are to be brought into the residence halls or on campus.

2. Disorderly Conduct

Drunkenness, disorderly conduct such as excessive noise, rowdiness, water fights, or other loud or disruptive action will result in the dismissal of the individual from campus.

3. Drugs

No participant shall distribute or possess an illegal drug as defined by the Drug Central Act of the Commonwealth of MA. Possession or distribution will result in dismissal/arrest/prosecution.

4. Fire Arms/Projectiles/Weapons

According to State and Federal Law, firearms, projectiles, and weapons of any kind are strictly prohibited anywhere on campus. Anyone in possession of such will be arrested

5. Visitation

Participants are encouraged to make use of designated academic spaces, public lounges and scheduled social activities to socialize. Participants should not enter any residence hall other than the one to which they are assigned.

UMASS does require a demonstration of proper behavior toward one another at all times. Based on an understanding of our similarities and differences, it is our hope that all people sharing facilities this summer will respect one another regardless of gender, sexual preference, age, national origin or disability. Individuals whose behavior toward others is less than respectful will be asked to leave the campus.