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The Maryland Exiles U19s defeated Anne Arundel County Youth Rugby 47-5 Sunday at the home pitch of Severn River Rugby in Severna Park, Md.

The action was fast and hard-hitting when it got going, but referee Mike O'Brien was forced to stop the game frequently for scrus and little educational briefings as this is still early days in the region.

It was AACo's first outing this spring and with only a few players having rugby experience, they were at a disadvantage from the outset against a more seasoned Exiles squad.

"I have been playing since the 7th grade," said senior prop Sean Custead. "I will miss being with this team next year, but I will be playing somewhere."

Due to the unseasoned nature of most of the young players, the match was filled with turnovers and penalties, most in contact or the breakdown.

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