



## Adult Sports Office Spring 2012 Flag Football Fact Sheet

- Season:** Tuesday leagues begin **February 21 (Recreational)**  
Wednesday leagues begin **February 22 (Recreational)**
- Format:** Texas Amateur Athletic Federation guidelines govern all league play. The **8 x 8** teams will play an **8-game** season. Game times will be 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, or 9:30. **The top half of the 8 x 8 teams will also compete in playoffs.**
- Eligibility:** Players must be 18 years of age.
- Game Sites:** To be determined. For a map which will be posted by **February 13**, please check our website at [www.planoparks.org](http://www.planoparks.org) (Athletics tab, Adult Sports, and scroll down to Flag Football League Documents).
- Entry Fee:** The **8 x 8** team fee will be **\$395**. The City of Plano will accept cash, personal or business check, money order, MasterCard, VISA, and Discover. **Payment is due at the time of registration and must accompany the registration form. No spots will be held without payment.**
- Registration:** The registration form can be downloaded from our website at [www.planoparks.org](http://www.planoparks.org) (Athletics tab, Adult Sports, and scroll down to Flag Football). Sign-ups will be conducted by the Adult Sports office of the Parks and Recreation Department at 1409 Avenue K (Municipal Center South building).
- Returning teams** may choose to register **on-line Monday, January 9 – Friday, January 13 only**. This is the first week of the entire registration period of **Monday, January 9 – Friday, February 3**. Call **972-941-7278** to get your account ID number and PIN.
- You may also **fax** your registration form to **972-941-7469** with a credit card number (MasterCard / VISA / Discover). It is strongly recommended that you call **972-941-7278** to verify our receipt of your fax. The registration form may also be **walked in** with cash, a check, money order, or credit card to the Adult Sports office at 1409 Avenue K in Plano. A check should be made out to the **City of Plano** and include your **driver's license number**. A receipt will be sent or given to you upon our receipt of your payment.
- New teams** may register only by **fax** or **walk-in Monday, January 9 – Friday, February 3**.
- League Information:** After registration, all necessary league **documents** including By-laws, Roster, Player Addition form, etc. may be downloaded from our website at [www.planoparks.org](http://www.planoparks.org) (Athletics tab, Adult Sports, and scroll down to Flag Football). For more information, please contact the Adult Sports office at **972-941-7278**.
- Schedules/Scores/** **Schedules** can be printed beginning Monday, **February 13**. To access **schedules** after registration, as well as **scores** and **standings**, go to [www.planoparks.org](http://www.planoparks.org) (Athletics tab, Adult Sports, and Adult Sports Standings / Schedules and Message Board link).
- Equipment:** Teams must wear **similar-color jerseys** or **shirts** with 8", permanent, non-duplicate numbers on the back. **Flags** can be velcro or cylinder-type. Each team must furnish a Wilson Official NFL **ball** or its equal. **Lower uniform** must not have **any** pockets. **All players must wear a protective mouthpiece**. **Gloves** worn by a player must be approved and inspected by game officials. **No jewelry** will be allowed.
- Rosters:** 8 x 8 team rosters can have a maximum of **20** players. Roster must be faxed to **972-941-7469** prior to the playing of your team's **second** game.
- Rain-Outs:** Rained-out games will be re-scheduled. If make-ups become excessive, games may be re-scheduled for a day different from the regularly-scheduled one. This may include weekends. The rain-out telephone number of **972-941-7278** is updated on the day of **scheduled play** at **4 p.m.** The day's rain-out information may also be obtained on the message board at our [www.planoparks.org](http://www.planoparks.org) website **after 4 p.m.** (Athletics tab, Adults Sports, and Adult Sports Standings / Schedules and Message Board).
- Make-up Dates:** These can be obtained by accessing your schedule on our website. The make-up date will be **added to the end of your schedule**. The **original** rained-out date **will no longer appear**.
- Awards:** League winners will receive **12** custom t-shirts.