FIELD EVENTS GUIDE
FOR VISITING TEAMS
AND ORGANIZATIONS

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As the sport’s national governing body, US Lacrosse provides national leadership, structure and resources to fuel the sport’s growth and enrich the experience of participants.

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A WARM WELCOME TO VISITING TEAMS AND ORGANIZATIONS
US Lacrosse thanks you for your interest in participating in a field event at our facility. We sincerely appreciate your support of the sport and trust that you will have an enjoyable and special experience at our headquarters.

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FEES, SERVICES, INFORMATION AND POLICIES
Field Rental Fees And Included Services

Game field rental fees vary and may include: one practice (if time is available), free parking, a complimentary visit to the National Lacrosse Hall of Fame and Museum, use of locker rooms, staff operational support (including a lobby host, scoreboard operations and a public address announcer), a medical services host, custodial services and if needed, security/parking staff. For college and post-college games, an EMS vehicle is required and the fee is included in the rental price. US Lacrosse staff provides an Emergency Action Plan (EAP) to visiting teams and organizations.

Team Requirements

Teams or organizations using the field must sign a Facilities User License Agreement and provide a Certificate of Insurance naming US Lacrosse as Additional Insured. Each team must provide its own Certified Athletic Trainer.

Should teams need statistics, they must provide their own statisticians.

The “home” mens team must provide at least 3 dozen game balls. The “home” womens team must provide at least 2 dozen game balls.

The teams determine which team secures and compensates the officials.

Teams must inform the facilities manager that officials have been assigned.

General Facility Information

Teams or organizations that rent the field will receive an invoice and payment must be made no later than 30 days from the date of the invoice. For games, the “HOME” team is invoiced. Payment may be made by check or if credit card, please call 410-235-6882 ext 205. A US Lacrosse W9 can be provided upon request.

Teams are encouraged to arrive 2 hours before the game in order to become familiar with the facility and take a self-guided tour of the National Lacrosse Hall of Fame. The tour can take up to 30 minutes.

Busses should drop off teams at our north field gate entrance and then park as directed.

Teams should enter the field through the north field gate entrance.

Player cleats are not allowed on the first floor lobby, the museum or the promenade.

Ice and taping tables are available for trainers. Water coolers and cups will be available at the benches and teams are encouraged to bring water bottles.

Practice requests from teams that rent the field for games must be made no later than 3 months before the game. Every effort will be made to provide complimentary practice time to teams that have a game on the field but that is based on availability.
Should teams plan to use showers, they should bring towels; please note that there are only two showers in each locker room. White boards and markers will be available in the locker rooms.

The lobby and museum will be open one hour prior to each game and no later than 30 minutes after the conclusion of the game. The field will be open to teams 2 hours before each game. Concessions and retail sales may be available at some events and there are dining options within 2 miles of the building.

Field access: only players, coaches, medical staff, US Lacrosse staff and authorized media are allowed on the field. Media who seek field access must contact US Lacrosse Director of Communications Brian Logue at 410-235-6882 ext 106 or blogue@uslacrosse.org

US Lacrosse does not provide towels or laundry service.

US Lacrosse reserves the right to sell tickets to events and visiting teams may also manage that logistic if they so desire. Should a team or organization wishes to sell tickets, the team or organization must provide staff to manage that operation.

Stadium: the stadium has 475 seats and the standing room capacity is an additional 1,500.

Media Information
All team and organization media, sports information, field/facility access inquiries should be forwarded to US Lacrosse Director of Communications Brian Logue at 410-235-6882 ext 106 or blogue@uslacrosse.org. Team video and live video can be filmed from our second floor Crum conference room or our promenade, if those spaces are available. US Lacrosse does not have a traditional press box or a radio/television booth. US Lacrosse does not provide live streaming service.

Medical Information
US Lacrosse partners with MedStar Health who operates a Sports Medicine, Rehabilitation and Sports Performance center at US Lacrosse. MedStar Health provides injury research to US Lacrosse as well as physicians and athletic trainers to the US Lacrosse National Teams Program.

MedStar provides staffing to US Lacrosse events in the form of a Head Athletic Trainer (HAT) who serves as a medical host for visiting teams and organizations. The HAT works with the visiting team athletic trainers on needs and services. Ice, water and cups are available to the teams. The HAT will greet and stage the EMS vehicle staff. Note: An EMS vehicle is required for college and post-college games. If a non-college team would like EMS on site, they may reserve that in the contract/invoice process with the US Lacrosse Facilities Manager.

All teams are required to provide their own Certified Athletic Trainer who should bring all necessary supplies. If teams can’t provide their own, they must secure one through the HAT via the athletic trainer request form no later than 30 days from the event. The cost for a MedStar athletic trainer is $40 per hour which is billed directly to the teams. All athletic trainers must bring all the necessary supplies needed to service their teams.
There are no athletic training room facilities available to visiting teams but taping tables, ice and water are available. Cold tubs and shade tents available upon request. Sports drinks are not provided or permitted. Water is the only beverage allowed on the field. AED’s are available on site. For more day of event event medical information, please refer to the US Lacrosse Emergency Action Plan (EAP).

**US LACROSSE FACILITY POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**

*for staff, spectators, guests, participants.*

**Medical Assistance**

Teams must provide a certified athletic trainer. EMS vehicles are required at college games and US Lacrosse will secure the EMS vehicle. If an EMS is at the game, the vehicle will park in a reserved location at the north field level entrance. AEDs are available on-site and US Lacrosse staff are equipped with an Emergency Action Plan. 911 may be called if an emergency occurs.

**Prohibited Items/Activities**

Animals, alcohol, smoking/vaping, illegal drugs, weapons, bicycles, skates, or skateboards, coolers, air horns, glass containers, lacrosse sticks and balls. Lacrosse play is only allowed on the field.

**Animals**

ALL ANIMALS ARE PROHIBITED, with the exception of guide or service dogs.

**Alcohol**

NOT ALLOWED. Alcohol is not to be served or consumed by staff, guests, field participants or spectators anywhere on campus unless as part of a formal US Lacrosse sanctioned event.

**Smoking/Vaping**

NOT ALLOWED. The US Lacrosse campus is completely smoke/tobacco product/e-cigarette free.

**Tailgating**

Tailgating is allowed in the northeast lot (see map on page 8) but alcohol is not permitted anywhere on the US Lacrosse campus, except as part of a US Lacrosse sanctioned or catered event. Trash should always be placed in trash cans or dumpsters. Open flame or charcoal cooking is not allowed on the US Lacrosse campus or on any surrounding streets or parking lots. Gas grills are allowed. Tailgating organizations must contact the facilities manager well in advance to coordinate planning and location.

**Behavior**

Foul and abusive language will not be tolerated. Profanity on printed clothing and signage is not tolerated. Appropriate attire and footwear must be worn at all times. Only personal audio devices with headsets are allowed. Trash must be placed in trash receptacles.
Ejection
US Lacrosse reserves the right to remove, or have removed, any person(s) due to abusive conduct or a non-cooperative attitude.

Safety
Only authorized personnel may operate facility systems (i.e. lights, scoreboard, public address) Guests and fans must stay off the field, unless as part of a formal activity. Spectators observing lacrosse do so at their own risk and should be alert to shot or thrown lacrosse balls. Please report any suspicious or inappropriate behavior to US Lacrosse staff. In case of inclement weather, please strictly follow field and stadium evacuation policies within the Emergency Action Plan. If an emergency, please see a US Lacrosse staff member and call 911.

Neighbors
US Lacrosse reminds everyone to be respectful of our residential and corporate neighbors at all times.

Permitted Items
Food and non-alcoholic beverages are allowed. Blankets, tarps, coats/jackets, binoculars, seat cushions, chairs, necessary medical equipment, iPads and tablets are acceptable.

Umbrellas
Umbrellas are permitted but users should avoid obstructing the view of other guests.

Parking
US Lacrosse has 214 parking spaces; 8 are ADA and 5 are reserved for MedStar patients during their business hours. Please heed posted parking instructions. Vehicles must park in spaces and not along curbs. Vehicles may never block driveways, entrances or other vehicles. Visitors who park their vehicles in the US Lacrosse parking lot do so at their own risk for possible theft or damages. For some events, overflow parking will be available in the Firaxis Games company lot (weekends or evenings) to the immediate west or on Loveton Circle. (Individuals parking on Loveton Circle do so at their own risk - US Lacrosse is not responsible for the payment of “No Parking” tickets that may be issued)

ADA (Americans with Disabilities Act) Seating and Parking:
Accessible seating can be reserved and is available on our promenade facing the field. ADA parking can be reserved and is available in our south parking lot adjacent to the main entrance.

Retail And Concession Sales
Other than US Lacrosse staff or an approved US Lacrosse partner, no person shall engage in any sale of merchandise, services or concessions without prior approval by US Lacrosse. US Lacrosse may offer concessions and retail sales at each event.
Video
Fans may film games from the outside the fence that is around the field. Some field events may be available on live streaming platforms. Teams may film from the US Lacrosse second floor conference room.

Stadium Re-Entry/Bag Policy
Bags subject to search. Bags are to remain with the guest or visitor at all times. If a ticketed event, re-entry is allowed with ticket and wristband. Bags and other items may be searched at any time.

Lost And Found
Belongings left at an event will be collected and stored at the main first floor lobby desk. Please call 410-235-6882 ext 100 for more information.

WIFI
WIFI is available everywhere on site and “USL Guest” is the password.

Field Use
GreenFields turf usage restrictions: No food, no liquids (except water), no glass, no chewing gum, no tobacco products, no flame instruments, no animals and no vehicles (except Gators or golf carts or EMS) at any time. The appropriate shoes must be worn at all times; no flip flops and no metal spikes. Water is the only beverage that may be on the field.

NOTES:
DIRECTIONS

Maryland - from the West (Frederick, MD and Western PA)
Take Route I-70 E. Take I-695 N and I-83 N to Shawan Rd in Cockeysville. Take exit 20A from I-83 N. Take I-97 N, I-895 N, I-695 W/Baltimore Beltway and I-83 N to Shawan Rd in Cockeysville. Take exit 20A from I-83 N. Take MD-45 N/York Rd to the light at Loveton Circle, make a left. US Lacrosse is on the right. 2 Loveton Circle.

Maryland - from Annapolis

Pennsylvania - from Philadelphia
Follow I-95 S and I-695 W to Shawan Rd in Cockeysville. Take exit 20A from I-83 N. Take MD-45 N/York Rd to the light at Loveton Circle, make a left. US Lacrosse is on the right. 2 Loveton Circle.

Pennsylvania - from Harrisburg
Take I-83 S to Belfast Rd in Sparks Glencoe. Take exit 24 from I-83 S. Turn left onto Belfast Rd (signs for Sparks/MD-45). Turn right onto MD-45 S. Turn right at the light onto Loveton Circle. US Lacrosse is on the right. 2 Loveton Circle.

Washington, D.C.
Take Baltimore-Washington Pkwy. Take I-95 N, I-695 N and I-83 N to Shawan Rd in Cockeysville. Take exit 20A from I-83 N. Take MD-45 N/York Rd to the light at Loveton Circle, make a left. US Lacrosse is on the right. 2 Loveton Circle.

Virginia
TRANSPORTATION  
(in addition to Uber and Lyft)

Air
Baltimore/Washington International Airport  
bwiairport.com

Ground
Jimmy’s Cab  
410-296-7200/443-797-6821
Express Sedan  
410-667-7999
95 Star Airport Service  
443-858-6263

AMTRAK
Penn Station Baltimore  
1500 N Charles St, 21201  
800-872-7245  
amtrak.com

Maryland Transit Authority - Regional Rail/Bus
Hunt Valley 21031 MTA Light Rail Stations:
98 Shawan Road  
300 W Warren Road  
265 Schilling Circle  
mta.marylandgov.com

NEARBY ACCOMMODATIONS

*Discounts available at US Lacrosse Partner Hotels – each may match other rates

Embassy Suites  
(Official US Lacrosse Partner Hotel)  
Baltimore North/Baltimore Hunt Valley  
213 International Circle, Hunt Valley, MD 21030  
(410) 584-1400  
*Full American Breakfast  *2 Room Suites  
*Negotiable Rates  
embassybaltimore.com  
use corporate code 003076850 when booking reservation

Delta Hotels/Marriott  
Baltimore Hunt Valley  
(Official US Lacrosse Partner Hotel)  
245 Shawan Rd, Hunt Valley, MD 21031  
(410) 785-7000  
maririott.com/hotels/travel/bwih-delta-hotels-baltimore-hunt-valley

Courtyard by Marriott  
Baltimore Hunt Valley  
221 International Cir, Hunt Valley, MD 21030  
(855) 499-0001  
maririott.com/hotels/travel/bwih-courtyard-baltimore-hunt-valley

Residence Inn by Marriott  
Baltimore Hunt Valley  
45 Schilling Rd, Hunt Valley, MD 21031  
(844) 546-4416  
maririott.com/hotels/travel/bwirh-residence-inn-baltimore-hunt-valley

Holiday Inn Express Hunt Valley  
11200 York Rd., Hunt Valley, MD 21030  
(800) 881-1523  
hiexpresshuntvalley.com
NEARBY RESTAURANTS

WITHIN A MILE:
- Serpico Pizza/Pasta (south) 10 Fila Way (410) 472-3702
- MnJ Deli (south) 10 Fila Way (443) 212-5536
- Dunkin Donuts (south) 10 Fila Way (410) 472-9402
- Milton Inn (north) $ 14833 York Rd (410) 771-4366
- Price’s Deli (north) 14821 York Rd (410) 771-4001
- Filling Station (north) 14910 York Rd (410) 771-0006

WITHIN 2 MILES:
The Hunt Valley Towne Center (shophuntvalley.com) is within 2 miles to the south and here are several options that are located there.

- Sakura 118 Shawan Rd (410) 527-0770
- California Pizza Kitchen 118 Shawan Rd (410) 785-3336
- The Greene Turtle 118 Shawan Rd (410) 771-0555
- Bar Louie 118 Shawan Rd (443) 541-2950
- Barrett’s Grill 118 Shawan Rd (410) 527-0999
- Outback Steakhouse 1300 Shawan Rd (410) 527-1540
- Pei Wei Asian Diner 114 Shawan Rd (410) 568-1911
- Chick Fil a 6 Hyland Ave (410) 771-1237
- Oregon Grille (not in HVTC) $ 1201 Shawan Rd (410) 771-0505

WITHIN 3 MILES:
- Ryleigh’s Oyster (south) 22 W Padonia Rd (410) 539-2093
- Andy Nelson’s BBQ (south) 11007 York Rd (410) 527-1226
- Silver Spring Mining Co. (south) 11100 York Rd (410) 527-0500
- Yasou Greek Bistro (south) 11121 York Rd (410) 527-0208
- Fusion (south) 10752 York Rd (443) 330-5714
- Ashland Café (south) 10810 York Rd (410) 666-3838
- Nalley Fresh (south) 2159 York Rd (410) 252-9400
- Fazzini’s (south) 9811 York Rd (410) 667-6104
- Casa Mia’s (north) 17417 York Rd (410) 357-4231

CATERING

US LACROSSE PARTNER CATERER:
- Classic Catering classiccatering.com (410) 356-1666

OTHERS:
- Andy Nelson’ BBQ andynelsonsbbq.com (410) 527-1226
- MnJ Deli mnjdeli.com (410) 771-1237
- Jay’s Rest. Group jaysrestaurantgroup.com (410) 685-3862
- Fazzini’s fazzinis.com (443) 677-0447
- Woodfire Kitchen wfkitchen.com (443) 804-2878
- Chick Fil a cfarestaurant.com (410) 771-1237
- Wegman’s wegmans.com (410) 773-3900
## VISITING TEAM AND ORGANIZATION CONTACT FORM

Please Submit to jmartin@Uslacrosse.org

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