

Timekeeping Guidelines 2015 High School

Table crew is neutral. No comments to players, officials, coaches regarding play, no cheering.

Pre-Game Preparation

- Arrive 25 minutes before start of game
- Set up Clocks or Phone App:
 - Iphone: LaxGameClock, LaxTime&Score
 - Smart: LTS LAX clock
- Check Air Horn – Pump it up

Quarters

- 12 minute stop clock quarter
- Start clock at whistle
- Stop clock at whistle
- Stop clock Time Outs/Injuries

During Game

- Announce 1 min before end of each 1st, 2nd and 3rd quarter
- Announce 2:10 and 2:00 minute warning
- Announce with Count Down last 10 seconds of each quarter
- Provide Time of Goal to Scorekeeper
- Provide Time Remaining if asked by coaches/officials
- Running time starts at 12 goal differential and at the face-off whistle
- Half Time generally 10 minutes - check with officials
- Check with officials for **overtime**. Typically 4 minute stop clock sudden victory

Penalties

- Use separate clock for each penalty
- All clocks start and stop together - at whistle
- Running time penalty starts at whistle and runs until time served, unless time out is called
- Releasable penalty served at end of time or after goal from opposing team
- Nonreleasable penalty serves entire time - even after goal from opposing team
- Max 3 penalties can be served at once
- Players must serve in box entire time of penalty, kneeling or sitting.
- Count from 10 sec remaining to 5 - 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5 then silently until you call **release**
- Simultaneous fouls un-releasable for both players for shortest time penalty. Confirm with official.
- Penalties serving during faceoff are released after “possession” has been called by official if time is served.
- Provide time remaining as requested by coaches and officials

Horn

- Sound Horn at end of each quarter
- Sound Horn when 4 minutes remain in half time
- Sound Double Horn **only at dead ball**:
 - Wrong player enters field before penalty is served and before you call “release”
 - Head coach requests a count of long sticks
- **Coaches cannot call for Horn** if ball goes out on sideline or endline - new rule last year