

# 2021 GCYFL JAMBOREE RULES:

- 1) GAMES WILL BE NO LONGER THAN 45 MINUTES AND MUST START ON TIME.
  - A) START TIMES FOR GAMES FOLLOWING YOURS WILL NOT BE PUSHED BACK BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T START YOURS ON TIME.
  - B) START TIMES FOR GAMES FOLLOWING YOURS WILL NOT BE PUSHED BACK BECAUSE YOU DIDN'T COMPLETE YOUR ALLOTTED 20 OFFENSIVE PLAYS.
- 2) TEAMS WILL BE SCHEDULED FOR 2 or 3 GAMES BASED ON THEIR MATRIX SCORES.
- 3) EACH TEAM WILL START AT THE 40 YARD LINE GOING IN.
- 4) TEAMS WITH 2 GAMES WILL BEGIN WITH STARTERS GOING 10 PLAYS ON OFFENSE, 10 PLAYS ON DEFENSE.
- 5) SECOND UNITS WILL COME IN AND GO 10 PLAYS OFFENSE AND 10 PLAYS DEFENSE.
  - A) IF THERE IS STILL TIME, COACHES MAY DISCUSS HOW BEST TO USE THE TIME REMAINING, REST, GOAL LINE, 5 MORE PLAYS EACH ETC.
  - B) IF YOU KNOW IN ADVANCE THAT BOTH SECOND TEAMS WON'T GET IN THEIR 10 OFFENSIVE PLAYS, MAKE A DECISION ON HOW MANY PLAYS EACH SECOND UNIT WILL RUN.
  - C) **DO NOT EXCEED 45 MINUTES OF SCRIMMAGE TIME!**
- 6) TEAMS PLAYING 3 GAMES WILL RUN 15 OFFENSIVE PLAYS AND 15 DEFENSIVE PLAYS, YOU WILL NEED TO SUBSTITUTE IN YOUR SECOND-STRING PLAYERS DURING THESE PLAYS.
  - A) **DO NOT EXCEED 40 MINUTES OF SCRIMMAGE TIME!**
- 7) THERE WILL BE **NO BLITZING!!!**, BASE DEFENSES ONLY!
  - A) THIS MEANS LINE-BACKERS **CAN NOT** CROSS THE LINE OF SCRIMMAGE!
- 8) COACHES WILL BE ALLOWED ON THE FIELD AND IN THE HUDDLE BUT MUST CEASE ALL COACHING ACTIVITY ON BOTH SIDES OF THE BALL ONCE THE QB IS UNDER CENTER (shotgun is considered under Center)
- 9) THERE WILL BE NO REFEREES, SO COACHES GET TOGETHER AND OFFICIATE THE GAMES YOURSELVES.
  - A) PENALTIES ARE FOR INSTRUCTION ONLY AND YARDAGE WILL NOT BE ENFORCED.
  - B) FUMBLED/BAD SNAPS DO NOT COUNT AS A PLAY AS LONG AS IT IS NOT ONGOING. AFTER TWO BAD SNAPS IN A 10 PLAY SET, THEY WILL START TO COUNT AS PLAYS.
- 10) IF YOUR TEAM SCORES AND YOU STILL HAVE PLAYS LEFT, START AGAIN AT THE 40 YARD LINE, GOING IN. **THERE ARE NO EXTRA POINT ATTEMPTS AFTER A SCORE.** KEEP SCORE BY ONES.  
**REPORT YOUR SCORE TO THE FIELD COMMISSIONER AFTER EACH GAME!**
- 11) FUMBLE RECOVERED BY THE DEFENSE AND INTERCEPTIONS MAY BE PLAYED OUT BUT WILL NOT RESULT IN A CHANGE OF POSSESSION. THE BALL WILL BE PLACED BACK AT THE 40 YARD LINE AND THE TEAM THAT WAS ON OFFENSE WILL CONTINUE WITH THEIR REMAINING ALLOTTED NUMBER OF PLAYS.
- 12) **REMEMBER THAT YOU CANNOT GO OVER THE ALLOTTED TIME PERIOD.**

**REMEMBER THAT WE ARE HERE FOR THE KIDS. LET'S KEEP OUR EMOTIONS IN CHECK AND SET GOOD EXAMPLES FOR THESE YOUNG MEN. REMEMBER THAT GAMES WILL START ON TIME SO IF YOU DON'T GET YOUR ALLOTTED 20 (15) PLAYS IN, IN YOUR SCHEDULED TIME, YOU WILL NOT BE GRANTED EXTRA TIME.**