

Hi Scorekeepers!

Thanks for volunteering to keep score. Keeping LAX stats is fun and gives you a front row seat to all games and you will be the first to know all that those in the stands are wondering about!

So, here is the run-down...

Reporting Scores: After each game, call in to the NCTimes (1-800-200-1601) and UT (1-619-293-1342). They usually want: half-game and final-game scores, number of goals by each player, number of assists, and the total number of goalie saves by each goalie. I'm not sure they'll want all this for JV, but you can call and ask.

Scorebook stats (This is what Coach Melissa has us keeping track of for varsity)
Listed in the order they are in the score book:

G – goals

SOG – shots on goal, but don't count it if the SOG made a goal

FP SOG – Free position shot on goal, again don't count it here if they made the goal

TO – take over, any time a player takes the ball away from the opposing team

GBC – ground ball control, when they scoop up a ground ball and have control

INT – intercept a play between 2 opposing players

A – assist in making a goal, sometimes can be a hard call

TP – draw control, when a player gets the face-off & passes to their own team

The following stats also need to be kept, but there is no place in the scorebook, so you have to find an empty area to record:

Goalie saves (distinguish which half)

Timeouts: record which team called it, which half, and the time

Penalty: record which team made the foul, player #, which half, and the start and finish penalty times

Time-keeping information for home games only (away games will be done by hosts):

The game time is 25 minutes per half, with the clock starting at 25 minutes and counting down.

The clock does not stop unless a penalty is called (and the ref will give a crossed arm signal and come talk to the stat table, giving player #, penalty, and penalty time)

The players in the penalty box are timed by the score keeper and told when they can go back in the game

The last 2 minutes the clock is stopped whenever the ref blows the whistle, and started again when whistle blown again. Don't stop the clock until the first whistle AFTER the 2 minute mark.

The last 10 seconds a scorekeeper will stand on the field (with the horn and stopwatch) and count down, 10, 9, 8, etc. and at 0 will blow the horn.

For our home games, the field stopwatch is the official clock. If you have someone in the booth running the scoreboard, you can call up and get in synch. Usually, they just stop it at the final 2 minutes, b/c it is too hard to synch up.

If no scoreboard operator, then there is a big plastic score board (with flipping numbers). It should point towards the field, but everytime a goal is made you can turn it around to show the fans.

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I hope this is clear. The refs will go over everything before the game. I usually let them run through the rules just to refresh my memory.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Have a good time and thanks for volunteering.

:) Diana