

OWLUA Parental Agreement for Junior Umpires

Dear Parent,

Your child wishes to officiate youth girls lacrosse games and must complete a set of requirements specified by US Lacrosse and the Oregon Women's Lacrosse Umpire Association (OWLUA) in order establish a rating which will serve as qualification to self-assign and/or be assigned to work games. Please review the entire OWLUA Junior Umpire Agreement Form and provide your name and signature as required.

OWLUA is a 501(c)(4) organization that operates as a division of US Lacrosse and the Women's Division Officials Council (WDOC) to promote and facilitate a safe and fair environment for women's lacrosse by ensuring that all officials are US Lacrosse members and OWLUA members in good standing who have been trained and rated according to the specifications of US lacrosse. Junior Official ratings are good for one year, are subject to revocation, and connote eligibility to officiate for various leagues and organizations sponsoring girls youth lacrosse games, tournaments, or special events subject to age, level, and role limitations specific to the rating. Ratings are developed by a minimum of two experienced Adult Officials who are knowledgeable in the requirements and performance expectations of Junior Officials and who are authorized by OWLUA to rate officials based on their performance on the field during designated field training and certification events. Ratings may be appealed by writing to owlua.umpires@gmail.com. OWLUA may, at its sole discretion, rerate a Junior Official but is under no obligation to do so. Please visit www.owlua.com for a reference that relates game eligibility and limitations to rating.

OWLUA provides software that allows officials to either self-assign or be assigned by an Assigner to girls youth lacrosse games appropriate to their rating, maintains a record of games worked, and is used by individuals and organizations to make payments to Junior Officials. As such, we collect personal contact information (name, birth date, mailing address, phone numbers, and email) to verify official certification and training and to establish a means of communication. We also collect taxpayer identification numbers to facilitate payments. This sensitive data is only shared with those responsible for assigning, verifying assignments, or sending payments to your child. By signing this agreement, you provide OWLUA with the right to use and distribute your child's personal data for the purposes stated above.

As the parent of a minor child registering with OWLUA, I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless OWLUA from all claims, causes or actions, judgments, costs or expenses, including attorney fees, with are related directly or indirectly to your child's participation as an official of girls youth lacrosse. You further agree to review, discuss, and sign the OWLUA Junior Umpire Agreement Form with your son or daughter.

Submission of a completed Parental Agreement Form and Junior Umpire Agreement Form are required before your child will receive game assignments.

I acknowledge and accept the OWLUA Parental Agreement for Junior Umpires.

Junior Umpire's Name (print)	
Parent's Name (print)	
Parent's Signature	Date