

Flag Football Volunteers,

We hope you are enjoying your season so far. We wanted to send out some mid-season notes that will help your team have a great end to the season. Please read the below email fully and carefully so that you do not miss out on any important info!

Schedule Information

More games that will conclude the regular season have been posted through October 7th. **Click Here to view the schedule.**

If your team cannot play games on October 2 - 7th, please let us know as soon as possible. If your team is unavailable to play this last regular season game, your team will just lose this game. If you can swap your game time with another team in that time frame of Oct 2-7 please let us know and we will update the schedule. We have previously advertised that we would take off Oct. 9 - 15 for Fall Break.

To be clear, the October 7th games will conclude the regular season. The Music City Flag Bowl will begin on October 8* (not all brackets will begin this date and the bracket times will be released on Oct 2 at the Coach Appreciation Night.)

We are currently looking at the posted schedule and possibly moving a few teams up/down based on results of the season. This moving of a few teams may cause some schedules to change. We will inform coaches if your schedule changes due to teams being moved up or down for better matchups. We will try to minimize these changes but we feel that it is important to match teams up evenly at the end of the season. If your team has been winning handily or losing badly, the Head Coach should reach out to Doug@wnsl.net and Scott@wnsl.net and report the record of the team. We keep all results of games but there is an occasional score reported incorrectly and we would like to make sure we identify teams with all wins or losses. We will take a look at the team's schedule to see if there is a need for a schedule change.

Season Ending Tournament

We also wanted to send out more information about the season-ending WNSL Music City Bowl Flag Tournament. This is an OPT-IN Tournament. Please talk with your parents and make sure that you will be able to field a team during the tournament. Once you have decided if your team is IN or OUT, please have the head coach complete **THIS FORM**. Please only submit one response per team. **THIS FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED BY SEPTEMBER 25TH. IF A COACH DOES NOT RESPOND VIA THIS GOOGLE FORM BY SEPTEMBER 25TH, THE TEAM WILL NOT BE ENTERED INTO THE WNSL MUSIC CITY FLAG BOWL!!**

Music City Flag Bowl Tournament

Dates of Play: Oct. 8*, (*Break for Fall Break Oct. 9 - 15*), 16, 17, 18, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 (Teams will not play every day, this is a list that covers the entire tournament)

Format: Double Elimination

Who: All teams that opt-in. Multiple divisions in each grade level for more fair tournament. Winners of each bracket will be eligible to attend the Transperfect Music City Bowl with players receiving a free ticket and being in the pregame festivities.

We know that this is a long tournament but with over 120 football teams in the league this season we are expecting to have as many as 20 divisions of play. This takes a long time to complete! Again, teams in each grade will be divided as fairly as possible.

**Your team can still play in the Music City Flag Bowl even if your team cannot play on October 8 but your team will be placed in the loser bracket if it forfeits the first game. Some brackets may not begin until after Fall Break and the bracket games will be determined at the BWB Coach Appreciation Night.*

Coach Appreciation Night

Finally, we wanted to make sure that all HEAD COACHES know about coach appreciation night.

Monday, Oct. 2nd | 6 - 8pm

Buffalo Wild Wings @ Nashville West

6816 Charlotte Pike #110

Nashville, TN 37209

Two coaches per team are invited. PLEASE NO CHILDREN. We appreciate your players too, but they need to stay home this night. Please let us know if the coaches are attending by answering the question on the Google Form.

Food and Drinks will be covered by WNSL

Chance to win Door Prizes!

We will also have a blind draw for Bracket Placement in the WNSL Music City Flag Bowl Tournament at the appreciation dinner. We hope to see all the coaches there! If your team is playing in the tournament and you do not have a representative present at the dinner, WNSL staff will draw for your team.

Thank you for playing in the WNSL Flag Football League, Keep the good weather coming!!

The WNSL Team