

Franklin County Boys Lacrosse 2012

Welcome to the first season of boys lacrosse in Franklin County!! Please be patient as this is a learning process for us all. It is very exciting to see LAX come to Franklin County. A **BIG** "Thank You" to The Franklin County Parks and Recreation Dept for their support. In addition we will need a lot of support from the parents. If you have any interest in coaching, managing, fundraising, etc. please let us know. Trust me, we WILL be asking ☺

Practices will begin as soon as we get permission from Parks and Recreation that the fields are ready (late February/early March). I am trying to find another lighted field to practice on for Tuesdays as it will be dark until after daylight savings time ends March 11. Ferrum College Coach, Mark Frey, is excited and ready to get started! I will forward updated schedules as I get more information.

Our primary form of communication will be by e-mail. Please be sure that you have provided a valid email address. If you have ANY questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me, Don Barber, by email fclaxclub@gmail.com or by cell (540) 797-0255 or my wife, Cindy, (540)797-3534 (we do text).

Season: March – May 2012

Birth Date: as of August 31 of **preceding** year. Very confusing! Basically if your son's DOB is between Sept. 1996 – Aug 2002, they are good to go. Others will be accepted by request.

Registration: By email: fclaxclub@gmail.com

By phone: Don Barber (540) 797-0255

By mail: P.O. Box 937, Hardy, VA

Cost: \$60 – This is to cover referee fees and club equipment. INCLUDES shirt and shorts!!

Note: All players must have their own equipment and be a member of US Lacrosse.

Equipment: Helmet, mouth guard, shoulder pads, elbow pads, gloves, stick, and cleats. Two good locations to check are www.comlax.com where you can get a "starter kit" for only \$159.99 (includes everything but mouth guard and cleats) or Dick's in Roanoke s offering a special discount for members of the SWV Lacrosse League on February 18th from 10 am – 2 pm (coupon available at registration).

NOTE: Prefer BLACK helmet if possible (not mandatory).

US Lacrosse Membership: This can be done by mail or online at www.uslacrosse.org.