

2021-2022 Aces Lacrosse Program

2021-22 YEAR-ROUND OFFERING & SCHEDULE

Commitment Expectations:

- The Fall and Winter are structured to allow (and encourage) other sports to take priority. We load up the events and training, so players have more flexibility to come to what fits into your schedule.
- The Spring and Summer seasons are our main season and attendance at all team practices and events are expected. We do understand that conflicts may come up, but please accept this invitation with the understanding that a full spring and summer commitment is expected (late-March through mid-July).
- Tournament dates are known months in advance. If an athlete knows she is not able to attend a tournament, she is expected to communicate the conflict immediately to the coach and through the website RSVP.

In addition to the on-field offerings listed below, all Aces team players will receive the following:

- **Fall and Spring Uniform & Player Packs:**
 - Retail value of \$450+ is included in tuition
 - Ordered via an online store in August & April and shipped direct to you!
 - Player Packs vary every season. Past packs have included items such as shorts, tee shirts, sweatshirts, yetis, and backpacks.
- **Exclusive Access for our top high school players to the THE NEW BALANCE NATIONAL TEAM**
 - National teams and an invite-only camp.
 - NBN Events are TBD and do not conflict with Aces curriculum.
 - NBN invites can include camp invitations to tryout for this highly select national team.
- **Player Evaluations (Youth & High School)**
 - Aces coaches will provide feedback for each player.
- **Membership to IWLCA Sports Recruits for all HS athletes**

- IWLCA is the organization for most women's lacrosse college coaches. Membership to Sports Recruits allows the HS athlete to create a recruiting profile, upload films, search colleges, and communicate with coaches directly.
- Aces participates in several IWCLA tournaments and coaches can access player profiles during tournaments to help with recruiting and to evaluate players
- **Recruiting Package Option**
 - High school students who seek to play in college can select the Recruiting Package at the time of registration for an additional \$450.
 - Athletes who select the package will work with Coach Caitlin Roberts, the former head coach at Curry College, for one-on-one college counseling, assistance with online profiles, communications from players, and more.
 - Coach Roberts will evaluate players and work with athletes to match to colleges.
 - Coach Roberts will contact the college coaches via phone on behalf of the athlete to promote the player
 - Coach Roberts will work with families, athletes, and other Aces coaches for easier communication and assessment of the process.
- **And much more..**

FALL 2021

TEAM PRACTICES: Fall Training Sessions

- **SUNDAY PRACTICES** in the Plymouth/Kingston area.
 - September 12, 19, 26; October 3, 10, 17, 24
 - All grades will play in the afternoon/evening.
 - ***Time and place TBD***
- **WEDNESDAY NIGHT SKILLS AND GOALIE SESSIONS** in Middleboro @ Field of Dreams w/ lights
 - September 15, 22, 29; October 6, 13, 20, & 27
 - Youth Player and Goalies: 6:00-7:00pm
 - High School Players and Goalies: 7:00-8:00pm

TOURNAMENTS:

- Each team will have two tournaments
- Events will be on Saturday's or Sunday's in Oct & early November
 - Youth tournaments @ Devens, MA – Fall Fear (10/9 weekend) & New England Chill (10/18 weekend). Possible 3rd tournament 10/30 in Weymouth.
 - High School tournaments (**both are Sunday recruiting tournaments**) – New England Chill on 10/17 at Devens, MA and New England Showcase in Wilbraham, MA on November 7, 2021
 - WE WORK TO HAVE NO INTERFERENCE WITH FALL SPORTS

WINTER

WINTER SKILL SESSIONS, GOALIE CLINICS, AND PICKUP GAMES:

- 8 Sunday evening team skills in Starland, Hanover, MA are included
- Aces will offer numerous a la carte winter skills offerings (not included in tuition).
 - We will have something almost every night of the week in numerous locations. You will be able to pick/pay for the offering(s) that work for you.
 - Options will include skills, goalie clinics, and pickup games
 - Locations may include Falmouth, Duxbury, Hanover, Weymouth, Sandwich
- Aces may offer a la carte tournament options

SPRING 2022

YOUTH SPRING PRACTICES and EVENTS: 4-5 team event offerings for each team.

- Each Team will have Team practices or games in March (indoor or outdoor, depending on weather)
- Events will not take place during town lacrosse games.
- Options will provide competitive play for our youth athletes during the spring season.

High School will not play due to MIAA bona fide athlete rules

SUMMER 2022

SUMMER TEAM PRACTICES:

- Mid JUNE – Mid/End of JULY

- Teams traditionally practice Tuesday and Thursday evenings
- Teams will have 8-12 summer practices
- Practices will be in the Kingston/Plymouth area

SKILL SESSSIONS, GOALIE CLINICS, AND PICKUP GAMES:

- Players will have the option to participate in multiple play several days a week
- Summer of 2021, pickup games were Monday, Goalie sessions were Wednesday, and Skill sessions were Wednesday

TOURNAMENTS

- 2023-2029 Teams will attend three tournaments within New England. High School tournaments are recruiting tournaments!
- 2030/2031 team will attend two tournaments within New England