The Kettering University Lacrosse Club Constitution

Article I: Name and Purpose

Section 1: The name of the club shall be The Kettering University Lacrosse Club.

Section 2: The purpose of the club shall be to:

a) Teach members the rules and theories of lacrosse.

b) Provide nets and a playing field for the members.

c) Provide stress relief and relaxation through exercise.

Article II: Membership

Section 1: To be a member in good standing, a person must:

a) Attend a meeting to sign any necessary paperwork, including any disclaimers in effect at that time.

b) Make an attempt to attend at least half of all practices and games.

Article III: Officers and their Respective Duties

Section 1: There will be three officer positions known as: Coach, Assistant Coach, and Team Coordinator. Their responsibilities will be:

a) Teach the players the rules of the game.

b) Train the players.

c) Fill out all the necessary paperwork.

d) Make sure that all players have been properly signed up.

e) Arrange practice times and game times, and record attendance.

f) Investigate necessary procedures to join local intramural leagues and then take the steps to become a member.

g) Maintain the Lacrosse Club's equipment and requisition new equipment as needed by the club.
h) Act as a mediator between Kettering University, Student Activities Counsel, Operations Counsel and the club.

i) Attend any meetings required of the officers to keep the club in good standing with Kettering University and Student Activities Counsel and represent the club at required functions.

j) Handle all promotions of the club.

k) Handle any unforeseen duties that are not listed in this document, but that are necessary for the enhancement or continuance of the club.

Article IV: Election and Removal of Officers

Section 1: Date of Election: New officers will be nominated at the first regularly scheduled meeting of ninth week and elections will be held at the first regularly scheduled meeting of tenth week. Elections will be held once a year for each section.

Section 2: Assumption: New officers will assume office at the first scheduled meeting of eleventh week.

Section 3: Nomination: Any current member in good standing is eligible for nomination. Nomination is by volunteering of a member and the member confirming that they are willing to run. If no new nominations are entered for one or all of the positions, the current officer(s) will retain their positions.

Section 4: Voting process: Voting shall be by a show of hands with the members who are present. Any officer may vote, but only in the election of the other officers, or in the event of a tie for their current position.

Section 5: Officer removal: An officer may be removed by joint consent of the other officers and a majority of the members who are present; or by the joint consent of the other two officers and the faculty advisor. In the event that one or all of the officers are not meeting the responsibilities of their position(s), the team members may (with the approval of the faculty advisor) force the officers to resign and elect new officers who will have the positions until the next scheduled election.

Section 6: Replacement: Upon resignation or removal of one or all of the officers, the members will appoint replacements for the duration of each position and election will continue as normal. Replacement officers are agreed upon only after replacements have agreed, by majority vote of the members who are present and/or faculty advisor.
Article V: Meetings and Practices

Section 1: The club will meet three times weekly, this is depending on the schedules of the members and officers. The days and times of these meetings will be determined by the officers and by the majority of the members.

Section 2: Meetings will consist of a warm up, stick skill practice and running. These meetings will end with announcements, the purpose of which will be to inform players of any new details that will need to be brought to their attention.

Section 3: The officers will hold the meetings of the club. In the unlikely event that none of these officers can be present for a meeting, the members of the club may feel free to conduct a practice on their own depending on support of club members.

Article VI: Amendment

Section 1: Amendments may be added to the constitution by agreement of the officers of the club and a simple majority of the club members present at the time the amendment is to be decided upon.
ARTICLE 1 Name and Purpose

Section 1: The name of said organization shall be the Kettering University Lacrosse Club.

Section 2: The purpose of the Lacrosse Club is:

1. To promote the game of lacrosse to Kettering University.

2. To provide the opportunity of learning and playing the game of lacrosse to Kettering students.

ARTICLE 2 Membership

Section 1: All students and faculty at Kettering University are eligible to join the Lacrosse Club.

ARTICLE 3 Officer Council

Section 1: The officer council shall consist of three positions according to ARTICLES.

Section 2: The officers shall be President, Vice President, and Treasurer.

Section 3: All members should be eligible to hold these offices.

Section 4: All officers shall be elected according to ARTICLE 5.

Section 5: Officers are in office until said officer chooses to step down, is voted out, or graduates.

Section 6: In the event that any officer is found incompetent and/or not able to perform the duties of said officer, they can be voted out by a majority vote of the members of the club.

Section 7: If any officer fails to return to school after a work section, they will be replaced by an election held in the first week of practice.
ARTICLE 4–DUTIES OF THE OFFICERS

Section 1: President
A. Communicate with administration.
B. Reserve practice and game locations
C. Oversee tasks of other council members and lacrosse membership.
D. Prepare and coordinate the lacrosse season and schedule
E. Maintain membership roster.

Section 2: Vice President
Assist President in each one of his/her duties

Section 2: Treasurer
A. Oversee all financial transactions.
B. Submit semester budgets on time.
C. Represent the club at needed Finance Council meetings and Battle of the Bucks meetings.
D. Facilitate and get reimbursements for equipment.

ARTICLE 5 Election of Officers

Section 1: Nominations and elections for officers will be taken Second Week of a semester or as they are needed.

Section 2: If more than one person is nominated for an office, each candidate will have three (3) minutes to speak on why they should be elected for said office.

Section 3: The candidate with simple majority vote shall immediately take over responsibility for said office.

ARTICLE 6 Quorum

Section 1: At least 1/3 of the membership roster shall be present in order to conduct voting business.
ARTICLE 7 - Amendments

Section 1: Amendments to the constitution must be submitted by 9th week. Section
2: Amendments to the constitution will be considered and voted on in the
first meeting of 10th week.

Section 3: Amendments will be adopted with a 2/3 majority vote of the
membership body.

ARTICLE 8 - Event Locations

Section 1: Practices will be held at the Beach.

Section 2: Games will be played at appropriate locations.

ARTICLE 9 - Capital (Equipment)

Section 1: All Lacrosse Equipment property to Kettering University will be kept
in the Recreational Center.

Section 2: Lacrosse goals can be accessed by any member in the club

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