

OLA Minor Box Supplemental Discipline Policy – Team Penalty Minute Totals

In Paperweight, Tyke, Novice and Pee Wee divisions of minor box lacrosse, any team who receives twenty-six (26) or more penalty minutes in an OLA-sanctioned game (including exhibition, zone/league, tournament or provincial championships) will be issued a one game suspension to be served by the team's head coach in his/her next scheduled game. Any penalties assessed to the head coach in that game resulting in supplemental discipline will accumulate according to the OLA's Suspension Guidelines.

In Bantam, Midget and Intermediate divisions of minor box lacrosse, any team who receives thirty-six (36) or more penalty minutes in an OLA-sanctioned game (including exhibition, zone/league, tournament or provincial championships) will be issued a one game suspension to be served by the team's head coach in his/her next scheduled game. Any penalties assessed to the head coach in that game resulting in supplemental discipline will accumulate according to the OLA's Suspension Guidelines.

Penalties will be totalled by the referees following the conclusion of the game, where a game misconduct for penalty minutes (GM-PM) will be recorded on the front of the game sheet if 26 or 36 penalty minute limits are exceeded. For the purpose of this supplemental discipline policy, all minor, bench minor, and/or major penalties assessed, regardless of whether or not the penalty is cancelled by the scoring of a goal or a penalty shot is awarded, will count toward the total number of penalty minutes. **Misconduct, game misconduct, gross misconduct and/or match penalties will count toward the penalty total only when they are assessed as the result of unsportsmanlike conduct that is directed toward the officials.**

Example 1:

HOME PENALTIES					
PER	#	MIN	CODE	START	ON
1	32	5	HS	6:50	
1	32	10	GM 50	6:50	

The five minute major penalty portion of this high-sticking penalty will count as five minutes toward the total number of penalty minutes, but the GM50 will not count because it is not assessed as a result of unsportsmanlike conduct directed toward the officials. **Total penalty count: 5 minutes.**

Example 2:

HOME PENALTIES					
PER	#	MIN	CODE	START	ON
1	32	2	USC	6:50	
1	32	10	MISC 28	6:50	
1	32	10	GM 28	6:50	

The minor, misconduct and game misconduct penalty will count as twenty-two minutes toward the total number of penalty minutes because all three penalties are assessed as a result of unsportsmanlike conduct directed toward the officials. **Total penalty count: 22 minutes.**