



Texas Play Hard Supports our Soldiers!

First Lieutenant Chrysa Gumbs, U.S. Army

1LT Chrysa Gumbs is currently serving a year tour in Iraq. She is a Field Artillery Officer stationed at Fort Sill, OK. The coaching staff and lacrosse players of TPH support the sacrifices she makes everyday for our country.

1LT Gumbs hails from Suffern, NY and has played lacrosse throughout the United States and England. She achieved US Lacrosse Academic All American honors in 2003 and is an original member of Mary Lynne Mckee's prestigious Metro Lacrosse Club, now known as the Metro Magic.

While attending college at the University of North Carolina at Wilmington (UNCW), 1LT Gumbs helped establish lacrosse in the community as a middle school coach and official. She also served a year stint as the President of UNCW Women's Lacrosse Club and Secretary of the Carolina Women's Lacrosse League. In 2007, 1LT Gumbs officiated the first ever state sanctioned high school play-off game in Wilmington, NC and was named the Southeastern (NC) Women's Lacrosse Officials' Association Official of the Year.

When back on base at Fort Sill, she officiates wherever she can find a game and appears a guest player on the Red Socks, TPH's post-collegiate team. Her immediate goal is to find a buddy who also brought a lacrosse stick to Iraq so together they can share the sport with the Middle East. She can be reached by email at gotcommo24@yahoo.com

We wish her and her fellow Soldiers a successful tour of duty and a safe return home in June 2010!