

Broomfield Recreation Services

Parent Information Letter - Spring 2012

Welcome!

Your child has been enrolled in a Broomfield Recreation Services youth sports program. The Athletic Department is looking forward to a fun and educational season. To help you better understand our program the following has been prepared for you.

The Broomfield Recreation Services Athletic staff strives to provide a safe and fun environment for all youth participants. It is in our hopes that by participating in our youth sports programs your child may have a positive experience that involves learning teamwork, sportsmanship, respect and an increase in self-esteem.

Team Assignments

Teams are formed after the skill assessment clinic. It is very important your child attend the clinic so that they may be properly placed on a team. By having all participants evaluated at the skills assessment clinics it gives the athletic staff a better opportunity to determine each team's ability, age and size. This will aide in the placement of each team in the correct division in their age group for the CYLA. The Broomfield Athletic Department makes every effort to honor practice day and time availability requests made by participants. ***Due to the number of participants in our program, once teams have been selected they will be considered final.***

Coaches

All coaches are volunteers who take the time to instruct your child. Without their efforts, this program would not be possible. Please remember to THANK your coach through out the season. Coaches are always needed! Please contact the athletic staff if you are interested in coaching.

Other Volunteer Opportunities

Each team will need to provide a parent volunteer scorekeeper for their team games. Please let your coach know which game you will be able to be the volunteer at the scorekeepers table. Team parent is another opportunity to volunteer. They can assist the coaches by making important phone calls, planning snack schedules, planning scorekeeper schedules and planning end of the season celebrations.

Game/Practice Cancellations Due to Weather

In the event of inclement weather please call the **weather line at 303-464-5597** to determine if the practice/game fields will be open and playable. Every effort will be made to make-up cancelled games due to the weather.

Equipment and Dress

Lacrosse – Each child will be given a uniform that consists of a game jersey and game shorts. Other equipment required is helmet, shoulder pads, elbow pads, and gloves. An athletic cup and cleats are also strongly recommended.

Important Dates

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| • Feb 11th | Skills assessment clinic (8:30 to 12:30 at Commons Turf Field) |
| • Feb 25 th | Lax Tune Up Clinic (TBA) |
| • Feb 26 th | Coaches will notify players of their team |
| • Feb 27 th | First week of practices |
| • March 27 th & 28 th | Picture Day |
| • March 30 th | First CYLA games |



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