

NEWS RELEASE: Kiwanis Youth Football Adds Flag Program

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Registration is now open for the North Vernon Kiwanis Youth Football Program, which will now include a flag football program for ages 5 through second grade.

Registration can be done by mail. A copy of the registration form can be downloaded from [www.nvkiwanis.org](http://www.nvkiwanis.org) and sent to Coach Bill Ludwig at 540 Persimmon Drive, North Vernon, IN 47265.

There are two separate registration forms: one for the Little Red and Little Blue tackle football programs and one for the Flag Football program.

The new flag football program will be open to ages 5 (on or before Sept. 1) through second grade. Participants must reside in Jennings County. The registration fee is \$20; no physical examination is required.

Flag football games will be played on Saturday mornings starting September 11. A more detailed schedule will be available at a later date.

Students residing in Jennings County who are going into third, fourth, fifth, or sixth grade are eligible for the Little Red and Little Blue programs. Third and fourth graders are in the Little Red program and fifth and sixth graders in the Little Blue program.

The cost for the Little Red and Little Blue programs is \$50. Games are played on Sunday afternoons starting August 29.

Players who register by July 15 will receive a free t-shirt.

Physical examinations are required for the Little Red and Little Blue programs. A copy of the physical exam form is also available at the Kiwanis website. Starting this year, players will be required to turn in their completed physical examination forms before receiving equipment.

The 2010 Little Red and Little Blue programs begin Tuesday, August 3, with a clinic put on by the Jennings County High School Head Coach Scott Buening and the high school coaching staff. The clinic will be held Tuesday through Thursday on the JCHS practice field from 6:00 to 7:15 p.m.

Players will be issued equipment at the JCHS football field on Sunday, August 1, from 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. or on Monday, August 2, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Players may also register at these times.

The schedule for the Little Red and Little Blue programs is available at [www.nvkiwanis.org](http://www.nvkiwanis.org).