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ONTARIO LACROSSE ANNOUNCES NEW SENIOR BOX LACROSSE LEAGUE

TORONTO ON – January 23rd, 2019 – The Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA) announces the establishment and sanctioning of a new senior box lacrosse league planned for operation beginning this spring. The founding of this new senior league is based on the need and desire for players aged 22 years and older to have the opportunity to continue playing box lacrosse who are unable to compete in the full season schedule of the Ontario Senior "B" and Major Series Lacrosse leagues.

The league will operate as a full-contact, tournament-only format on weekends throughout May, June and July. Games will consist of two 20-minute halves with three-minute intermissions; supplementary additions and/or modifications to the CLA playing rules may be determined as necessary. The tournament-only format will provide teams with at least three games per weekend, and teams will be required to participate in a minimum of three tournaments of their choice throughout the season to qualify for championship competition.

Teams wishing to apply for membership or requiring additional information about participation may contact Shelly Nobile (705-783-0197 or SLLcommish@gmail.com) prior to March 4th, 2019.

About the Ontario Lacrosse Association:

Since 1897, the Ontario Lacrosse Association (OLA) has been recognized as the administrative governing body which exists to improve, foster, perpetuate and govern of all levels (youth, junior and senior) and disciplines (box, field and women's field) of lacrosse in the province of Ontario.

In addition to coordinating the operation of the sport, the OLA provides informative resources, technical development programs and additional supplies for those interested in the "fastest game on two feet." For more information, contact the Ontario Lacrosse Association at (416) 426-7066 or email info@ontariolacrosse.com.