GELC PRESIDENT'S LETTER – APRIL 9TH 2020



Dear Families.

The current global circumstances have forced the spring box season to be discontinued. While this news is disheartening, the GELC is bound by our role, "To create positive life experiences through the sport of lacrosse in the Greater Edmonton Region.". We remain optimistic that we may be able to deliver alternative summer box and winter box programs for our members. Details of any alternative programing will be sent out as soon as they are available. Summer programing will be dependent upon access to appropriate municipal facilities and the timing of when it is safe to conduct public activities.

The GELC member clubs have agreed to refund all the spring box registration fees, excluding any "A" try out fees, as costs were incurred to conduct the "A" evaluations. Our member clubs will be absorbing all associated fees for these refunds. Each club will communicate directly with registered families regarding refund methods.

In these unprecedented times it is important that the GELC follows our guiding principle, "The Greater Edmonton Lacrosse Council and its members represent and make decisions in the best interest of lacrosse to better the sport as a whole.". Hence, the GELC has agreed to absorb its member club's portion of the associated charges from the ALA. Our member clubs have worked hard to manage our costs and strongly feel that absorbing these fees is the proper course of action for our lacrosse community.

All of you in our lacrosse family have been impacted by this pandemic. Our council's hope is that all of us and our individual families come out of this safe from covid-19, and ready to ensure a safe place for Edmonton's lacrosse community to thrive in the future. For now, we wish you all safety and wellness.

Yours in Lacrosse,
Sean Aggus

GELC President

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