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South Coast Lacrosse Association Partners with Major League Lacrosse *MLL Championship Game Hosted in the SCLA Community*

CHARLESTON, S.C., (August 15, 2018) – The South Coast Lacrosse Association, SCLA, announces their partnership with Major League Lacrosse for the MLL Championship Game in Charleston on Saturday, August 18th. It is the first time the MLL is playing its championship game in the region. The nationally televised event will be within three miles of the SCLA Lacrosse Park on Daniel Island. The park will be the first official home for the sport in the state.

“Lacrosse is a great sport, and it’s growing in South Carolina,” said Greg Taylor, president of SCLA Board of Directors. “Giving Charleston youth the chance to play lacrosse, be fit, and learn the values of teamwork and competition is our priority; and nothing validates our mission more than the MLL selecting Charleston as the host city for their championship game.”

MLL is the premier professional outdoor lacrosse league that was founded in 2001 to support the growing demand for world-class lacrosse. With nine professional teams across the United States, the MLL aligns with SCLA to support the continued growth of the sport with youth programs. During the MLL Championship weekend, the MLL Championship Lax Rodeo, a youth tournament, will take place for local players to participate in the weekend’s activities.

“Having interacted with SCLA in the weeks leading up to the Championship Game, their passion for growing lacrosse in the Charleston area is very apparent. We are excited to have them taking part in the game to showcase the work they are doing in the Lowcountry,” said Bill Beach, manager of MLL.

SCLA is a non-profit dedicated to building a home for lacrosse that promotes the sport, fitness and teamwork in the Lowcountry community.

“With one field 75% complete and plans to complete four more, the SCLA Lacrosse Park on Daniel Island is becoming a reality,” states Taylor. “The success of SCLA, the park and the continued growth of the sport in the south coast is a testament to our community’s dedication to lacrosse.”

The MLL Championship game will take place at MUSC Health Stadium on Daniel Island, S.C. at 7 p.m. on Saturday, August 18th, [tickets now available](#).

About SCLA

SCLA, South Coast Lacrosse Association, is a non-profit organization formed in 2017. The SCLA is dedicated to building a home for lacrosse that promotes the sport, fitness and teamwork in the Lowcountry community. Located on Daniel Island, S.C., the [SCLA Lacrosse Park](#) will be a home for lacrosse with five dedicated fields.

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