

Welcome to the Fifth Annual Western Springs Tower Tournament. The tournament has grown over the years and this year, we have thirty seven teams playing in four divisions with teams coming from Indiana, Wisconsin, and Illinois. This translates to over 700 kids playing lacrosse on June 4th at Lyons Township High School in Western Springs. It figures to be a great day for Midwest youth lacrosse.

Here is the structure of the divisions:

- 7/8A division – six teams playing pool play – Blue and Gold (3 teams per pool)
- 7/8B division – fifteen teams divided into two brackets – one eight team bracket (National) and one six team pool play (American)
- 5/6 division – nine team bracket, combined A and B, play-in game between Western Springs A vs. Western Springs B
- 3/4 division – eight team bracket

All teams will play three games for the day.

The brackets/schedules, tournament rules, and field map will be available on our website for download (www.westernspringslacrosse.org) no later than Wednesday, June 1st.

Please note that all brackets are final by the Tournament Committee and not subject to input or appeal. We appreciate your cooperation in this matter.

First game starts at 9:00am and the last game concludes at 7:00pm.

Warning - parking may be tight at the high school. We strongly urge that teams consider car pooling or team vans. Please do not park at the Garden Market shopping center.

There is a slight chance of thunder showers on Saturday (30%). Please see the weather policy in the Tournament Rules. If we are delayed, we will do our best to get all of the games completed.

In the interest of player safety, we have retained the services of the athletic trainer from Lyons Township High School. Each field will have a two way radio in order to hurry medical attention in the event of an issue.

We are creating an Athletes Village at the tournament site which can be seen on the Field Map. At the Village, we will have concessions, sponsor booths, equipment vendors, and Tournament HQ. In the spirit of the Village, we recommend that you pitch your team tents in this area.

We are very grateful to our sponsors for helping us put on a bigger and better tournament.

- [Lyons Township High School](#) – our host tournament site
- [Quiznos](#) – will be selling food in the Athletes Village
- [Dick's Sporting Goods](#) – noted sponsor of youth lacrosse
- [Athlete's Connection Sporting Goods](#) – our official tournament equipment and t-shirt partner

- [New Wave Lacrosse](#) – youth lacrosse and team entrant
- [Protiviti](#) – Risk and business consulting
- [True Lacrosse](#) – youth lacrosse

Finally, the families of Western Springs Lacrosse and the Western Springs Rec Department are working hard to create the best lacrosse experience possible for you and your teams. We thank you for being part of our tournament and look forward to hosting you in our community.

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Western Springs Lacrosse