Baltimore Field Hockey Association is pleased to present the 22nd annual



BEACH BASH

Adult Field Hockey Tournament Saturday, April 30th - Sunday, May 1st, 2022 at DE Turf

Location: DE Turf, 4000 Bay Rd, Milford, DE 19963

Times: Approximately 9am-3pm both Saturday and Sunday

Schedule: Each team will play a minimum of 6 games (3 games per day), approximately

30-35 minutes each (exact schedule will depend on the final number of teams). We're also looking to schedule a men's game if we have the numbers/interest!

Format: Full-field 11v11 on 4 turf fields; up to 24 teams will be accepted

Adults only; participants must be at least 18 years old (younger players will be

considered on a case-by-case basis and will require a parental waiver).

Each player may play on ONLY ONE team.

Divisions: Mixed 1 (maximum of one male field player allowed; goalie neutral)

Mixed 3 (maximum of three male field players allowed; goalie neutral)

Fee: \$925/team

Registration: Teams who participated in Beach Bash 2021 will be given the first

opportunity to register for the 2022 tournament (more details will be sent to those teams directly). Registration for returning teams will be from January 15th

through January 28th.

Beginning January 31st, registration will be opened to teams who did not participate in Beach Bash 2021. Registration will be available at this link. REGISTRATION CLOSES ON FEBRUARY 15TH, or when all team slots have been filled. Teams must pay the registration fee by February 15th to confirm

their spot in the tournament.

COVID: Teams will be required to follow safety protocols in effect at DE Turf

at the time of the tournament. Any team not following these protocols will

be disqualified from the event.

USAFH: All players must be USA Field Hockey members, either with an annual

membership or a temporary 2-day membership. Players without an annual membership will NOT need to obtain their own temporary 2-day membership

-- those will be provided by BFHA at no additional cost to you!

Forfeit Fee: A team that forfeits a game during the tournament must pay a \$125 fee.

Withdrawal: Any team that needs to withdraw from the tournament after registering

must do so in writing to bfhabeachbash@gmail.com prior to March 15th, 2022 to receive a partial refund of \$750 (tournament fee minus \$150 cancellation fee). No refunds will be granted for teams that withdraw after March 15th.

Rosters: Rosters are due Friday, April 15th, and changes will be allowed until

Monday, April 25th. After April 25th, you may remove players but cannot add

players.

Uniforms: All teams are required to bring both WHITE shirts/shin guards and DARK

shirts/shin guards. Numbers on shirts are preferred.

T-Shirts: Teams will be able to pre-order Beach Bash tournament T-shirts again this year!

Pre-ordered shirts will be \$10 each and will be distributed at the event. Details will be sent to registered teams at a later date. Shirts will also be available for

purchase at the tournament for \$15 each.

Waiver: All participants must sign a waiver (which will be distributed to registered

teams) to play in the tournament. Participants who are under 18 will require a

waiver from a parent or guardian.

Weather: In case of inclement weather, tournament organizers will reach out to teams

via email and on the Facebook group (BFHA Beach Bash). If the tournament

is cancelled due to inclement weather, partial refunds will be granted.

Rules: Beach Bash will follow <u>FIH rules</u>, with slight modifications specific to this

tournament (e.g., length of games). A full list of rules will be circulated to all

registered teams.

Questions? Contact the Beach Bash Committee at bfhabeachbash@gmail.com. We'll also be

posting updates on our <u>BFHA Beach Bash</u> Facebook page.