

September 15, 2023

Howdy!

My name is Abigail Standbrook and I will be in charge of running this upcoming Aggieland Classic tournament!

If you are no longer the coach or team contact for your team please reply to me separately with updated contact information and forward the information to your updated contact.

Welcome to the Aggieland Classic 2024! I would like to introduce myself and some background about this tournament. My name is Abigail Standbrook and I am a senior dietetic student from Northern Virginia! This year I am serving as the Texas A&M Women's Club Lacrosse President. This tournament is COMPLETELY run and coordinated by our team, specifically our officer team. I would like to remind all coaches and team managers of this as we are all full-time students and all 21-year-olds (or younger) coordinating this please keep this in mind through all communication. I am so excited to be a part of this tournament and to bring girls together and play lacrosse.

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ANOTHER EMAIL WILL BE SENT OUT ABOUT THE REGISTRATION STEPS ON OCTOBER 1, 2023. THIS EMAIL WILL INCLUDE DETAILED STEPS REGARDING REGISTRATION, WAIVERS AND ROSTERS.

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Thanks & Gig'em!

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Texas A&M Women's Club Lacrosse President

October 1, 2023

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I hope all of your teams' fall seasons have started off great! Registration for the Aggieland Classic 2024 has opened up. Please read all instructions PRIOR to registering.

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4. Waiver Information will be sent in mid-October

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Waivers

- We are still finalizing our waiver process to hopefully make that a smoother process this year. Information regarding that will be sent in mid-October.
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We are looking forward to seeing you all in January!

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October 27, 2023

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I have received approval to do electronic waivers this year! I hope you and your team find this is a smoother process!

Waiver Information

- Once your team registers you will receive a customized link for EACH individual team you register. (Please give our staff a week to send your team the link)
- It will be a Google form for players and legal guardians/parents to fill out. Coaches are also required to fill this out per the ratio rule listed below.
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- Once you believe your team has completed waivers, please email us your team roster. (MUST USE TEMPIENT PROVIDED BELOW) This email will signify to our officer team that you are ready for us to check.
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