

## Games begin May 24 at Blackwell Park

Recreational flag football for boys and girls ages 4 – 14.

Division determined by age on 4/30/25. Must be 4 by 1/31/25.

The season consists of six games played on Saturday mornings.

U11-U14 will play in a single elimination tournament.

Divisions offered: Co-Ed U8 | \$75 Co-Ed U11 | \$75 Co-Ed U14 | \$75 Save \$10 if you register by April 4, 5pm

Registration: March 3 – April 11 5pm | Refund Deadline: April 11, 5pm

To register, scan or visit: cbusinparks.com/flagfootball



# Flag Football FACTS

### **Dates to Remember**

April 4	\$10 discount ENDS	
April 11	Registration Ends at 5pm (Refund Deadline)	
April 23	Coaches Meeting (Virtual at 6pm)	
May 9	You should hear from your coach	
May 24	First Game & Picture Day	
June 28	Last game (awards & equipment return)	

# What division will my child be in?

The aging date that we will use is 4/30/2025. Must be 4 by 1/31/2025. Your child's age on that day will determine their division.

#### Division Division Manager E-Mail:

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#### **Referee Orientation**

If you are 14 years of age or older and would like to referee Parks & Recreation flag football you must attend an orientation. Upcoming orientation date is May 10. Email clollar@columbus.in.gov by May 9, 5pm if you are interested.

#### **Volunteer Coaching**

Flag Football is newer program and we would love your help making it a success! As this program grows we hope that the interest in volunteering grows with it. Please consider coaching a team (training available)!

If you express interest in coaching when registering your child, a division manager may contact you through the email or phone number you have on file with the Parks & Recreation Department.

#### **Background Check & Code of Conduct**

In a continuing effort to provide a pleasant environment for youth to learn as well as reduce the potential for abuse of children in its programs, the Parks and Recreation Department will continue to enforce the Code of Conduct adopted in 2004 and require

background checks for all department employees and volunteer coaches. Both the Background Check Policy and the Code of Conduct are available on our website--

www.columbusparksandrec.com.

All parents must read the Code of Conduct!!!

#### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### • How long is the season?

There are six games beginning on May 24 and ending June 28.

#### · Where are games played?

Games are played on Saturday mornings at 9 or 10am at Blackwell Park.

#### What about practices?

Teams will be scheduled for 1-2 practices a week. The coach will determine the day/time and contact you with information.

#### · What about gear?

Parks and Recreation will give each player a shirt and flag belt. All players must provide their own shorts/sweat pants. Mouth guards and cleats are optional and are the player's responsibility.

#### Game Make-up Times?

Make up games will be played the next day (Sunday) starting at 1 pm. Check the **Remind app** or visit our main Parks website for more information.