

We strive to make Warrior's lacrosse an excellent and affordable program. To do so, we continue to streamline our processes each year as well as make changes beneficial to both our organization and our players. Due to the high cost of our program, including the cost of loaning equipment to all players who need it (a unique benefit in this area), replenishing equipment and the cost of tournaments (to name a few things) our budget has come in at a deficit for the past few years. Instead of passing that cost on to our players by increasing our registration fees, we have analyzed our program to create efficiencies to allow us to offer them the same high quality program.

Registration- This is the third year online registration has been in effect. Please know that the first time you register your family account it is a more timely process. Once done, you will be able to more quickly register for any of our sports as well as add siblings. All the information we ask for online was once done through paper registration. As you can imagine, this was not only a huge process for our commissioners but also for our families. Registration fees will be refunded less the online processing fees prior to the start of the first game. No refunds will be issued after the start of the first game. All players must be registered online, there are NO exceptions.

Uniforms- In the past new uniforms were provided to each player every season at a huge expense to our organization. Last year the decision was made to reuse uniforms for a few seasons which will result in a big savings for our program. Uniforms will now be collected for all players at the end of each season. Please note however that new uniforms will be provided to our eighth grade players each season that they will be allowed to keep as a souvenir of their time as a Warrior.

Bond – Every family MUST complete four (4) hours of volunteer time each season or can elect to pay \$100 (4 hours at \$25 an hour) in lieu of volunteer hours. We know many families do much more than that and we thank you for that- without volunteers our program could not continue. Only families that do not complete their full hours or a portion of their hours (1 hour = \$25) are charged at the end of the season. There are NO exceptions.

Equipment Bond – The equipment bond is for the loan of equipment and will only be charged to you at the end of the season if you do not return your equipment and/or damage it. You will only be charged for those specific pieces not returned or damaged. Unfortunately at this time we cannot eliminate this portion of registration for those that do have all of their own equipment but this does ensure we have your information in case your player forgets, loses or damages their own equipment during the season and now need to borrow from us.

Both the bond and equipment bond require your bank account information. In the past we asked for this money and then needed to cash the check, hold the amount, and then return it to you at the end of the season. This resulted in far too much work on our part as well as families being out that money for the season. In order to best serve the needs of our families this new process allows us to have the information to charge only the small percentages of families who need to be charged at the end of the season, rather than holding everyone's deposits for that time. We cannot do this via credit card as we cannot hold a charge for the length of a season. This information is encrypted and safely stored until deleted at the end of the season.

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