

**78th PRECINCT YOUTH COUNCIL FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE -
RULES**

Date: Sept 22, 2009

SELECTED RULES

PAT (VIII,2)

1 Pt – spot at 5yd line, pass only

2 Pt – spot at 12yd line, pass or run

Cannot change decision after a penalty during conversion attempt

Safety (VIII,3) – 2 Pts

Eg: ball down in end zone (flag pulled or falls, carrier falls or steps OB) or offensive penalty occurs in the end zone. A fumble is touchback, not a safety.

NOT a safety if 7 sec clock expires (loss of down at orig LOS)

Ball Carrier Not Down if only the hand touches ground for balance (X,7e)

Handoffs, shovel passes and Lateral must be behind LOS (XI,3)

No-Run Zones: Cannot run or lateral ball, can shovel pass. (XI,4)

WARNINGS (1 ONLY)

Violation	Off or Def	Rule Sec.
30 seconds to snap ball	Off	VII,2
Parent who interacts with referee	Both	IX,6
Neutral Zone	Both	X,2
Impeding Rusher	Off	XIV,5
Center snaps off ground	Off	XVI,3
Offensive/Confrontational Language	Both	XVII,2
Intentional Tackling	Def	Def Pen#8
Taunting After Scoring	Off	OffPen#10

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DEFENSIVE PENALTIES				
PEN#	VIOLATION	YDS	FROM	DOWN
1	Offsides	5	LOS	Auto 1st
2	Illegal Contact	5	LOS	Auto 1st
3	Illegal Flag Pull	5	LOS	Auto 1st
4	Illegal Rush	5	LOS	Auto 1st
5	Pass Interference	-	Spot	Auto 1st
6	Roughing Passer	10	LOS	Auto 1st
7	Stripping	5	Spot	Auto 1st
8	Tackling during Ord Play	10	Spot	Auto 1st
9	Tackling if in Clear	Automatic TD+2 Pt Conversion		
10	Taunting	10	LOS	Auto 1st
11	Unnecessary Roughness	10	Spot	Auto 1st
OFFENSIVE PENALTIES				
PEN#	VIOLATION	YDS	FROM	DOWN
1	Charging	10	Spot	Loss
2	Delay of Game	5	LOS	No Loss
3	Flag Guarding	10	Spot	Loss
4	Illegal Motion	5	LOS	No Loss
5	Illegal Forward Pass	5	LOS	Loss
6	Illegal Screening, Blocker or Running with Ball Carrier	5	Spot	Loss
7	Impeding the Rusher	10	LOS	Loss
8	Offsides	5	LOS	No Loss
9	Pass Interference	5	LOS	Loss
10	Taunting	10	LOS	Loss
11	Unnecessary Roughness	10	Spot	Loss

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