

FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE 2023 INFORMATION



Games Information

- Games take place on the weekends every hour on the hour at Robbins Park in Hinsdale
- Each team is guaranteed 7 games (1 per weekend)
- Playoffs are for 3rd-8th grade
- Games begin September 9/10 and end late October
- The season can be extended 2-3 weeks due to rainouts
- Games will be played on Columbus Day weekend
- Game Schedules will be released on August 25th
 - www.quickscores.com/thecommunityhouse
- **Saturdays**
 - Divisions: 1st/2nd and 3rd/4th
 - Game Time: Anytime between 9:00am-4:00pm
- **Sundays**
 - Divisions: 5th/6th and 7th/8th
 - Game Time: Anytime between 9:00am-4:00pm



Practice Information

- Volunteer Coaches choose practice time/location
- 2 practices per week until first weekend of games
- 1 practice per week after first weekend of games
- Coaches will receive rosters and notify teams of practices by the last weekend in August
- Earliest practices can begin is August 25th



Equipment

- All players receive a league jersey
- Teams receive a set of flag belts/footballs
- Mouth guard is required
- Rubber molded cleats are recommended
- No shorts with zippers/pockets
- Championship teams get receive trophies
- 1st/2nd grade receive medals

VOLUNTEER COACHES NEEDED!

- Volunteer coaches are needed at all grade levels
- 3 coaches per team max
- Coaches kids are guaranteed on their roster and some other kids from their school
- Coaches choose the practice time/location
- Having a coach from your child's school gives us the best ability to keep kids from the same school together
- The Coaches' Meeting will be on Tuesday, 8/22 at 6:00pm at The Community House

Interested in coaching or want more info, email jquarino@thecommunityhouse.org



Important League Dates

- July 31 - Price increase
- August 22 - Coaches meeting 6:00pm
- August 25 - Teams online by 8pm
- August 25 - Game schedules online by 8pm
- August 25 - Earliest Practice can begin
- September 7 - Last day for refunds
- September 9/10 - Week 1 of games
- September 15 - last day for late registrations
- September 23/24 - Picture Day
- Late October- End of season

TEAM FORMATION

While we encourage a competitive spirit in all players and coaches, all league decisions are made with the best interest of the majority of children involved. We know we cannot place each child with their best friend, so we do not accept team placement requests. We do make every attempt to place children on a team with at least some of their schoolmates. **The Recreation Supervisor will be responsible for selecting all teams and all final team placement decisions.**

Teams will be constructed using the following criteria:

What school they attend

-Grade level (to have equal numbers of each grade on all teams) --> 1st/2nd, 3rd/4th, 5th/6th, 7th/8th

of years in the league

You can also view all league information at www.thecommunityhouse.org/flagfootball

All information is subject to change

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