



Welcome Letter 2024 Fairfax Police Youth Club (FPYC) Flag Football



Dear Parents and Guardians:

FPYC Football welcomes you to the 2024 Spring Flag Football season. It is a pleasure to have you and your athlete as part of the program. The most important thing is that every athlete has fun and feels that they are a valued member of the team.

FPYC is a 501c3, non-profit organization that has served Fairfax families since 1963. As our program is all volunteer based, your support is what makes it a success. We welcome all parents to volunteer and assist as needed. Your children will really enjoy seeing mom and dad helping! **Also, we need more coaches.** If you are interested, please let us know.

The season kicks off with assessments, followed by team drafts, practices, and games.

March 10th – Player Assessments - Assessments evaluate a player's ability. The grade assessed will allow coaches to draft teams as equally as possible. Assessments are conducted combine style consisting of agility, running, catching and throwing drills. Players who cannot attend assessments will be entered into a blind draft and selected to a team using a lottery drawing method. If you have multiple children, they can assess at the designated time for the youngest child. All others please arrive at your scheduled time below. The assessment process takes about 20 minutes per player. Athletes should wear athletic attire.

Assessment Schedule:

8U Division	10U Division	12U Division	15U Division
1:00pm	1:45pm	2:30pm	3:15pm

- *Location: Fairfax High School, Stadium Field, 3501 Lion Run, Fairfax, VA*

March 13th - Team Drafts - The draft is for coaches only. Teams will be announced the day after the draft. Teams are co-ed, age based and formed using a draft process after assessments.

March 15th – Team Store – After the draft we will open our online team store. Show your spirit by purchasing shirts, shorts, and other items in the same color as your child's team.

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April 7th – June 9th – Games – Games will be played at Stafford Drive Park (April 7 – May 5) and Fairfax High School (May 19 – 9 June). The schedule will indicate the specific location.

Game Days:

April	May	June
April 7 th	May 5 th	June 2 nd (Playoffs)
April 14 th	May 19 th (Double Header)	June 9 th (Playoffs – Championships)
April 21 st		
April 28 th		

- *The schedule is subject to additional doubleheader games as needed.*
- No games or practices on Sunday mornings, Spring Break, Easter, *Mother's Day, and Memorial Day weekends. ***Note: *Rain make up games could be scheduled during the weekday or as a last resort on Mother's Day.***

Practice - Once the season starts, practices are 1 hour before games. Prior to the season, we will set aside dates/times for teams to practice. The head coach will select dates/times after teams are established and will notify parents.

Uniforms - Each player will be issued a game shirt but will need to provide their own **solid black or dark shorts with no pockets and no stripes. Mouthpieces are required.** Cleats are optional, but highly recommended. Cleats should be plastic or rubber - **no metal cleats are permitted.** Our online team store will open March 15th. You may purchase FPYC Flag Football logo shorts and other gear. You will receive a separate email with instructions. Game shirts will be issued April 6th.

Schedule and Standings

The schedule will be published April 1st. The standings and other key information will be posted to the FPYC Football website.

Visit our website for additional details at <http://www.fpycsports.com/sports/football>

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