



COLCHESTER YOUTH LACROSSE VOLUNTEER ASSISTANT COACH



Description

Coach and supervise youth in Colchester Youth Lacrosse program teaching fundamentals, sportsmanship and rules of the game. Will be supervised by the Program Coordinator and work under the direction of the Head Coach.

Essential Functions

- Teach and encourage the development of lacrosse fundamentals/skills during practices and games.
- Teaches sportsmanship to all players and team.
- Maintains self control and exhibits good sportsmanship conduct towards officials, players and opposing players and coaches.
- Follow Coaches Code of Ethics (below).
- Teach knowledge and respect for the rules of the game.
- Provide practice plans and drills when asked upon by the Head Coach.
- Perform requested duties and specific game time roles asked by the Head Coach
- Assist the Head Coach in managing playing time for ALL players.
- Assist in maintaining team and individual discipline.
- Assist in set-up and clean-up of lacrosse field/space during practices and games.
- Responsible for assigned equipment and First Aid kit.

Qualifications

Completion of a Background Check. US Lacrosse Level 1 Certification, including PCA recommended but not necessary.

Physical Demands

Volunteer will be physically active in an outside environment with varying weather conditions.

Please visit <http://colchestervt.gov/348/Youth-Lacrosse> for current season dates.

COACHES CODE OF ETHICS

I hereby pledge to provide positive coaching, support and encouragement to all youth participating in Colchester Youth Lacrosse Team by following this Coaches Code of Ethics.

- I will encourage good sportsmanship by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators.
- I will place the emotional and physical well being of youth on my team ahead of my desire to win.
- I will ensure that players play in a safe and healthy environment.
- I will support other coaches, officials and league administrators, in order to encourage an enjoyable experience for all.
- I will demand a sports environment that is free from drugs, tobacco and alcohol.
- I will remember that the game is for our youth, not adults.
- I will provide playing time for all members of my team.
- I will do my very best to make lacrosse fun for our participants.
- I will treat other coaches, players, spectators and officials with respect.
- I will follow the US Lacrosse standards to the best of my ability.