

2017 REGISTRATION FORM - KENNEWICK GRID KIDS YOUTH FOOTBALL

Please Print Clearly and Fill Out Form Completely – Only One Form Needed Per Family

	Player Name	Age as of 9/1/17	Birthdate	Returning Player		If "Yes", list previous KGK team	Official Use Only
				YES	NO		Weight
1							
2							
3							
4							

CONTACT INFORMATION

Mailing Address			Home Phone	
City	State	Zip Code	Cell Phone	
Email Address			Alt. Phone	

I/We, the parent(s)/guardian(s) of the above-named individuals certify that he/she is physically qualified to participate in the Kennewick Grid Kids Youth Football Program and hereby give approval to his/her participation in any and all of the activities of the team during the current season. I/We assume all risks and hazards to the conduct of the activities and transportation to and from activities. I/We do further hereby release, absolve, indemnify, and hold harmless the above-named football association, organizers, sponsors, or any of the supervisors (any and all of them). In case of injury to my child, I/We do hereby waive all claims against the organizers, league officers, sponsors, or any of the supervisors appointed by them. I/We likewise release from responsibility any person transporting my child to or from activities.

IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT WEIGHT LIMITS

Eligible players must be aged 7-13 as of September 1, 2017. Weight limit is a max of 185 pounds. If a child fails the first weigh-in and is eligible for a re-weigh, the child will get only one more opportunity to re-weigh during one of the registration sessions. No pre-weighs will be allowed. **THERE WILL BE NO EXCEPTIONS.** Registrations will only be accepted for players when the weight requirements are met. Age and weight specifications may change relative to final numbers of players in each division. Any player not meeting the max weight limit requirement will

Kennewick Grid Kids reserve the right to refuse registration to anyone for any reason. Additionally, a player may be removed from a team during the season for cause.

My signature below also confirms that I read / understand the information printed on the front and back of this form.

Parent / Guardian Signature	Printed Name	Date
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All Players: \$165 Registration Fee (1 st Child) \$ _____ \$145 Registration Fee (Addtl Family Member) \$ _____ \$50 Flag Registration Fee \$ _____ \$30 Late Fee (per child after 7/22/2017) \$ _____ TOTAL REGISTRATION FEES \$ _____	Comments: <div style="text-align: center;"> VERIFIED BY: TOTAL PAID \$ _____ </div>
Verified Information: <input type="checkbox"/> Returners <input type="checkbox"/> Team <input type="checkbox"/> Sibling <input type="checkbox"/> Birth Certs	Method of Payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Cash <input type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> Charge <input type="checkbox"/> Online Reg

2017 Kennewick Grid Kids Permission and Waiver agreements

- 1. PERMISSION TO PARTICIPATE:** I, the parent/guardian of my participant(s) hereby acknowledge that my child(ren) is/are in good general health and I give my approval for my child(ren) to participate in any and all Kennewick Grid Kids league/conference, association and team/squad activities. I understand, hereby give my approval for, and assume any and all risk of my child's use of various playing surfaces and conditions, including, but not limited to, dry and wet natural and artificial grass, hard dirt, and/or mud and I hereby acknowledge and understand that said surfaces may be regular or very irregular. I understand, hereby give my approval for, and assume any and all risk of my child's interaction with various field equipment including, but not limited to, goalpost, goalpost protectors, pylons, yard line markers, benches, rope barriers, scoreboards, and down markers either held by adults and/or additional referees.
- 2. INTENT TO INFORM:** I acknowledge that I am fully aware of the potential dangers of participation in any sport and I fully understand that participation in football, cheerleading and/or flag football may result in SERIOUS INJURIES, PARALYSIS, PERMANENT DISABILITY AND/OR DEATH. Furthermore, I fully acknowledge and understand that protective equipment does not prevent all participant injuries, and therefore I do hereby waive, release, absolve, indemnify, and agree to hold harmless the coaches, board members, referees, volunteers, Kennewick Grid Kids organization(s), and any and all organizers, sponsors, supervisors, and participants from any claim arising out of any injury to my/our child whether the result of negligence or for any other cause.
- 3. CONCUSSION AND HEAD INJURIES:** A concussion is a brain injury and all brain injuries are serious. They are caused by a bump, blow, or jolt to the head, or by a blow to another part of the body with the force transmitted to the head. They can range from mild to severe and can disrupt the way the brain normally works. Even though most concussions are mild, all concussions are potentially serious and may result in complications including prolonged brain damage and death if not recognized and managed properly. In other words, even a "ding" or a bump on the head can be serious. You can't see a concussion and most sports concussions occur without loss of consciousness. Signs and symptoms of concussion may show up right after the injury or can take hours or days to fully appear. If your child reports any symptoms of concussion, or if you notice the symptoms or signs of concussion yourself, seek medical attention right away. Symptoms may include one or more of the following: Headaches, "pressure in head", Nausea or vomiting, neck pain, balance problems or dizziness, blurred, double, or fuzzy vision, sensitivity to light or noise, feeling sluggish or slowed down, feeling foggy or groggy, drowsiness, change in sleep patterns, amnesia, "don't feel right", fatigue or low energy, sadness, nervousness or anxiety, irritability, more emotional, confusion, concentration or memory problems (forgetting game plays), repeating the same question/comment. Signs observed by teammates, parents and coaches include: appears dazed, vacant facial expression, confused about assignment, forgets plays, is unsure of game, score, or opponent, moves clumsily or displays incoordination, answers questions slowly, slurred speech, shows behavior or personality changes, can't recall events prior to hit, can't recall events after hit, seizures or convulsions, any change in typical behavior or personality, loses consciousness. Any athletes suspected of having a concussion observed by fellow teammates, referees, coaches, board members, volunteers, parents, guardians or spectators should be pulled from physical activity immediately to avoid any potential greater injury. It is the duty of the observer to notify the head squad coach of the athlete to remove the athlete from activity, if warranted. All athletes removed from participation must get approval from squad coach before returning to physical activities associated with Kennewick Grid Kids. Please see the Kennewick School District flyer on concussions for further information and links to updated concussion information from the CDC. http://kennewickgridkids.com/wp-content/uploads/KSD_Concussion_Form.pdf
- 4. EMERGENCY MEDICAL AUTHORIZATION:** I hereby grant my permission for any and all emergency medical/dental treatment and/or first aid to be administered to my participant, including authorizing any medical treatment facility/hospital to administer emergency treatment, for any illness, injury, or accident resulting from participation in any and all Kennewick Grid Kids activities.
- 5. INSURANCE DISCLOSURE:** I am aware that Kennewick Grid Kids Association does not carry any form of insurance which covers participants for medical purposes. I/We accept full responsibility for the cost of treatment for any injury which my/our participant may incur while taking part in the program. Furthermore, I agree to notify in writing my head coach and Kennewick Grid Kids Association of any medical claim as a result of participation in Kennewick Grid Kids as soon as reasonably possible. I understand that any registration fee paid does not constitute a premium for insurance.
- 6. EQUIPMENT RESPONSIBILITY:** I agree to assume full responsibility for any and all equipment and/or uniforms loaned to the participants and I agree to promptly return, upon request, the uniform and/or equipment issued to the said participants in as good condition as when received except for normal wear and tear. If I fail to adhere to this policy, I will be responsible for the full replacement cost of such equipment. If I fail to return the complete set of "gear" at the end of the season, I will be charged \$300.00 plus attorney fees if needed.
- 7. FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY:** I hereby stipulate that I have been advised by Kennewick Grid Kids Association of my rights, if any, to a refund, minus the cost of any jerseys, pants, or other non-transferable goods purchased by the organization on my behalf. I understand that I may not be eligible for any refund after the start of the regular season, **Monday September 4th, 2017**. For the 2017 season, the cost of a jersey is \$50 and integrated football pants are \$20.
- 8. PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT:** In order to provide all participants an equal opportunity to enjoy their involvement in Kennewick Grid Kids activities, you agree that your participant will behave accordingly by doing the following: S1: Participants play for the fun of it, not just to please your parents or coach. S2: Play by the Rules of the Game. S3: Never argue or complain about a referee's calls or decisions. S4: Control your temper. Most of all resist the temptation to retaliate when you feel you have been wronged. S5: Concentrate on playing football with your best effort. Work equally hard for your team as for yourself. S6: Be a good sport by cheering all good plays, whether it's your team or your opponent's. S7: Treat all participant, as you would like to be treated. S8: Remember that the goals of the game are to have fun, improve your skills and feel good. Don't be a showoff. S9: Cooperate with your coaches, teammates, opponents and the referees.
- 9. ADULT CODE OF CONDUCT:** In order to uphold the goals of Kennewick Grid Kids and ensure that all participants have the benefit of a safe and fun learning environment, all parents, guardians and other adults and attendees of Kennewick Grid Kids events, including but not limited to practices, competitions, and banquets, must behave accordingly in a respectful, courteous and sportsmanlike manner at all times. S1: You agree to support your participant by giving encouragement and showing interest in their team. S2: I/We agree to work toward skill improvement and good sportsmanship in every game. Teach your child that hard work and an honest effort are often more important than victory. S3: Parents/guardians serve as role models for their children. Be aware of this and work to be a positive role model. Applaud good plays by your participant's and the opposing team. S4: Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from youth sports activity. S5: Remember that your participant(s) is/are the one(s) playing football, not you. It is very important to let children establish their goals-to play the game themselves. Take care not to impose your own standards and goals on them. S6: You agree not to put too heavy a burden on your participant to win games. S7: Positive reinforcement is the best way to help your participant achieve their goals and their natural fear of failure. Nobody likes to make mistakes. If your participant makes one, remember it's all part of learning, so encourage your participant's efforts and point out the good things your child accomplished. S8: Coaches, referees and Board Members are usually parents just like you. They volunteer their time to help make your participant's experience a positive one. S9: Refrain from coaching or refereeing from the bleachers. As a volunteer organization, there's always an opportunity for you to take your interest in coaching or refereeing to the next level.
- 10. ADHERENCE TO KENNEWICK GRID KIDS RULES AND PROCEDURES:** I hereby understand and acknowledge that as a parent/guardian of a Kennewick Grid Kids participant it is my responsibility to comply with all rules and regulations stipulated, adopted or recognized by Kennewick Grid Kids Association or any of its member organizations and understand that any non-compliance with any and all rules and regulations may be cause for discipline and/or dismissal of the participant, myself, and/or any spectators or other persons affiliated with the parent/guardian and the participant. I further understand that the participant must meet Kennewick Grid Kids age and/or weight requirements on their official certification date as established by Kennewick Grid Kids Association without exception and that the decision of the league President is final. I agree to furnish an authentic certified copy of a birth certificate of the participant(s), before their first season of participation, to Kennewick Grid Kids to further participate in Kennewick Grid Kids activities. I/We hereby hold Kennewick Grid Kids harmless of any financial loss as the result of any disciplinary action.

RULES & REGULATIONS AGREEMENT: In consideration of participation in Kennewick Grid Kids activities and by my signature digitally or in-person, I hereby stipulate that I have read, fully understand and voluntarily agree, as well as my participant, to be bound by all of the above and that all information provided by me is true and accurate to the fullest extent of my knowledge.