

Randy Hall Masters Tournament Rules

Haudenosaunee Wooden Stick Festival

1. Field
 - a. An outdoor box sized field will be marked out on the grass.
 - b. 4' x 4' 9" nets
 - c. Traditional box lines
2. Equipment
 - a. All players are required to use:
 - i. Jersey
 - ii. Full coverage helmet
 - iii. Lacrosse gloves
 - iv. Lacrosse stick.
 - *One Wooden Stick on the field at all times*

Rules

3. All players will be 35 years or older.
4. 22 man roster limit (20 players, 2 goalies).
 - a. Each team must hand in a team roster with name, number, and position before each game.
5. Players must play in 1 game during round robin to be eligible for playoffs/semi-finals/finals
6. If a team is caught using illegal Player(s), they will forfeit all games with that/those player(s) on their roster.
7. Possession is given to the closest player to the ball by boundary/boards
8. Stick Checking on ball carrier is allowed. Off ball checking is disallowed – **2 minute penalty.**
9. No spotting – **2 minute penalty**
10. No body checking – **2 minute penalty**
11. No wind-up – **change of possession**
12. No follow-thru – **change of possession**
13. **Absolutely no fighting** – offending players will be ejected from the tournament and premises.
14. **Intent to injure**, player will be ejected from tournament and premises
15. In order to try and keep game play balanced and the game moving along quickly, there is no more than one player in the box at a time. If a 2nd penalty occurs while another playing (not playing) is serving a prior penalty, a penalty shot is awarded. The penalty will be recorded by the scorekeeper, but no time is served.
16. Three Penalties in one game or 6 minutes in penalty time means a player is ejected from that game

17. After crossing center line, the 5 second rule goes into effect, there must be a pass or dodge advancing the ball otherwise there is a change of possession.
18. Must clear the defensive end with 10 seconds or there is a change of possession
19. 30 second shot clock
20. 2 halves per game
21. 20-minute running time periods
22. 5-minute halftime
23. Stop time last 5 minutes of the game if the game is within 3 goals or less.
24. Each team will have 2 time-outs per game (1 per half). Time-outs don't roll over
25. There is one golden goal 5-minute overtime period followed by a shootout if necessary
26. Seeding for playoffs (also tie breaker):
 - a. Overall record
 - b. Head to head matchup
 - c. Goal differential
 - d. After the start of the tournament, if a team forfeits a game or forfeits all of their games, all opposing teams will be awarded a win with a score of 1-0. This will also be reflected when the seeding for playoffs is determined
27. All referees must be 21 years old or older
28. After the initial meeting between the organizer of the tournament and the referees to discuss all of the game play and rules, **All Referees calls will be final.** Referees will assess penalties as they deem necessary from unsportsmanlike action directed to the referees from any player, either bench, or the crowd.
29. This listing of rules is not meant to be all inclusive. These are specifically mentioned to call attention to game play, the most common infractions and any changes to written rules published elsewhere.
30. For rules and infractions not listed here referees should refer to the **CLA Rule Book.**

Adapted from the Onondaga Athletic Club.