



**Port Neches Groves
Youth Football
Association**

REGISTRATION CHECK LIST

DATE:

NAME:

****Only mark once the document is received in packet****

BIRTH CERTIFICATE:

STJFL REG FORM:

PNGYFA REG FORM:

MEDICAL RELEASE:

REPORT CARD:

PHYSICAL FORM:

CODE OF ETHICS/CONDUCT:

RAFFLE TICKETS:

Helmet _____	Shoulder Pads _____
Jersey _____	Pants _____



Southeast Texas Junior Football Football/Cheerleader Application

Association: _____

Football Player _____ Cheerleader _____

Applicants Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: (As of August 1st) _____

Address: _____

Phone Number (Cell) _____ (Work) _____

(Email) _____

What school do you attend? _____

I, the parent /guardian of the above-named child, fully understanding that football is a contact sport where serious injuries may result, hereby give my consent for said child to participate in any and all Southeast Texas Junior Football League activities during the current season. I do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless any member of any team, association, league, or organization that is affiliated with this youth program for any claim resulting from an injury to my child. Initial: _____

I hereby authorize any local hospital, doctor, or other licensed medical practitioner, as well as Emergency Medical Treatment personnel, to take what they feel are the correct procedures as an aid to my child's health and well-being, in my absence. Initial: _____

If STJFL or the STJFL Ethics Committee subsequently finds that the information submitted as acceptable documentation regarding school enrollment/attendance now shows that the previously submitted information/documentation was falsified, misrepresented or insufficient, then STJFL reserves the right to impose sanctions and/or penalties on all appropriate parties, including but not limited to players, coaches, league officials, and/or the league which could result in suspension and/or terminations with STJFL. Initial: _____

Parent's/Guardian's Signature

Date

STJFL Parent's Code of Conduct

Parental Guidelines

1. Will not contact coaching staff directly regarding child participation.
2. Address all athletic concerns to a board member from your association.
3. Parents are not allowed on the practice field during practice. Association approves all coaches to coach your child. Let the coaches do their job.
4. Parents are not allowed on the sidelines during games at anytime. The STJFL must certify all volunteers that will be on the sidelines. If you want to be on the sidelines, become a volunteer and submit an application for approval.
5. Do not coach your child while they are being coached. This can be confusing to the player and disrupt the team. Refrain from scolding your child on our time. The coaches will address the situation when appropriate.
6. Players that are injured and are under a doctor's care will not be allowed returned to practice or game until the player has a doctor release. The release must be dated and turned into the head coach or a board member from your association. **NOTE:** All players must have 10 hours of full contact practice before they are eligible to play in game.
7. Do not strike, harm or abuse a player, cheerleader, coach, advisor or member of this association, the STJFL, or the opposing team. Fighting or abusive language is NOT tolerated.
8. Show appropriate conduct at all Association events. STJFL has a strict conduct policy. Any violation of the code of conduct could lead to probation, suspension, or lifetime ban from the league. STJFL can escalate any punishment set by the association. If any parent or coach is ejected from a game they could be fine up to \$500 and may be suspended for remainder of the year or longer.
9. Be responsible for your child before and after scheduled practice times. Please be respectful of the volunteers' time.
10. Contact the coach if your child will be absent from game or practice.
11. Do not alter uniforms in any way unless given permission by your coach or a board member from your association.
12. Do not criticize the opposing team, its coaches or fans, by word of mouth or gesture.
13. Do not criticize coaches, players, or cheerleaders, reserve constructive criticism for a private meeting.
14. Parents should encourage their children to stay with their assigned team/cheer squad during STJFL activities and games for their own safety. If they cannot stay with their team, you will be asked to take your child and not participate for the remainder of the game or function.

This form must be signed and on file before your child can participate and it must be signed by the parent(s) or guardian(s) who will be responsible for the child throughout the football season.

Parents Signature _____ Date _____

Players Name _____

**PORT NECHES GROVES
YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
MEDICAL RELEASE**

NAME OF PLAYER _____ GRADE _____
MOTHER'S NAME _____ MAIN NUMBER _____
FATHER'S NAME _____ MAIN NUMBER _____

STATEMENT OF CONSENT & WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I give permission for the above named child to participate in the tackle football program offered by Port Neches Groves Youth Football Association. I understand that football participation involves risk and possible injury. I hereby waive, indemnify from, release and forever discharge Port Neches Groves Youth Football Association and its coaches from any and all claims for the damage resulting from football participation.

APPOINTMENT OF AGENT: I hereby appoint the coaching staff of Port Neches Groves Youth Football Association as my agent and representative for the purpose of authorizing and consenting emergency medical treatment and/or hospital care of the above named child for illness or injury that may occur while such child is in the care of or custody of the agent while I am away or not immediately available to give such consent.

ACCEPTANCE OF TERMS: I guarantee the full and complete cost of the fees pursuant to terms stated. I have been notified that my child must attend the mandatory weigh-in to participate. I agree that all information that I have given is true to the best of my knowledge. I agree with all the terms presented on this registration form. PNGYFA requires a current physical from all players. It is the parent's responsibility to make sure the player is physically capable of participation in our program and has received his/her physical prior to the start of practice.

RELEASE OF CLAIMS FOR PERSONAL INJURY AND PROPERTY DAMAGE: In consideration of granting my child permission to participate in the Port Neches Groves Youth Football Association, I, the undersigned parent or guardian of said child, hereby consent to such participation and specifically agree to the following terms: I hereby release and discharge PNGYFA, its agents, coaches and Board of Directors from all liability, claims, demands, actions, judgments and executions which the undersigned ever had, or has now, or may have, or claim to have against PNGYFA, its successors and/or assigns, for all personal injuries and injuries to property, know or unknown, caused by or arising out of participation in this football league, including games, team member activities incidental thereto, during the season. I hereby waive, indemnify, release and forever discharge PNGYFA, its agents, coaches and Board of Directors from any and all claims for injury, damage, medical costs and other such related costs that may result from my child's participation in this football league. I understand and am aware of the fact that by participating in the football season, I, on behalf of my child, assume certain risks of injury to my child. I am willing to assume the risks of such injury including, but not limited to any injury which may be caused by other participants or spectators. I understand and am aware that the potential risk of injury from football is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis, bodily injury, total and potential disability, and death, and while particular rules, equipment and personal discipline exist, the risk of serious injury does exist. By my signing this document and by my child's participation, I knowingly assume all such risks, both known and unknown, that may occur while a participant in this league. I agree that if any claims for my child's personal injury or wrongful death is commenced against the coaches, employees, agents, or Board of Directors of PNGYFA, I shall defend, indemnify and hold them harmless from any and all claims or causes of action by whomever or wherever made or presented for my child's personal injuries, property damages or wrongful death. I acknowledge that I have read the above paragraphs herein and have not relied upon any representation made by members of PNGYFA, that I am fully advised of the potential dangers of football and understand these waivers and releases are necessary to allow youth football leagues to exist in the present form. Significant exclusions apply to the insurance coverage held by PNGYFA, including limited or no liability coverage for certain claims of personal injury or property damage by a player. If the law renders any part of this agreement unenforceable, the remainder of this agreement shall nevertheless remain enforceable to the full extent allowed by the laws of the State of Texas. This agreement affects your legal rights and you may wish to consult an attorney concerning this agreement.

I understand that there are absolutely no refunds.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

**PORT NECHES GROVES
YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
MEDICAL EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Team Name: _____

Player Name: _____

I hereby authorize the coaching staff and agents of the Port Neches Groves Youth Football Association, PNGFYA, to use and disclose any and all of my child's individual health and medical information or other information that I have herein provided or subsequently provide in writing. This release authority applies to any information which may be governed by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (aka HIPPA), 42 USC 1320d and 45 CFR 160164.

Further, I hereby consent and authorize the coaching staff and agents of the PNGYFA to seek out and authorize the necessary hospital care and/or medical treatment for the child named herein for any illness or injury that may occur while such child is participating in, or in the care of custody of an agent of the PNGYFA. I understand that medical and other information herein or subsequently provided to the PNGYFA will be used if medical treatment and or hospital care is required and I am not immediately available to obtain said medical care or treatment or give my consent for the performance of said care or treatment. The coaching staff and agents of PNGYFA will do their best to seek care from the doctor or hospital as herein provided to me, however, I hereby authorize them to use their best judgment in obtaining expedient and proper care of my child under the circumstances.

Athlete's Name: _____

Father/Guardian: _____ Mother/Guardian: _____

Home Address: _____ Home Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Work Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Physician Name: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

Weight: _____ Height: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Current Medications: _____

Pre-Existing Medical Conditions: _____

Allergies: _____

In case of an Emergency, notify: _____ Phone: _____

If unavailable, please notify: _____ Phone: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Athlete Signature _____ Date _____

**PORT NECHES GROVES
YOUTH FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION
COACHES AND PARENTS
CODE OF EHTICS/CONDUCT
(EXHIBIT 2)**

COACHES

Coaches are defined as a volunteer who is certified by the STJFL or their local association.

MPR is included in the conduct policy.

- Do not criticize players or cheerleaders in front of spectators but reserve constructive criticism for private or in the presence of the team so all might benefit.
- Accept decisions of officials on the field as being fair and called to the best ability of the official.
- Do not criticize the opposing team, its coaches or fans, by word of mouth or gesture.
- Do not strike, harm or abuse, to include verbal abuse or threaten a player, cheerleader, coach, advisor or any opposing coach or parent.

PARENTS & FANS

- Will not contact coaching staff directly regarding child participation.
- Parents are not allowed on the practice field during practice.
- Parents are not allowed on the sidelines during games at anytime. The STJFL must certify all volunteers that will be on the sidelines. The only exception is MPR or water "boys". They will be given a temporary pass for that game.

If any parent or coach is ejected from a game, they could be fined up to \$500.00 and may be suspended or terminated.

ACTIONS

Any coach, parent or fan in violation of the STJFL code of conduct set forth by the STJFL is subject to disciplinary actions by the STJFL and/or their local association board of directors. Executive board may impose but not be limited to the following actions:

Coaches & Volunteers

- Verbal warning from the board with preventative actions set forth
- Probation- A person on probation can be involved in all team practices and games. Any violation during probation will escalate to suspension
- Suspension- Will not be allowed to participate at practice or be on the sideline during the game. Their badge will be taken until suspension is complete
- Termination of coaching position- Will be banned from participating in any volunteer capacity forever

Parents & Fans

- Verbal warning from the board with preventative actions set forth
- Probation- A person on probation can be involved in all team practices, activities and games. Any violation during probation will escalate to suspension
- Suspension- Will not be allowed to participate or be present at practices or games until suspension is complete
- Termination of coaching position- Will be banned from participating or be present at any STJFL function, i.e. games. Termination will be enforced if the person fights/throws a punch. 0 tolerance policy on fighting

Appeals may be granted, the offender must submit in writing to the STJFL board why the appeal should be granted. The letter should be specific of facts and witnesses. The STJFL board will review the letter and vote if they will schedule the appeal. The appeal could be scheduled at a regular meeting or a call a special meeting to hear the offender's case.