



Yorkville Youth Athletic Association

Memorandum

To: Danny O’Gallagher
From: Ricky Dessen
Subject: Winter 2008 Flag Football – Revised Rules
Date: Wednesday, December 03, 2008

The following changes have been made to the YYAA Flag Football rules.

Basics:

- **Coin Toss:** The team that wins the pre-game coin toss now has the option to defer its choice to the beginning of the second half.
- **Interceptions:** An interception in the Playmaker’s Division can be returned. There will not be an award of 2 points for an interception in the Playmakers Division.

Timing: After a TD the clock will start again when the ref spots the ball for the next offensive play.

Mercy Rule: The points for implementation of the Mercy Rule were raised from 25 to 35 points.

Illegal Forward Pass: A clarification was made that if any part of a passer’s foot is on the ground beyond the line of scrimmage prior to or during the release of the pass, this will constitute an illegal forward pass.

Formation: In the Pee-Wee and Touchdown Divisions there must be at least one receiver on each side of the center.

Flag Guarding: Penalty will be 10 yards from the spot of the penalty and loss of down.

Notes: A half cannot end on a defensive penalty, unless the offense declines the penalty.