



## **DESOTO YOUTH FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING**



### **Registration Requirements**

- Residential parents must register and have a state issued photo identification card and current utility bill (strictly enforced)
- Nonresidential parents must register and have a state issued photo identification card
- If a coach registers for a residential player/cheerleader, the coach must have a photo copy of the parents state issued identification card (mark through the id number), along with a current utility bill
- If a coach registers for a nonresidential player/cheerleader, the coach must have a photo copy of the parents state issued identification card (mark through the id number)
- We will post registration information from Youth Football and Cheerleading League on the City of DeSoto's website, [www.ci.desoto.tx.us](http://www.ci.desoto.tx.us). Everyone will have access to roster updates, updated by noon on each Monday
- Practice times, locations and dates will be scheduled once each organization has 11 registered A and B team participants individually and 15 players per team registered with C and flag teams with 51% residency per team. Game schedules will be available online at a later date

#### **Cheerleader registration: May 15<sup>th</sup> thru August 21<sup>st</sup>**

New and returning cheerleaders will begin registration for all organizations.

#### **Returning Football player registration: May 15<sup>th</sup> thru July 18<sup>th</sup>**

Players registered from the 2009 roster will have 1st priority to register with the organization that the player is returning to. This includes players returning to their same age division and the following listed below:

- Flag team advancing to C team
- C team advancing to B team
- B team advancing to A team

#### **Open Football player registration: June 14<sup>th</sup> thru July 18<sup>th</sup>**

New players and returning players switching teams can register with any organization of their choice during this registration period. New organizations will begin registration during this period.

#### **Draft Process for Football players: July 19<sup>th</sup> thru August 21<sup>st</sup>**

Players who register will be placed in a draft pool. Players will be assigned to teams in chronological order based on the number of players placed on a team after returning and open player registration has ended.

#### **Participants with Siblings**

Players with one or more related family member will be registered to the same organization. If teams have met their maximum allowed players, you must choose another team with availability. With the registration cap on football players, the football player with a sibling who is a cheerleader will dictate where both players are placed.