

## **2024 Season Important Dates**

- Program Members Must Provide Teams to GPYFL by Saturday, July 13th.
- Programs Must Register Teams Online thru Tourney Machine by Sunday, July 14th.
- All Coaches Requirements must be met by Friday, July 26th: Background Checks, Coaches Certification Completed through USA Football.
- Each Program Must Submit Certificate of Liability Insurance Policy to League by Friday July 19th, naming Great Plains Youth Football and USA Football as additionally insured.
- Team League Fees Due to League: Friday, July 26th. Programs with 2 or more teams = \$800 per team. Programs with only 1 team = \$1,000 per team.
- Team Rosters Finalized thru Tourney Machine: Friday, July 26th. A link will be sent to all Program Leaders and Head Coaches on Friday, July 19th.
- First Day of Practices: Monday, July 29th.
- First Day of Full Contact Practices: Determined by # of Practices Held (See Heat Acclimatation Guidelines in League Rule Book)
- Programs Must Provide Field Availability to the League: Sunday, August 4th.
- · Coaches and Programs Must Provide Game Schedule Conflicts to League: Sunday, August 4th.
- Weigh-Ins for All Players (July 30th thru August 15th). The League will contact each program in late July to arrange for local weigh-ins.
  Cost is \$5 per player. Parent Forms Due at time of teams' weigh-ins.
- Coaches Agreement (All Head and Assistant Coaches MUST sign Coaches Agreement and submit to league at weigh-ins). 1 Form per Team.
- Game Schedule Announced via Tourney Machine App: Monday, August 12th.
- First Weekend of Games: August 17th & 18th weekend.
- Last Weekend of Regular Season: September 21st & 22nd weekend.
- Friendship Bowl Games for All Teams + Playoffs: September 28th/29th weekend and October 5th & 6th weekends.
- League Championship Games: October 12th & 13th weekend.