

# Peotone Blue Demons Newsletter, September 17, 2008

☎ **Frankfort Square Game, Sunday, September 21** - Sunday's game is at Frankfort Square. The start times for this game are later than normal due to their Homecoming. The Super Pee-Wee game will begin at 2:00pm, 3:30pm for the Pee Wee team, 5:00pm for the Widget and 6:30pm for the Junior Varsity team. The game will be held at the new Lincoln-Way North High School at 19900 S. Harlem Avenue in Frankfort, Illinois 60423. There will be fireworks after the last game. From Peotone take I-57 North to Lincoln Highway. Go West on Lincoln Highway until you reach Harlem Ave, and turn right on Harlem until you arrive at Lincoln-Way North High School. Plan to be at your player's game at least an hour before the game, or follow your respective coaches' times. There are restrictions for this game though. Please be sure to adhere to the following: There is no Gatorade or other sports drink allowed on the field. **Water only!** There will be no fruit or half time snacks allowed on the turf or track areas. Finally there is no smoking allowed on any school grounds, including alcohol as well.

☎ **Volunteers** – Volunteers are still needed for concessions, chains, running the clock, videotaping, setup and takedown. All parents must sign –in at the concession stand during home games to receive credit for their time and to receive their volunteer check back. Our program is volunteer-based and we *need* your help. If you would have not signed up to work, please contact Tricia O'Halloran at 708-473-8583.

☎ **Parent / Player Conduct** – All participants and parents signed the Code of Conduct sheets at registration. Please remember that this is a volunteer based youth organization. Every person involved with our program is donating their time for our children. We would like to remind everyone to be patient with any coaches, board members, and team moms. If there are any comments or concerns, ask yourself if it is an appropriate time to approach the coach. For example, any issues that occur during the games or practices should be discussed with the coach or a board member after the game or practice not during. The coaches are not able to discuss any issue when they are in the middle of the game and parents are not allowed on the football field. Parents please remind your children that they are also bound to the code of conduct as well. Players need to be sure that they do not take away from another player's experience as well. Failure to follow the Code of Conduct may result in removal from our program. If there are any questions regarding the code of conduct or for any other issues please contact any of the board members or attend a board meeting. [Click here](#) to read the player/parent code of conduct form that was signed by every family at registration.

☎ **Practice Cancellations** – In the event of inclement weather *all practices will be cancelled at the field!*

☞ **Weigh-Ins** - Thanks for all the parents who brought their children to the rainy weigh-ins with their original birth certificates. If anyone is missing anything please contact Kathy Valiska at 708-258-3755.

☞ **Equipment** – If you have any equipment issues, please contact Steve Schabacker at 708-522-6556.

☞ **Homecoming Week** – Homecoming week is October 5-11, 2008. Each team will be responsible for decorating a float for the HS homecoming parade. There will be a dance as well. If anyone is interested in helping with running these events, please contact Tricia O'Halloran or Kathy Valiska.

☞ **For any other information please visit our website at:**  
[www.peotonebluedemons.com](http://www.peotonebluedemons.com).