

Volunteers/Coaches

All Coaches are volunteers who give their time to help with the programs. While we have a few volunteers that are with us year after year, the majority of our coaches are mothers and fathers of the players and change from year to year. We rely on you, as parents, to step forward when asked to assist in any way that you are able in order to make the program a success.



All Coaches are required to complete a Coaches Application. We will have these available during the registration period. Completion of this application does not guarantee you a Coaching position.

A valid Drivers License and Social Security # are required.

Your child will be placed on your team.

The Greenwood County Parks & Recreation Department's Facilities are open to everyone, regardless of race, sex, skin color, national origin, age or physical limitations. The program is designed to give all youth residing in the area the opportunity to play in an organized and adult supervised youth program.



Physicals:

While physicals are not required, it is recommended that parents take all necessary precautions to ensure that their children are physically able to participate in the sport for which they have been registered.



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Greenwood County



Parks and Recreation

2015

Youth League

Football / Cheerleader

Registration:

July 6th — July 17th



The Registration
Fee is \$50
per participant

Football Eligibility:
Players must play within the age group in which they fall based on actual age on 09/01/2015

8U = 7 & 8 year olds
(weight limit - 120 lbs.)

10U = 9 & 10 year olds
(weight limit - 135 lbs.)

12U = 11 & 12 year olds
(weight limit - 150 lbs.)

- ◆ Each participant will be issued a game jersey. Individuals will be responsible for all other necessary equipment. (Shoulder pads, helmet, football pants with pads, football cleats, etc...)
- ◆ All Helmets MUST be NOCSAE approved.
- ◆ Players weighing over the weight limit may still play but must play the interior line and may not carry the ball in any aspect such as handoff, fumble recovery, punt return, interception, etc...)
- ◆ All football players are REQUIRED to attend the Coach's Evaluation Session on Tuesday, July 28th @ 6:00pm.

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8U —	Field D	Field C	Field A
10U —	Field E	Field A	Field B
12U —	Field B	Field B	Soccer Field

- ◆ Participants may wear shorts & T-shirt for the evaluation session but MUST have helmet and shoulder pads with them.
- ◆ PER SCHSL RULES: NO SCHOOL PLAYER MAY BE LISTED ON ANY OTHER TEAM ROSTER.
- ◆ Coaches will call with team assignment and 1st practice information prior to the first practice — Monday, August 3rd.

REGISTRATION LOCATIONS:

Greenwood: 942-8515
Register at the Civic Center Office
(located next to the tennis courts)
Mon—Fri from 8:30am until 5:30pm
Center Director: Susan Waters

Ninety Six: 543-4394
Register at the Fox Boozer Complex
Mon—Fri from 3:00pm until 5:00pm
Center Director: Brad Dorn

Ware Shoals: 456-7613
Register at the Larry Traynham Center
Mon - Fri from 3:00pm until 6:00pm
Center Director: Chuck Couch

A valid Birth Certificate, along with a signed registration form, is necessary to register.

If your child has previously participated in one of our youth sports programs, we should already have their birth certificate on file.

You register & play in the school district in which you reside.

Registration Fees are due at the time of registration.

We accept Cash or Check
(Credit Cards @ Greenwood location only)

There will be NO REFUNDS!

A \$30 fee will be charged for any returned checks

It is **VERY IMPORTANT** that we have current & working phone numbers and email addresses to share with Coaches as this will be their only means for contacting you!



The Registration
Fee is \$20
per participant

Cheerleading Eligibility:
(Age as of 09/01/15)

7U = 5, 6 & 7 yrs. old
(cheer for 8U football team)

9U = 8 & 9 yrs. Old
(cheer for 10U football team)

12U = 10, 11 & 12 yrs. Old
(cheer for 12U football team)

- ◆ Each participant will be provided with one set of pom-poms—included in registration fee.
- ◆ Squad Leaders will determine a cheer uniform and each participant will be responsible for purchasing that uniform.
- ◆ Uniforms typically cost around \$50—PLEASE be prepared to pay this money by the 1st or 2nd practice as uniforms must be ordered quickly!
- ◆ We strongly encourage participants to cheer within their age group for safety and skill level. However, we will try to accommodate requests to cheer for a brother who is playing football in a different age group.
- ◆ Any special requests MUST be made DURING REGISTRATION! Once the squads have been assigned we will be unable to move participants.
- ◆ Your Cheer Coach will contact you with your squad assignment and first practice information on or around Tuesday August 4th.