



June 5, 2009

**Re: Sun Devils to Kick Off - New Flag Football League in 2009!!**

Sun Devil Football Families,

We are pleased to announce that the initial sign ups have been met with unprecedented success. Our Tiny Mite, Mitey Mite, Jr. Pee Wee and Pee Wee rosters are completely full with substantial wait lists to accompany them. We look forward to another productive season and hope you embrace the many positive changes we will implement this year.

With the success of a strong program and the demand for a flag league comes the unfortunate reality that there are more willing participants than roster spots available. To accommodate the demand, we have decided to launch a flag league to run concurrent with the tackle season in the age groups listed above. Our league will differ from the competition by offering the following;

- Competitive 5 on 5 format, small team size to maximize playing time
- Certified officials for every game
- All games and practices will be played at Twins Lake Park.
- Practices will be two days a week before Labor Day and one day a week during school with games on the weekends.
- Practice will start August 1, 2009.
- You'll be part of the Sun Devil organization, the premier football and cheer league on Florida's Gulf coast. This means inclusion in all special events.
- By participating, you will be eligible for early sign ups next year to help guarantee your roster spot for flag or tackle. (Open only to returning players)

The fee is \$125 and includes a jersey with each players name on it, one pair of black shorts and all equipment needed to play.

If you are currently signed up for tackle and would prefer to play flag, please email [sarasotasundevils@gmail.com](mailto:sarasotasundevils@gmail.com) with your wishes as soon as possible and come to the next scheduled signups at Twins Lake. For those on the tackle waiting list, we will keep your name on this list up until roster cutoffs, which the date will be announce when finalized, and if you can not get onto a team then hope you will join our family through the flag league and take the opportunity to experience the Sun Devil difference.

Regards,

Sarasota Sun Devils Board of Directors