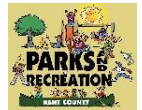




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**2019 TOURNAMENT INFORMATION**

**DATES:** September 21-22, 2019  
Weather Make Up Dates: October 5-6, 2019

**ENTRY FEE:** \$575

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE:** August 30, 2019

**PAYMENT INFORMATION:** Make checks or money orders payable to:  
**County Commissioners of Kent County, MD**

**MAILING ADDRESS:**

Kent County Parks and Recreation  
Attn: Program Coordinator  
P.O. Box 67  
Worton, MD 21678

**EMAIL:**

[info@kentparksandrec.org](mailto:info@kentparksandrec.org)

**ELIGIBILITY:** Players must turn 40 years old by December 31, 2019 to be eligible to play in this tournament.

**TRAINER:** A certified trainer will be onsite throughout the tournament.

**LODGING:**

**Chestertown (5 miles)**

Comfort Suites                      410-810-0555  
Holiday Inn Express                410-778-0778

**Rock Hall (14 miles)**

Mariners Motel                      410-639-2291  
Bay Shore Campground            410-639-7485

**Kent Island (28 miles)**

Sleep Inn                              410-827-5555  
Best Western                        410-827-6767  
Hilton Gardens                      410-827-3877  
Holiday Inn Express                410-827-4454

**Middletown, Delaware (28 miles)**

Hampton Inn                         302-378-5656



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**TOURNAMENT REGISTRATION OPTIONS**

***~Register \*Online, In Person, or By Mail~***  
***~Please See Important Online and Mail In Registration Info Below~***  
***~No Registration Forms Accepted Via Facsimile or Email~***

**Online Registration Information**

Online payments (credit card and electronic check) are subject to a nominal processing fee.

To register online visit [www.KentParksAndRec.org](http://www.KentParksAndRec.org) and click on the Register Online Go! banner. You will be required to create an account if you do not already have one (have never registered online for a KCPR program before). From there, follow the easy steps to register for a program. Players will be required to sign the Release / Waiver form before participating in the tournament if registering online.

**In Person Registration Information**

Paper forms are not required to register.

Register in person at: Kent County Community Center, 11041 Worton Rd., Worton, MD 21678.

The Team Roster / Waiver / Release form requires all player information and signature prior to participation in the tournament. Players will be required to sign the Release / Waiver form before participating in the tournament if not submitted at time of registration.

**Mail In Registration Information**

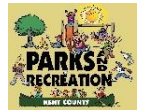
Mail fully completed registration form, team roster with player signatures to:

Kent County Parks & Recreation, Jill Coleman, P.O. Box 67, Worton, MD 21678.

Players will be required to sign the Release / Waiver form before participating in the tournament if not submitted with registration.



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## BLUE CRAB TOURNAMENT RULES

### RULES

Official tournament rules are included below. Abuse of officials will not be tolerated, and flagrant violations may result in team disqualification.

#### **Maryland Master's Lacrosse rules will be used with the following exceptions:**

1. NCAA tobacco rule will be strictly enforced (once officials take jurisdiction of game, players and team officials are not allowed to use tobacco products of any kind). Tobacco use is allowed between games away from the playing field. **Alcohol is prohibited on the playing field and/or bench area.**
2. Games will consist of four twelve (12) minute running time periods on the opening day of play. Playoff Games will consist of four fourteen (14) minute running time periods on the closing day of play. Penalty time will be stopped on all whistles. Half times will be limited to five minutes. The game clock will be stopped during timeouts and at the discretion of the tournament organizers. Game times may be shortened due to inclement weather, darkness, or to keep the tournament on schedule. "Stop" time will be used for the final three (3) minutes of the fourth quarter.
3. No team will be allowed more than five (5) long sticks on the field at any time.
4. Sudden death overtime will follow the completion of a tied game after a three (3) minute break. Sudden death periods will be four (4) minutes of running time. Goals defended will remain the same for the first sudden death period. A face-off will start each overtime, unless there is a carry-over penalty. After the first sudden death period the side of field will be exchanged for each subsequent overtime.
5. **There are no exceptions allowed for age limitation for this tournament. All players must be 40 or older in order to play in the tournament.**

#### **Points of emphasis**

1. There will be no ten (10)-second count in the defensive or offensive field areas; officials shall warn a team to "clear the ball" if they are not trying to clear the ball out of their defensive area, and then begin a ten (10) second count.
2. There will be no two (2)-minute stalling rule in the fourth period; officials shall warn a team if they are not trying to bring the ball into the attack area, and then instruct the team to keep the ball in the attack area.
3. All substitutions will be on the fly through the designated substitution box, other than when a goal is scored, when players may leave and enter the field through the bench area.
4. All players will be expected to have appropriate equipment including sticks, helmets, chin straps, mouthpieces, and satisfactory gloves in accordance with NCAA standards.
5. Each team will be permitted two one (1) minute time-outs per half and no time-outs during any sudden death period; the game clock will be stopped during timeouts and on all whistles during the last three (3) minutes of the fourth quarter.
6. Teams will be assessed a delay of game penalty if not ready to begin play at the scheduled time.
7. Each player is required to wear the issued uniform of their team.
8. Play will be started immediately as soon as a player on the team awarded the ball has the ball in his possession; this will be excepted when a goalie has pursued a shot to the end or side line in which case the goalie will be given 5 seconds to return to the crease; if the team awarded the ball is not ready to play the ball immediately, the ball will be placed on the ground no closer than six feet from an end or side line and the whistle sounded to start play.
9. Blood/bleeding situations will follow NCAA guidelines.
10. Body-checking is permitted **only** on the man with or playing the ball.
11. Any person (including players, coaches, team officials or spectators) that participates in a fight during tournament play, whether on or off the playing field, will be subject to automatic disqualification from the tournament.

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**2019 REGISTRATION FORM**  
**~Online Registration Available~**

TEAM NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

TEAM CONTACT/MANAGER: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

CONTACT INFO: Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Home: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$575**

The entry form must be accompanied with payment in full by August 30, 2019.  
Please make Check or Money Order payable to "County Commissioners of Kent County, MD".  
A late fee of \$50 will be added to any registration fee received after August 30, 2019. If a team drops out of the tournament after August 30, 2019, a \$50.00 processing fee will be incurred.

TEAM DESCRIPTION: \_\_\_\_\_  
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**T-SHIRT SIZES: (Please indicate the number of each size for your team members):**

Small: \_\_\_\_ Medium: \_\_\_\_ Large: \_\_\_\_ X-Large: \_\_\_\_ 2X: \_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** I, the undersigned, understand it is my responsibility to ensure that all team members and team officials abide by the rules and regulations governing play and behavior both on and off the field. I also understand that a violation of tournament rules and regulations may result in the disqualification of my team. Permission is also granted to use my contact information for tournament purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Team Representative Date

**MAIL COMPLETED REGISTRATION & ROSTER WITH PLAYER INFO TO:**  
**Kent County Parks & Recreation**  
**Attn: Program Coordinator**  
**P.O. Box 67**  
**Worton, MD 21678**

Email [info@KentParksAndRec.org](mailto:info@KentParksAndRec.org) with questions or for more information.

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**For Office Use Only**

Amount Due: \$575 Date Received: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Collected By: \_\_\_\_\_ MO/Check#: \_\_\_\_\_



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**RELEASE / HOLD HARMLESS WAIVER:** I am aware of the potential dangers of participation in sports activities. I realize that there is a risk of being injured in all sports no matter how many precautions are taken. I further realize that I need to carefully follow all of the guidelines given by Kent County Parks & Recreation and event organizers regarding training rules, proper use of equipment, legal and safe techniques, and any and all other safety procedures. I understand that even if all of the above is done, I may still incur injury through participation in sports activities. I fully waive and release Kent County Parks & Recreation and the Kent County Commissioners from all causes, liabilities, damages, claims or demands whatsoever, on account of any injury or accident I may sustain through participation in this sports activity. I hereby grant consent to any & all health care providers designated by Kent County Parks & Recreation to provide any necessary medical care as a result of injury/illness. I also give permission to be photographed and videotaped for the purposes of advertising and archives.

Team Name:

Team Manager/Contact:

Address:

Phone Number: Email:

ROSTER: Clearly Print Last Name, First Name	Age	Signature
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