

**Face offs:** The face off official is to instruct the face off players at the first several face-offs of how he expects the players to position themselves and their equipment as shown in the recent NCAA films, the face off official is to assume his position and be motionless when he blows the whistle to start the play. He should also vary his position from play to play so as to be unpredictable. The two officials on the wing area lines are to assume their positions so as to be able to support the face off official as well as to cover the restraining lines and the goal line before the whistle is blown to start the play they too are to be motionless. Any movement by an official on the face off play could cause a player to move and that is what we want to avoid. **Stick Checks:** Officials are to conduct a minimum of six (6) random stick checks during the course of each game. Officials are requested to vary the times during games when they decide to conduct stick checks, again to avoid being predictable. **Films:** Officials may request from a team a film of a game they have officiated in which that team played. Officials are to avoid any attempt made to have you watch a film of a team whose game you are going to officiate in the future. If you receive such a request or a film, return the film unopened and report it to me. **Unsportsman Like Conduct:** A major point of emphasis in 2009, penalize it and report it we want to set ourselves aside from other sports in this respect. You have done and are doing a fabulous job in dealing with all the things heretofore we've asked of you, such as: eliminating individual celebrations, unacceptable language, stick checks, multiple counts all over the field, professionalism and conditioning so lets take it to the next step, it is expected of us and we have the full backing of the USILA and the NCAA, thanks for a few minutes of your attention and enjoy the 2009 season.

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