Recap - 9th Annual Bull City All-Star Games

The 9th annual, "Bull City All-Star Games ~ Cullen Classic for Cancer" were held on Wednesday, Jun 4, 2025 in iconic Koskinen Stadium at Duke University. The games featured 115 of the top seniors in North Carolina from 65 different high school lacrosse programs.

This year's event attracted over 750 people - fans, parents, players, and organizers -and raised \$20,000 for the Duke Cancer Institute and the NCHSAA Tony Cullen Memorial Scholarship Fund. To date, the "Cullen Classic" has donated over \$101,000 for these two great causes.

Organized by local high school coaches and Duke Lacrosse Alumni, the Bull City All-Star Games showcase the talents of the top male and female senior lacrosse players from across the state. The event not only provides recognition for these top players, but also serves as a dynamic way to honor the contributions Tony Cullen made to the sport of lacrosse: first as a player and a coach at Duke; then as an NCAA official. Tony impacted the trajectory of lacrosse in North Carolina for 25 years, before he lost his battle with cancer in 2002.

The Bull City All-Star Staff would like to thank all the coaches, players, parents, officials, sponsors, volunteers, the Duke Lacrosse Gray Devil Alumni, and the Duke Athletic Staff, who made this years' event our biggest yet.

<u>Highlight Video Links</u>

Women's Game: TBD Men's Game: TBD

WOMEN'S Game

1st: Blue 7-3

Half: Blue 11-7

3rd: Tied 14-14

Final: Blue 17-16

Blue Team

GOALS: Wright 4, Dennen 3, Johnson 3, Mullahy 3, Apple 2, Sarmiere, and Volitis

ASSISTS: Mullahy 3, Apple, Dennen, Johnson, Suire and Volitis

White Team

GOALS: Beale 2, Cossar 2, Grimes 2, McGrath 2, Morgan 2, Brooks, Gallagher, Lail, Milligan, Tibbet, and Westbrook

ASSISTS: Cossar 2, Westbrook 2, Brooks, Ellis, Hill, and Milligan

Offensive MVP: Lexi Mullay – Midfield – Cardinal Gibbons

Defensive MVP: Allyson Gouviea – Goalie – Millbrook

MEN's Game

1st: Blue 6-3

Half: White 9-8

3rd: Tied 11-11

Final: White 14-13

Blue Team

GOALS: Friend 3, Saums 3, Carberry, Conly, DeGeorge. Evenhouse, Lindsay, Moore, and Shields *ASSISTS:* Conly 4, Schulz 2, Evenhouse, and Lindsay

White Team

GOALS: Kerner 3, Konowitz 2, Roth 2, Exely, Habeeb, Leighton, Robinson, Trent, and Van Kula *ASSISTS*: Elko, Galloway, Openshaw, Robinson, and Roth

Offensive MVP: Justin Conly – Attack – Cardinal Gibbons

Defensive MVP: Wesley Little – Goalie - Pinecrest