



Six Nations Jr B Rebels Lacrosse Association

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REBELS MOVE TO ILA FOR 2011

The 3-Time Founders Cup Champion, Six Nations Rebels will be moving from the Gaylord Powless Arena (GPA) to play all of the 2011 lacrosse season at the Iroquois Lacrosse Association (ILA).

The Rebels executive noted there was a need for the growing crowds to attend the Rebels games in comfort and safety. The GPA is a terrific lacrosse facility, unfortunately during the 2010 playoff run the Rebels crowds were over flowing which forced some to sit on the aisles during the games. During the Conference Finals against the Elora Mohawks, the Rebels drew 3,047 fans to the 3 home games of the series which capped off with 1,227 attending game 5 of the series.

The GPA has limited seating capacity of fewer than 1,000 while the ILA has seating capacity of over 3,000. The ILA floor size has been made special for all the young athletes who aspirations of playing in the National Lacrosse League. The floor is 200 feet in length by 85 feet in width which is the same as the Air Canada Center. The seamless glass makes for the better viewing pleasure for the fans.

The ILA floor is like playing in the NLL, as the ILA uses a turf surface just like the NLL arenas. This makes the kids feel like professionals, which they very well may be in the future.

The air-conditioned ILA also has additional amenities such as a banquet hall, Bow Hunter Variety and the Powless Lacrosse Store for the lacrosse fans to check out during pre-game and intermissions.

Come out to support the 2011 Rebels at the beautiful ILA. The Rebels will host the Jr B Spring Showcase on Saturday, March 26th at the ILA. While the Rebels regular season runs from mid-April to late June followed by OLA Jr B Playoffs. The 2011 Founders Cup tournament is to be held in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan.

The ILA (905-768-3999) is located at 3201 Second Line, Six Nations of the Grand River Territory.

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