

## 2023 OLA PROVINCIAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

## **PARTICIPANT RULES & GUIDELINES**

- 1. Only OLA registered Team Coaches and/or Team Managers will be permitted to represent their own clubs at the OLA Registration Desk.
- 2. All teams should report to the OLA Registration Desk at least 30 minutes prior to their scheduled game times.
- 3. Team Coaches and/or Managers must produce the following documents at every registration:
  - (a) All OLA-approved player registration forms signed by the Club, Zone and OLA;
  - (b) All OLA-approved bench personnel forms signed by the Club, Zone and OLA.
  - Please note the maximum of five (5) bench personnel per team. Of the approved bench personnel, the OLA recognizes only one mandatory trainer per team. Should clubs be unable to produce these documents, players, coaches and/or trainers will be ruled ineligible to participate.
- 4. Prior to the start of each game, each bench personnel must sign the electronic game sheet.
- 5. GM45A (Fighting) assessed to any player in any Ontario Lacrosse Festival game results in automatic disqualification from any further Provincial play, in any age division, in 2023.
- 6. GM28 (Unsportsmanlike Conduct/Abuse of Officials) assessed to any coach or trainer in any Ontario Lacrosse Festival game results in automatic disqualification from any further Provincial participation, in any age division, in 2023.
- 7. The 2023 OLA Provincial Championships: Playing Rules Advisory should be referenced for clarifications on playing rules, stop-time, time-outs and overtime game regulations for both Round Robin and Championship games.
- 8. The OLA Provincials Tournament Committee will not entertain any protests of any game or game outcome based on any timekeeper's and/or game official's calls/conduct/decisions/rulings (see MR10.08).
- 9. In all cases of any misunderstanding of tournament rules between OLA representatives and clubs, the Participant Rules and Guidelines will be used as the basis for final decision.