



## Spring 2012 Lacrosse Season Player Registration Now Open

[www.eastlakelacrosse.org](http://www.eastlakelacrosse.org)

Lacrosse, considered to be America's first sport, was born of the North American Indian, christened by the French, and adapted and raised by the Canadians. Modern lacrosse has been embraced by athletes and enthusiasts of the United States and the British Commonwealth for over a century.

The sport of lacrosse is a combination of basketball, soccer and hockey. Anyone can play lacrosse--the big or the small. The game requires and rewards coordination and agility, not brawn. Quickness and speed are two highly prized qualities in lacrosse.<sup>1</sup> There is even a professional lacrosse league where the best athletes in the world compete. The Washington Stealth is a recent addition to Northwest professional sports franchises and plays games at Comcast Arena in Everett.

EASTLAKE LACROSSE competes in the western Washington youth and high school lacrosse leagues. We field teams for boys ranging from 3<sup>rd</sup> grade through High School. Eligible players are those who attend schools that funnel into Eastlake High School. In 2011 we fielded nine teams. In 2006 Eastlake's varsity team were league champs!

Lacrosse teams are divided into the following age groups:

- Grades 1/2 ← *New for the 2012 Season!*
- Grades 3/4
- Grades 5/6
- Grades 7/8
- High School Freshman/Sophomore
- High School Junior Varsity
- High School Varsity

Registration is now open for the spring 2012 season. To learn more about Eastlake Lacrosse and register for the upcoming season, please visit our website.



### ***Join the fastest sport on two feet!***

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