

# FLAGS & WHISTLES

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## Pregame Remarks from the National Umpiring Chair

by Priscilla Anderson

We managed to get through another lacrosse season that for most of the northeast and mid-Atlantic was dampened by rain/sleet/snow/ice for a good portion of it. Even the National Tournament gave us a taste of "the season". For those of you who felt the spring season could have been warmer and sunnier I'd suggest you sign up for the many lacrosse tournaments this summer from the east coast to the west coast and all points in between. There are sure to be some hot lacrosse events to warm you up.

As I step down from the chair's position of the National Umpiring Committee I've taken a minute to think back to June of 1999 when I first stepped into this position. I can't quite recollect the number of umpires servicing the game then, but I do have records indicating as of May of 2000 we had reached 1300, currently we have over 2300 umpires servicing the game of women's lacrosse. This growth came with a lot of hard work and service within our local, region, and national structure. Quite often within this "Pregame" article I have mentioned the system of service built in to our rating structure. It is remarkable to know that we have grown by 1000 plus umpires in just three years. But it is encouraging and comforting to know that the structure of the rating system and service requirement within that system has trained these new members well. I'm sure each of us has memories of how we got involved in umpiring the game. Some of us had been players, others had backgrounds in officiating other sporting events, others had no women's lacrosse or umpiring experience at all. Through a local board and it's leaders there were helpful, encouraging, friendly faces. In moving up the ranks certain people come to mind who were the most influential and supportive to me. These

people too were helpful, encouraging, and had friendly faces. I hope each of you has these same fond memories as the WDOC structure works for you.

As the WDOC grows, so does the National Tournament. We had over 130 umpires service the National Tournament this year under the direction of Nancy Coffman and Bridget Rothera. Nancy has represented us well on the Competitions Committee for the past three years to organize a hospitality area with refreshments and services for the umpires during the tournament, as well as negotiating our honorarium, not to mention the actual assigning of game and table umpires for over 100 games. Many thanks go to Nancy, Bridget, and their committee.

The NUC once again put in a full weekend of meetings starting on Friday noon of the National Tournament. Topics discussed were ratings procedures, umpire uniform code, International Umpire development, collegiate assigning policies, new rule suggestions for 2004, as well as nominations for positions being vacated on the NUC. Our main task of the weekend was to service the national rating process. Going forward to 2004 our National umpires total 71, and International umpires total 15. Many thanks to my executive committee for their time and efforts throughout this past season.

As leadership changes within the NUC I must thank Debbie Martin, Evelyn Doyle, Kim Basner, and Dot Harrop for their many years of service at the national level of leadership. Your efforts on and off the field are greatly appreciated!

And a final thank you to all of the US Lacrosse umpires for servicing our fellow umpires and our game. A job well done!

### 2002-2003 National Umpiring Committee

Priscilla Anderson, chair

Kim Basner

Evelyn Doyle

Laura Hebert

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Dorothy Hirsch

Patti Klecha-Porter

Debbie Martin

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# —CONGRATULATIONS CORNER—

## Congratulations to the new National Umpires:

Lynn Beltran	Katherine Sherwood
Ericka Davidheiser	David Shiffman
Pam Dunlap	Judy Strong
Roberta Grauer	Mary Lou Thimes
Janis LeBaron	

## Congratulations to the new National Renewal Umpires:

BJ Baitinger Marth	Patricia Morris	Judy Reed
Patty Daley	Stephanie Murphy	Kerry Sacco
Pat Dillon	Perky Nellissen	Barbra Samph Almond
Lisa Ellsworth	Rick Nelson	Mari Ann Wilson
Cathy McWilliams	Loretta Pawlowski	

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## *Thank You Volunteers!*

The National Tournament Committee and participants gratefully acknowledge the volunteer hours shared by these umpires to cover the games during the National Tournament. We appreciate their continued service to the US Lacrosse Women's Division. We apologize for any omissions.

### National Umpiring Committee

Chair: Priscilla Anderson, Kim Basner, Evelyn Doyle, Laura Hebert, Rala Heinen, Dorothy Hirsch, Patricia Klecha-Porter, Debbie Martin, Perky Nellissen, Laurette Payette, Jeff Secor, Cheryl Silverman, Fran Trumbo

Director of Umpires - Nancy Coffman, Bridget Rothera

Barbra Almond	Gail Cotler	Kathy Gregory	Janice McGrath	Jeff Secor
Priscilla Anderson	Lynn Craun	Dawn Grothmann	Ed McGuinn	Ann Sheppard
Cheryl Anstotz	Beth Cugini	Jim Guffey	Sue McVaugh	Art Sheppard
Roni Anton	Patty Daley	Sally Hartman	Cathy McWilliams	Katherine Sherwood
Donna Arcudi	Ericka Davidheiser	Pat Hayes	Jodi Michna	Dave Shiffman
Nadine Bassler	Evelyn Doyle	Rala Heinen	Jenny Miriam	Cheryl Silverman
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Jenn Brokenshire	John Federline	Patricia Klecha Porter	Laura Paro	Lisa Volland
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David Cain	Sue Frazier	Bonnye Lang	Laurette Payette	Joan Wagner
Judy Carlantonio	Susie Ganzenmuller	Tim Lang	Kymberly Perrott	Lisette Walter
Barb Carreiro	Marge Garinger	Alison Lang	Judy Read	Maggie Walsh
Kathleen Cawley	Kathy Gibbons	Sally LaPorte	Bridget Rothera	Chris Weinstock-Collins
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Jessica Christian	Sandy Goldthorpe	Len Levy	Lauren Saks	
Lisa Clark	Lucy Goodridge	BJ Marth	Marybeth Sankel	
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Dana Crompton	Roberta Grauer	Laura McCarthy	Denise Schwind	

# WDIA Championships

The third year of the Women's Division Intercollegiate Associates Championships in St. Louis May 9-10 continued to grow and improve as an event and venue. The fields and management are first class and the caliber of play is rising and rivalries are quickly forming.

The biggest challenge of the weekend was the unpredictable Midwest Spring weather. There was a heat index of 105 degrees one day and everyone was dodging thunderstorms and hiding from tornado warnings the next! When the umpires woke up to the Weather Channel and Jim Cantore broadcasting from St. Louis, they knew they were in trouble!

Improvisation was the word of the day on Saturday including a "floating" restraining line to overcome the field markings on the astro turf for the men's game. It was a clever way to deal with the short men's field (credit goes to Navy for that one). Everyone pitched in and helped? including duct taped arcs and fans on the turf.

When it looked bleak that the games would continue, the weather finally cooperated and opened up a two hour window of beautiful sunshine for the consolation and championship games. Cal-Poly and UCLA brought their season long series to a heated, but well played, conclusion with Cal-Poly prevailing to win the WDIA Championship for the 3rd year in a row.

The following umpires served the WDIA Championships:

<i>Lissa Fickert, Ohio</i>	<i>Lauren Rippey, Illinois</i>
<i>Dorothy Hirsch, Oregon</i>	<i>Donna Phelan, Missouri</i>
<i>Laura Paro, Vermont</i>	<i>Jenn Eames, Massachusetts</i>
<i>Saskia Von Wouldenbergh, Colorado</i>	<i>Tammy Heffron, Colorado</i>
<i>Eric Rudolph, Georgia</i>	<i>Jim Guffey, Missouri</i>
	<i>Mike Winkelmann, Missouri</i>

## New NUC Leadership to Take Place Effective August 1, 2003

Elections have taken place with the following results for the leadership of the WDOC.

Congratulations, and thank you for your service to the WDOC!

**Chair:** Perky Nellissen to replace Priscilla Anderson

**Super Region 1 Chair:** Jenny Miriam to replace Debbie Martin

**Super Region 2 Chair:** Peter Hyde to replace Perky Nellissen

**Super Region 3 Chair:** Sue Paige to replace Evelyn Doyle

**Super Region 5 Chair:** Laurette Payette to continue as SR Chair

**Check out the Umpires  
website at**

**<http://uslacrosse.org/wdoc>**



## Six Honorees Selected for the "Distinguished National Umpire Award"

**Kim Basner - Marge Garinger - Jackie Hufnell - Marilyn Hull - Sue McVaugh - Joan Wagner**

The "Distinguished National Umpire Award" is an honorary award given by the WDOC Executive Committee to an individual who has achieved the National rating during their career and has shown exceptional service on the local, regional, and national levels.

Five of these distinguished umpires currently are members of the Philadelphia Local Umpiring Board, while the sixth (Sue McVaugh) originated from the Philadelphia board but currently continues within the leadership ranks of the Central New York Board.

**Kim Basner** earned her National and International ratings and continues to umpire, as well as serve on the US Lacrosse Board of Directors, National Umpiring Committee, and as the National Rules Interpreter.

**Marge Garinger** earned her National and International ratings, served for many years on the National Umpiring Committee, and continues to umpire, as well as serve on the Women's Division Board of Governors as the IFWLA liaison.

**Jackie Hufnell** earned her National and International ratings, served for many years on the National Umpiring Committee, and continues to umpire both in the United States and England.

**Marilyn Hull** earned her National rating and continues to umpire as well as serve on the local, regional, and national levels.

**Sue McVaugh** earned her National rating, served many years on the USWLA executive committee, served on and chaired the National Umpiring Committee, and currently gives service on the local, regional, and national levels.

**Joan Wagner** earned her National and International ratings, served on and chaired the National Umpiring Committee, served on the US Lacrosse Board of Directors, and continues to serve on the local, regional, and national levels.

*A plaque will be hung in the US Lacrosse Headquarters showing these individuals being the first to have received this honor. Congratulations to all of these women for exceptional service.*

## DISTRICT UMPIRE RATING PROCESS

Local and District umpires should keep in mind the proper procedures when standing for their District rating. If the rating will be Out-of-Region, there is a different application and procedure. Please review the Umpire's Manual. Applications can be found in the Umpires Manual as well as on the US Lacrosse web site [www.uslacrosse.org](http://www.uslacrosse.org).

### District In-Region Process:

1. Applicant fills out the application
2. Give application and a copy of umpiring schedule to the Local Chair
3. Local Chair will confirm applicant is a member in good standing
4. Local Chair will give completed application & schedule to the Region Chair prior to the rating session. (Note: if the Region Chair is not organizing the rating session, the Region Chair should confirm with the event's Rating Chair that the candidate has or has not been approved.)

### District Out-of-Region Process:

1. Applicant fills out the application
2. Give application and a copy of umpiring schedule to the Local Chair
3. Local Chair will confirm applicant is a member in good standing
4. Local Chair will send application and schedule to the National Umpiring Chair for approval prior to the rating session.
5. National Umpiring Chair will confirm approval with applicant's Region Chair and the event Rating Chair.

## DISTRICT RATING OPPORTUNITIES

US Lacrosse District Tournaments are approved sites for District ratings. In addition the NUC has approved other sites. These events have met the level of play required for District ratings and have gone through the National Umpiring Committee for approval. If your region would like to get approval for an event to host District ratings please contact your Super Region Chair to start the process. Many events have already been approved for this purpose.

## Umpiring Opportunity in Colorado

### 2003 VAIL LACROSSE SHOOTOUT

The 19th Annual Vail Lacrosse Shootout is being held in Vail Valley among the beautiful Rocky Mountains. Come join the fun and umpire at 8,000 feet. There are two tournaments, both needing umpires. The High School Division, which features terrific high school talent, and the Elite Division, featuring top players from the four corners of the US. The tentative dates are June 29-July 2 for HS and July 3-6 for the Elite. Come for one or come for both. New for this year is an increase in game fees and for each tournament we are limiting the number of umpires to 12-15.

This is a District rating opportunity and next year (2004) it will be established as a National re-rating opportunity.

To participate, contact Jeff Secor at 719-528-1090 or [jmsecor@earthlink.net](mailto:jmsecor@earthlink.net).

## ATTENTION LOCAL CHAIRS!! PLAN YOUR CLINICS FOR 2004!!

### PROFESSIONAL GROWTH CLINICS

are available to established Local Boards  
Contact Perky Nellissen at 518-899-6003 or  
[grcall@nycap.rr.com](mailto:grcall@nycap.rr.com).

### UMPIRE DEVELOPMENTAL CLINICS

are also available to new areas. These provide training and testing for umpires.

Contact Cheryl Silverman at 518-877-5857 or  
[email:csilver1@nycap.rr.com](mailto:csilver1@nycap.rr.com)

## DISTRICT RATING OPPORTUNITY July 23-27

Empire State Games, Buffalo, NY, in-region  
& by invitation only, contact Cheryl  
Silverman [csilver1@nycap.rr.com](mailto:csilver1@nycap.rr.com)  
for more information.

## **“National Umpiring Clinic” @ the 2003 Fall Classic**

The Women's Division Officials Council will be holding a clinic for District umpires wishing to stand for their National rating during 2004, or for renewing National umpires. **It is strongly recommended that all new National Candidates attend a National Umpire Clinic.** You must pre-register for this clinic. Cost of the clinic is \$125. Clinic includes lunch, a Friday evening rules interpretation session with Rules Committee chair Pat Dillon, New 2004 Rules to be used, 3 hours of on-field umpiring throughout the Saturday/Sunday event with feedback from National and International umpires, and 6 hours of off-field clinic.

*(Additional umpiring time with pay is available if so desired.)*

Top level Collegiate NCAA Division 1, 2, and 3 teams will be participating.

**Site:** USTC, Downingtown, PA <http://www.go2ustc.com>

**Date:** Friday October 10th 2003 through Sunday October 12th 2003 (Friday night clinic 7pm - 10pm; Field time Saturday 9am - 4pm; Field time Sunday 8am - 12:00 noon) Lunches provided Sat/Sun.

**Questions:** contact Priscilla Anderson 607-563-1423 or [panderson@mkl.com](mailto:panderson@mkl.com)

Submit the registration form found in this “Flags and Whistles” to:

**Priscilla Anderson, 744 Lockwood Hill Road  
Mount Upton, NY 13809**

**Note:** clinic limited to 9 participants.

## **Local Umpires Considering a District Rating - Clinic at USTC Fall Classic**

If you have a Local rating and are considering standing for your District rating, or would like to stand for your District rating at this event, sign up for the “**Local to District Umpire Clinic**” to be held at USTC on October 11th and 12th 2003.

Classroom time Saturday night 7pm - 10pm. On-field Sunday 8am - 3pm. Fee of \$100 includes lunch, three hours of classroom training and six hours of on-field clinic time.

You must pre-register. Space limited to 9 participants.

*(Additional umpiring time with pay on Saturday and Sunday is available if so desired.)*

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## **New Umpires! Clinic at USTC Fall Classic**

If you, or someone you know is considering becoming a women's lacrosse umpire, or if you are a new umpire with an Apprentice rating and would like some on-field feedback, sign up for the “**New/Apprentice Umpire Clinic**” to be held at USTC on October 11th and 12th 2003. Classroom time Saturday night 7pm - 10pm. On-field Sunday 8am - 3pm. Lunch provided.

Fee of \$100 includes three hours of classroom training and six hours of on-field clinic time.

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## **UMPIRING & DISTRICT RATING OPPORTUNITIES:**

- June 21** **United Sports**, Downingtown, Pa. Local and District rating opportunity contact Mary Jane Schaaf at 610-696-0766.
- July 4-6** **Vail Shoot Out**, Vail, Colorado. District Rating and umpiring opportunity, contact Jeff secor at 719-528-1090 or jmsecor@earthlink.net
- July 10-12** **Baldwinsville Star Spangled Tournament**, Baldwinsville, NY. Contact Sheila Donahue at 315-526-2870 or smd@tweny.rr.com
- Aug 7-10** **Lake Placid District Rating Opportunity**, Lake Placid, New York. Contact Rick Nelson at 3csunref@nycaprr.com.
- Oct 10-12** **National Umpire Clinic**, USTC, Downingtown, PA, contact Priscilla Anderson 607-563-1423 or panderson@mkl.com
- Oct 11-12** **USTC Fall Classic, umpiring opportunity**, contact Kim Basner 610-466-7100 or kbasner@go2ustc.com.
- Oct 11-12** **Local to District Umpire Clinic**, USTC, Downingtown, PA, also a District rating opportunity; contact Priscilla Anderson 607-563-1423 or panderson@mkl.com
- Oct 11-12** **New Umpire Clinic**, USTC, Downingtown, PA, contact Priscilla Anderson 607-563-1423 or panderson@mkl.com
- Jan 9-10** **US Lacrosse National Convention with the National Rules Interpretation Clinic**; www.uslacrosse.org.

## **INTERNATIONAL EVENTS:**

**For information about international events contact:**

**Patti Klecha-Porter at [patti.klechaporter@mail.wesleyan.edu](mailto:patti.klechaporter@mail.wesleyan.edu)**

- June 27- July 6** **Under-19 World Championships** (Men and Women)  
Towson Maryland - Contact: [www.uslacrosse.org](http://www.uslacrosse.org).  
**IFWLA Conference** - Following U-19 Championships
- July 9-12** **Prague Cup**
- July 26- Aug 2** **European Championships**
- July 26-27** **OWL Tournament**
- Aug 30-31** **Junior National Championships** - Canada
- Sept 14-15** **QUA Earlybird** - Canada
- Sept/Oct** **U17/U21 National Championships**, Tasmania

## **Fall Ball Umpiring Opportunity: October 11th and 12th 2003**

### **Umpiring Opportunity for Youth, High School, and College Play 2003 Fall Lacrosse Classic @ United Sports Training Center, Downingtown, Pa 19335**

Once again an opportunity to sharpen your game, umpire top level College Div. 1, 2, and 3, and top High School Club, and Youth Clubs. Whatever your umpiring rating is ... here is a chance to try the next level and umpire with some of the best umpires in the country. Do you want assignors to give you better games? Maybe you need to come and prove you can do those top games! Get recommendations from respected umpires and spend the weekend, day or half day and experience some of the best lacrosse in the country at all levels in ONE location. Pay \$25 per hour. 3-person system on college games. See the registration form within this "Flags and Whistles".  
**(Contact person: Kim Basner [kbasner@go2ustc.com](mailto:kbasner@go2ustc.com))**

## **Dust off that Stick (or pick up a new one!)**

The Lake Placid Summit Tournament (Aug. 7-10, 2003) is creating a new women's master's division, for women age 30 and over. We're forming an "umpire team" to compete in the Lake Placid master's division, in part to support the concept of women's master's level play, but mostly to have a great time playing together this summer.

To cover the entry fee and uniform, the cost will be \$100 (gotta pay those umpires, and you can keep the uniform). And what a great way to "show your stuff" and have a some summer fun with our sport in a different lacrosse role! Where else can you kayak on pristine lakes or bobsled on Olympic runs between games, and be a part of the traditional Lake Placid umpire cookouts in the evenings?

If you are interested in being a part of the inaugural Zebra Masters club, please contact Jenn Eames at [jenn@swll.org](mailto:jenn@swll.org) or (508) 273-7077. Be sure to include your name, email address, phone number, what local umpiring board you belong to, position you prefer, and birth date.

If you would like to umpire/score in Lake Placid also, you may be able to do this around your playing schedule. Please contact Rick Nelson [3csunref@nycap.rr.com](mailto:3csunref@nycap.rr.com) about umpiring/scoring at the tournament in addition to playing.

# Corrections/Additions to the Umpire's Manual

The manual update pages for the new WACs were formatted incorrectly when printed. These documents can be obtained from your local chairs or downloaded from the US Lacrosse website. [www.uslacrosse.org](http://www.uslacrosse.org) under Women's Division Officials Council. These new forms will better relate to the criteria within the four ratings.

**Be sure not to throw away page Three-57 which is attached to the "old" Three-58. Changes were made to Three-58 only.**

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## 2004 US Lacrosse National Convention!

Next year's convention and National Rules Interpretation sessions will be held **January 9th and 10th 2004 at the Philadelphia Marriott**. This is a required event for all Local Board Chairpersons or their proxy. Check the US Lacrosse web site [www.uslacrosse.org](http://www.uslacrosse.org) and the December 2003 issue of the "Flags and Whistles" for more details as they develop. The WDOC representative on the Convention Committee is Laura Hebert. Forward suggestions and ideas to Laura ... [lbhref@aol.com](mailto:lbhref@aol.com).

## NUC Publication Committee

This committee develops articles for "Lacrosse Magazine" and "Flags & Whistles" as well as updates our council's information on the web site and is involved in any media produced for our council. If you have information to contribute or questions/ideas please contact Perky Nellissen, committee chair, at [gr8call@nycap.rr.com](mailto:gr8call@nycap.rr.com); Evelyn Doyle at [evmdoyle@hotmail.com](mailto:evmdoyle@hotmail.com) or Jeff Secor, WDOC columnist to *Lacrosse Magazine*, at [jmsecor@earthlink.net](mailto:jmsecor@earthlink.net).

**Registration form "National Umpiring Clinic"  
USTC Fall Classic October 10 - 12, 2003**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Your rating: \_\_\_\_\_

# of years at this rating: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to stand for your National rating in 2004? yes/no

Have you attended a "National Umpire Clinic" before? yes/no

If yes, when and where? \_\_\_\_\_

Fee enclosed \$125, made out to "US Lacrosse"

Mail registration and fee to:

**Priscilla Anderson**

**744 Lockwood Hill Rd**

**Mount Upton, NY 13809**

**Registration form "Local to District  
Umpire Clinic" USTC Fall Classic  
October 11 - 12, 2003**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Your rating: \_\_\_\_\_

# of years rated: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wish to stand for the District rating at his clinic?  
yes/no

If yes, be sure to follow application procedures as per the  
"Umpire's Manual".

Local Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee enclosed \$100, made out to "US Lacrosse"

Mail registration and fee to:

**Priscilla Anderson,**

**744 Lockwood Hill Rd**

**Mount Upton, NY 13809**

**Registration form "New/Apprentice Umpire  
Clinic" USTC Fall Classic October 11 - 12, 2003**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Your rating (or "new"\*): \_\_\_\_\_

# of years rated: \_\_\_\_\_

Local Board: \_\_\_\_\_

or, geographic area you live in: \_\_\_\_\_

Fee enclosed \$100, made out to "US Lacrosse"

\*A US Lacrosse membership is required for insurance purposes.

If you are a "new" candidate please submit an additional \$15 for  
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Mail registration and fee to:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Your rating: \_\_\_\_\_

# of years at this rating: \_\_\_\_\_

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Times available: (please circle when you are available)

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