



BYF Football 2018

We look forward to another great year of Barberton Youth Football and are so happy your child is interested in joining this awesome organization! You may have heard there have been some changes made within the league, and we wanted all parents and players to be aware of what they can expect for the 2018 season.

Registration is \$125 for full contact football and \$95 for flag football. Other costs associated with football are as follows:

- \$3 convenience fee when registering online
- Cleats for the season: Usually \$25-\$50 new at a local sporting goods store (Dick's, Dunham's, etc.)
- Black pants—buy the pants with pads sewn in (for full contact squads only)

Used cleats and pants may also be purchased at Play It Again Sports for a cheaper price (\$10-\$40 typically).

To kick off the season, we will hold a mandatory parent meeting to review all the new information. This meeting will be at **Decker Park Monday July 23rd 2018.**

Our football teams will once again play in the Buckeye League, which means the squads will be organized according to grade level. Here is what you can expect according to each level:

4 years old through 1st grade—Flag football, a parent or designated adult must be present and responsible for each flag football player at practices and games

2nd grade—The “D” Squad is the youngest level of contact football and the child can be no older than age 9 before 08/01/2018

3rd/4th grade JV/Varsity—The “C” squad Football is the second level and the child can be no older than age 11 before 08/01/2018. (Boys will be placed according to skill and age on JV/V)

5th/6th Grade JV/Varsity—The older players and the highest level of football the child can be no older than age 13 before 08/01/2018. (Boys will be placed according to skill and age on JV/V)

We look forward to another great season and hope your child will have a great youth football experience! Please contact us if you have any questions or need clarification.

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