2017 Viper Sports Club Summer League – Eastern University

Game Instructions:

- 1. Please make sure you know your designated team # so you arrive for the correct game.
- 2. Please make sure you check which color shirt to wear for all your games.
- 3. If your team is **listed first** on the game schedule you are to wear a **white T Shirt and white socks.**
- 4. If your team is **listed second** on the schedule you are to wear a **dark T Shirt** and dark socks.
- 5. Please bring both a white and dark shirt with you each night incase the schedule changes
- 6. Games need to start ON TIME No run over is allowed
- 7. Please clear the field once your game is over so the next teams can get ready
- 8. There is **5 minutes between** game and **5 minute half time**
- 9. The clock will start on time for each game.
- 10. Games will be 6 v 6 plus a goalie. <u>If a team does not have a goalie</u> available for their game the team can add one extra field player.
- 11. Teams may only have two male players on the field at one time: 2 field players or 1 field player & 1 goalie.
- 12. Center Field Subs MUST stand behind their cage during the games this is a safety issue.
- 13. CENTER FIELD SUBSTITUTION will be made from behind their own goal.
- 14. Center field substitution <u>can not be made</u> when their opponent has possession in your circle.
- 15. Substitutions on the other fields must be made at mid-field.
- 16. Please be aware that there is <u>no fencing behind the ends line</u>.
- 17. Please retrieve all balls that miss the cage on shots. Balls are expensive to replace.
- 18. The game ball needs to be returned to the umpire at the end of each game.
- 19. The game balls will be yellow so please refrain from warming up with your own yellow balls so we can distinguish between the game balls and personal balls.
- 20. Wins and loses <u>must be reported to the umpire on your pitch after each game</u>. Please designate someone on your team who will report the scores.

- 21. Total points at the end of the league will determine placement for the Championship games per division. Win = 3pts Tie = 1pt Lose = 0pts
- 22. League will follow FIH Rules.
- 23. Location of the circles will be a judgement call by the field umpire
- 24. Corners will be played out at the end of a game
- 25. A TIE will be awarded if at the horn the score is tied.
- 26. Due to the number of teams in some of the divisions, teams will not be playing all the teams in that division.

Field #'s and Locations:

On the Field Hockey Pitch Field Numbers:

- #1 Closest to the small parking lot
- #2 In the Middle
- #3 Next to the hill

On the Soccer Field Numbers:

- #4 next to the netting between the soccer field and FH pitch
- #5 center of soccer field
- #6 next to tennis courts

PLEASE know which field you are playing on prior to your arrival each week

VERY IMPORTANT: PLEASE Inform all your spectators that NO ONE is to stand behind the end line especially during the Adult Games. There is No Fencing or netting to prevent anyone from getting hit by a ball being shot on goal or going over the end lines. Anyone standing behind the end lines during warm ups and games - stands there at their own risk.

If the weather threatens a cancellation - Please check for game changes on the Main page of the Viper Sports Club Web Site or call the office number for a recorded message. 610-495-0999

Please call me if you have any questions - you can reach me on my cell 610-547-5780 or at the office number 610-495-0999.