

Football Practice Information and Rules

Information

- All practices will be held at the Peotone Junior High School.
- Practice begins Monday, July 27th, 2009 at 6:00PM, sharp, and ends at 8:00PM.
 - Note: Practice Times May Change If Mandated By The Team Head Coach.
- Practice will then be held 5 days per week until the school session resumes.
- Football equipment will be dispersed prior to the first week of practice if all fees and registration materials are turned in. One parent must be present at equipment handout.
 - All outstanding sign-up monies are due by the Parent meeting. If any monies or registration materials are outstanding, then your child will **NOT** receive their equipment.
 - Equipment is expected to be kept in **TOP** condition and is to be returned in the same manner that it is issued in.
- After school resumes, practices will be held three days a week.
 - Practice changes will be at the discretion of the Athletic Director, Cheer Director and/or Board Approval.
 - Practice times may also vary to adjust for conflicting school activities, daylight savings, or other factors. Again, this will be at the discretion of the Athletic Director, Cheer Director and/or Board Approval.
 - *In the event of severe weather all practice cancellations will be called at the practice field!*
- Appropriate practice attire entails:
 - Prior to equipment issue:
 - Sweat pants – NO JEANS
 - T-shirt
 - Tennis shoes or molded football spikes
 - NO earrings, jewelry or game attire should be worn to practice.
 - Following equipment issue:
 - Full equipment attire as issued by the league.
 - Football spikes (Molded Only). The league does NOT issue football spikes. Players are expected to retain their own spikes. Please purchase or retain **BLACK MOLDED** spikes in order to maintain a uniform team look.
 - Appropriate under garments given current weather conditions.

Rules

- Attendance at practice is considered **MANDATORY**.
- The Head or Assistant Coaches are to be contacted one (1) hour prior to the start of practice if the player is unable to attend.
- Attendance disciplinary guidelines will be in effect starting August 3, 2009.
- Two unexcused absences will jeopardize and/or limit the players field time for the following game.
- Unexcused absences will not be tolerated and could jeopardize and/or limit the player's field time.
- Habitual tardiness and absences will also be tracked and will count toward unexcused absences. Consequences for habitual tardiness and absences may result in disciplinary action.
- Football equipment, as issued, must be worn to each practice. Players may not wear their game apparel to practice. Failure to report to practice in proper equipment and attire will result in one unexcused absence.

Refund Policy

****Peotone Youth Football and Cheerleading Program has a NO REFUND POLICY.****

*****Make sure your Child really wants to participate. Football is a physically and mentally demanding sport, and is not for every child.***