



The Outing Club

Lacrosse Program Goals

Allow all players to experience the life lessons of a team sport

Sportsmanship, team work, effort, commitment, camaraderie, personal responsibility



Provide an atmosphere for all players to learn to love lacrosse

Safe and fun practices, non-abusive physical or verbal coaching, quality instruction



Encourage participation in lacrosse by all players into maturity

Equal playing time, maximum “touching of the ball”, positive encouragement, fairness

Our lacrosse program is totally for our youth participants, not the coaches or the parents. Our goal is not to focus on certain players who may or may not have potential to be a high school star, win a college scholarship, or play professional sports; nor are we about building team dynasties by trying to win various championships, etc.

Our experience is that many a young player who excelled in a particular sport, having developed faster than others of that young age, found that at maturity he or she hasn't grown much more or that others have caught up in size, speed and skill. Likewise, many an uncoordinated, slow, lanky youngster that struggled to keep up, later grew and developed through maturity into an athletic “machine”. As a coach (or a parent) no one can know with certainty which players may be the next “star” prior to maturity.

If players quit their sport early because of discouragement, we will never know their potential. Hopefully, we will be successful and all of our players will remain enthusiastic about the sport and continue participation in it as they grow through maturity.