



Stayner Hitmen Lacrosse Tobacco-Free Policy

The Executive of Stayner Minor Lacrosse Association recognizes that there is ample research demonstrating the health hazards of the use of tobacco products, including smoking and the breathing of secondhand smoke.

It is our belief that lacrosse is a healthy sport and as such we have a responsibility to the players and other participants in this sport to demonstrate healthy lifestyle choices. The Executive of the Stayner Minor Lacrosse Association, in the best interest of the health and safety of the players, participants and spectators, directs the implementation of the following policies:

1. Stayner Minor Lacrosse Association will encourage the goal of consistency among ongoing school and community programs to discourage the use of tobacco products during games, practices and other club or team sponsored activities.
2. Stayner Minor Lacrosse will promote tobacco-free lacrosse using various messages, including logos on team uniforms and encouraging our coaches to promote active, healthy, tobacco-free lifestyles among players.
3. Stayner Minor Lacrosse will support tobacco-free lacrosse in all of our activities, and will work to eliminate the mixed messages that players receive by encouraging players and spectators to respect our tobacco-free policies.

