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# YOUTH FLAG FOOTBALL FAQ

## Asheville YMCA – Fall 2018

### AGES 6+

- Early Registration** (begins June 18)
- Regular Registration** (begins July 2)
- Late Registration** (begins Aug. 8)

\$71 Members	\$94 Non-members
\$76 Members	\$98 Non-members
\$91 Members	\$113 Non-members

Financial assistance is available.

**How do I register?** Register online at [ymcawnc.org](http://ymcawnc.org) or at the front desk of any of our YMCA locations. (Just make sure you specify the Asheville YMCA!)

**What are the age groups?** Ages 7–8, 9–11, 12–14 (subject to change based on enrollment)

**Can my child play in a different age group?** Please contact athletics manager for approval.

**When is the last day I can register?** Registration runs until program is filled.

**What do I need?** Required: mouth guard/water bottle/closed-toe athletic shoes/smile; recommended: cleats

**What will my child get?** Shirt uniform

**What will the Y provide?** Flag belts, footballs, and all practice equipment

**What if I want to volunteer but I don't know anything about flag football?** You can be a coach or an assistant coach and help with drills. You can also be a team parent and help with communication. We have lots of resources and personal experience to share with the first-time volunteer!

**How are teams made?** Teams will be made based on age/height/gender/playing experience/last season's performance/coach availability/practice time availability. We'll honor as many requests as we can, but can't make guarantees. If a request isn't honored, we'll try to work with the family to come up with a solution that fits both their needs and the fairness of the program.

**When will I receive team communication?** By Friday, Aug. 31 (find out team, first practice day/time). If you haven't heard by this day, please call or email the athletics manager.

**What days will flag football be held?** Practices and games will be on Saturday afternoons between 12–5 p.m.

**Where are the practices and games?**

- Woodfin Community Center, 11 Community St., Woodfin, NC 28804 **HOME FIELD**
- Biltmore Church Arden, 35 Clayton Rd., Arden, NC 28704 **AWAY FIELD**
- Patton Park, 114 E. Clairmont Dr., Hendersonville, NC 28792 (planned site) **AWAY FIELD**

**How long are the practices?** The first practice will be one hour; the remaining practices will be 30 minutes before the games on Saturdays.

**When do the practices start?** Practices will start Saturday, Sept. 8

**When will I get a game schedule?** Game schedules will be ready by Sept. 8 at the latest.

**When do games start and end?** Sept. 15–Nov. 3 (pre-season practice Sept. 8)

**Will we make up games?** Rained-out league games will be made up during a weekday.

### Asheville YMCA Contacts

- Tyler Sanford, Athletics Manager 828 210 9654 [tsanford@ymcawnc.org](mailto:tsanford@ymcawnc.org)
- Asheville Sports Weather Hotline 828 575 2907 (Please put this number in your phone!)