



### Tournament Highlights

- Awards for 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers
- Premier Playing Fields
- College Coaches invited to attend
- 7v7 Girls Teams

\* 4: 25 minute Games On Premier Fields

## GIRLS DIVISIONS

**Senior A:** Graduation years 2012 & 2013

**Senior B:** Graduation years 2014 & 2015

**Middle School:** Graduation years 2016, 2017, & 2018

Note: Regardless of age, no player who has completed High School is eligible to participate in the tournament. No player who has turned 18 prior to December 31, 2009, is eligible to play in any division. THERE ARE NO POST-HIGH SCHOOL PLAYERS ALLOWED IN THE CLASH.

**ROSTERS:** All players on roster **must be USL members** and have a current USL membership number. In the spirit of the tournament, players are **NOT allowed to double roster**. Only those players listed on rosters should be playing on the team. Players who are under the grade requirement for a division may play up, but players above the grade requirement may not play down a division. If you are not a current member of US Lacrosse, one may join at the time of registration. Forms will be available.

## TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:

- **Cost - \$450/team**
- **ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE!**
- Team rosters must include a minimum of 10 players and a maximum of 15 players
- 7v7 format: 6 field players and 1 goalie
- The Fall Clash Game Times: Sun. (11/13) 8am- 5pm
- **IN CASE OF INCLEMENT WEATHER, GAMES MAY BE RESCHEDULED INDOORS, OR TO AN OFF-SITE FACILITY. Call The United Sports Hotline: 610-466-9744.**
- One registration form per team. Clubs with multiple teams must use a separate form for each team.

**REGISTRATION/CHECK-IN:** All teams are **REQUIRED** to check-in and register their team at United Sports at least 1 hour prior to first scheduled game, starting at 7 am Sunday, November 13. A coach/manager must verify roster and waivers.

**Any players not registered will be disqualified.**

## REGISTRATION PROCEDURES:

- 1) The application must be completed in its entirety!
- 2) A **non-refundable** team deposit of \$150 will be accepted on first come, first serve basis to reserve your spot.
- 3) The Application, \$150 deposit must be received by **October 6th, 2011.**
- 4) **All final balances, \$300, are due by October 21, 2011.**
- 5) **Make checks payable to:**

United Sports  
1426 Marshallton—Thorndale Rd.  
Downingtown, PA 19335

## Rules of Play:

**GAME RULES:** US Lacrosse Women's Rules will be used for Senior A and Senior B divisions. US Lacrosse Youth A rules will be used for the Middle School division.

**DURATION OF GAME:** All Games are one (1) 25-minute running time period. All games will start and stop on time. There are 5 minutes before the start of each game. NO TIMEOUTS in any game and No OVERTIME in pool play. A braveheart will be played in the event of a tie in Semi-final and Final games (See Scoring Procedures for braveheart description). Referees have the authority to end a game early to keep the games on schedule.

**SUBSTITUTIONS:** Substitutions will be on the fly. NOT on a stand situation. There will be a substitution box on each field.

**PLAYERS EQUIPMENT:** It will be at the officials' discretion to determine the safety and suitability of player equipment including the wearing of an orthopedic cast or hard brace. All players are responsible for their own legal sticks.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER:** Teams should check our weather hotline before leaving for their games in case there are any field changes due to weather conditions: **610-466-9744**. All players should have indoor shoes in case games are moved inside, and in addition, be prepared to play a game at an off-site facility. The schedule may be modified if necessary due to inclement weather or poor field conditions. 3 long blasts of an Air horn = LIGHTNING... clear all playing fields IMMEDIATELY. We must have 30 min. of NO Lightning, before returning to fields. Players and fans may go into the United Sports building or into their cars. All fields will be cleared.

**COACHING:** All Coaches have total responsibility for the conduct of their players, substitutes, friends and spectators at all times. Coaching from the sideline (giving direction to one's own team on points of strategy and position) is permitted, provided:

- ◆ The tone of the voice is instructive and not derogatory;
- ◆ Each coach or substitute remains on their own half of the field between the substitution area and the end line.
- ◆ No coach, substitute, or spectator makes derogatory remarks or gestures to the umpires, other coaches, players, substitutes, or spectators;
- ◆ No coach, substitute, or spectator uses profanity or incites, in any manner, disruptive behavior.

**YELLOW AND RED CARDS:** A player receiving a yellow card must leave the playing field for three minutes and their team will play down and they may NOT substitute for the ejected player. A player or coach receiving two yellow cards in a single game is considered to have been given a red card. A player or coach who has been ejected will not be allowed to participate in the next scheduled game and their team will lose one point off the total score. A player or coach who is ejected for **violent conduct** or **serious foul play (Red Card)** may be subject to not participating in the remainder of the tournament. Any player or coach who assaults another will be expelled from the tournament. Ejections are determined by the referees; expulsions by the tournament directors.

**SUSPENDED AND TERMINATED GAMES:** If in the opinion of game officials, a game must be suspended for any reason the game may be resumed but is subject to being ended not less than five (5) minutes prior to the scheduled start of the next game. If in the opinion of game officials, a game must be terminated for misconduct of players, bench

coaches, or spectators, the offending team could be suspended from further play and forfeits that game and all remaining games.

**INJURY:** Delays of the game due to injury may result in shortened game times. All games must end 5 min prior to the next scheduled game on that field. Ice for injuries will be placed at the center of each sideline. Field Marshals will be assigned to each field and can summon the trainer to your field in case of injury or emergency.

**HOME TEAM:** The Home Team will be the team that appears first on the game schedule. The Home Team will supply the game ball, unless supplied by the Tournament. The game ball will be subject to Umpire approval. **The Home Team will be required to switch to alternate jerseys/or wear pinnies to accommodate a color conflict as declared by the umpire.** If the Home Team cannot supply alternate jerseys, the Visitor Team will change. The Home Team should be on the Left Bench when facing the field. Teams are on the SAME SIDE. Spectators are opposite the bench areas.

**FORFEITS:** Teams failing to report to assigned games will not be invited back to any of our lacrosse programming next year!

**DISPUTES:** All disputes will be settled by the Tournament Director or his/her designee and the decision will be final.

### **For Additional Information Contact:**

Tournament Director: Nicole Ferrari

[nferrari@unitedsports.net](mailto:nferrari@unitedsports.net)

### **United Sports**

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Website: [www.unitedsports.net](http://www.unitedsports.net)

### **IMPORTANT DATES**

Application & Deposit Due	<b>OCTOBER 6</b>
Balance Deadline	<b>OCTOBER 21</b>
Player Registration Due	<b>OCTOBER 28</b>
Schedules Posted	<b>NOVEMBER 4</b>
Accommodation Sheet Due	<b>OCTOBER 28</b>
Mandatory Registration	<b>NOVEMBER 13</b>

Additional information is available on the website at  
[www.unitedsports.net](http://www.unitedsports.net)



# 2011 GIRL'S FALL CLASH APPLICATION

## TEAM INFORMATION

Club/Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Official Team City: \_\_\_\_\_

Official Team State: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

## TEAM COLORS

Primary Jerseys: \_\_\_\_\_

Alternate Jerseys: \_\_\_\_\_

## HEAD COACH

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## MANAGER

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_

State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTACT:** \_\_\_\_\_ Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Manager

**CONTACT for PROGRAM BOOK:** \_\_\_\_\_ Coach \_\_\_\_\_ Manager

\*NOTE: This is the person who will be placed in the program and player rosters

## REFERENCE APPLICATION

The Reference Application will better provide the Tournament Committee with a detailed overview of your team's stature. The purpose of this section is to provide a more equal and fair schedule for each team. Please fill it out completely.

This team competes at this level of competition offered (circle one):

Lowest \_\_\_\_\_ Highest  
 Level 1      Level 2      Level 3      Level 4      Level 5

### Outdoor Summer Tournaments

Tournament Name	Record	Standing	Schedule Ranking (1-5)
Example: Upper Atlantic	7-1-1	2 <sup>nd</sup> Place Ultimate Division	4

## PAYMENT INFORMATION

**HOW TO PAY:** We accept credit card or check. Please complete one of the following.

1. CREDIT CARD (Circle One): Visa      MasterCard      Discover

Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ CID #: \_\_\_\_\_ (3 digit # on the back of the card)

Signature of Card Holder: \_\_\_\_\_

2. CHECK # \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Checks should be made payable to **United Sports** and mailed to:

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