

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



BEACH BASH

Adult Field Hockey Tournament
Saturday, April 29th - Sunday, April 30th, 2023 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'll also be holding a men's game!

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: \$950/team

Registration: Teams who participated in Beach Bash 2022 will be given the first chance to

register for Beach Bash 2023. **Returning team registration will open January 16th at 9am, and registration for non-returning teams will open on January 23rd at 9am.** Links to the online registration will be circulated in early January. **CLICK HERE** to sign up for BFHA's mailing list to make sure you get all the

updates!

REGISTRATION CLOSES ON FEBRUARY 15TH, or when all team slots have

been filled.

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 USAFH 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, 2023 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: Final rosters are due Monday, April 24th (more details will be sent to

participating teams). After April 24th, 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 T-shirts will be available at a discounted rate and will be

distributed at the tournament. Details for pre-ordering T-shirts will be sent to registered teams at a later date. T-shirts will also be available for purchase at

the tournament!

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 canceled 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 BFHA Beach Bash Facebook page.