



www.bysafootball.com

BYSA Tide Weekly Parent Newsletter

September 2, 2010

Schedules

THE SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK IS DIFFERENT THAN PUBLISHED PREVIOUSLY! We have just been notified (today) by Colchester that due to issues with officials the game times have been changed. There is nothing we could do about it. The times are set by the hosting team.

A current schedule for all levels of our program is available on the website. The schedules can change. We will always give you the current week and next week's schedules in the weekly newsletter.

PLEASE have your player at the field one hour before the game time for warm-ups. If your player does not have a ride speak with the head coach.

Senior Tide (7th/8th) Varsity:

Practice this week Tuesday thru Friday 5:30 – 8:00
Game: Colchester HS main field – Saturday **3:00**

Senior Tide (7th/8th) JV:

Practice this week Tuesday thru Friday 5:30 – 8:00
Game: Colchester HS practice field – Saturday **10:00**

Junior Tide (5th/6th) Varsity:

Practice this week Tuesday thru Friday 5:30 – 8:00
Game: Colchester HS main field – Saturday **1:00**

Junior Tide (5th/6th) JV:

Practice this week Tuesday thru Friday 5:30 – 8:00
Game: Colchester HS practice field – Saturday **8:00**

Rip Tide (Flag):

Practice this week and next: Tues & Thursday 5:30 – 7:00
Game: Colchester HS practice field – Saturday **5:00**
BOTH flag teams will play at the same time.

Directions

Approximately 1 hour travel time

I-89 North	41 mi.
Turn right off of Exit 16 (Winooski/Colchester)	1.7 mi
Turn left at VT-127 S/Blakely Rd	2.4 mi.
Turn left at Laker Lane	

The main field is straight ahead and the practice field is to the right.

For GPS: Colchester High School, 131 Laker Lane, Colchester VT

Playing Time

All players at all levels are guaranteed at least 6 plays. Each team will track to be sure that each player meets the minimum UNLESS the player has not attended practice or is under punishment from the coach. After the 6 play minimum relative playing time will depend upon the attitude and performance of the player in both practice and game situations. If a player does not get his 6 plays s/he will start the next game and will play at least 12 plays in the second game.



COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

Under no circumstances should players view, or overhear adults quarreling over BYSA Youth Football issues. The following is the complaint process.

- PARENT REPRESENTATIVE:** Report concern to their parent representative for grade level.
 - The Parent Representative will be presented to the parents at each parent meeting and their contact information will be in each newsletter. The Parent Representatives are the contact between the parents and the coaches, coordinators, board, etc.
 - The Parent Representatives will be determined by the head coach and may not be the head coach's spouse.
- HEAD COACH:** If satisfaction is not reached, the parent may then speak with the head coach (OFF OF THE FIELD ONLY)
- BOARD OF DIRECTORS**
If satisfaction is not reached, the parent may then speak with the Board of Directors
- BYSA BOARD OF DIRECTORS:**
If satisfactions is not reached, the parent may then speak with the BYSA Board of Directors.

ZERO TOLERANCE RULE

At no time may parents or coaches act inappropriately at games or practices. Upon the first occurrence a warning will be given by a board member. Upon the second occurrence the offender must leave the field until the game or practice is over. If this occurs again within the season, the board may vote not to allow the offender to return to the field for a period of time.

Absentees

All players who will be absent from a practice or game need to call their coaches and let them know. The phone numbers are at the bottom of each newsletter and on the homepage of the website. Please do NOT send emails or call Kerri or others regarding absentees in case the emails are not read prior to the practice or game. It is the player's responsibility to contact their coach.



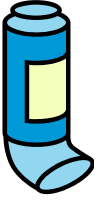
Attendance at practices are extremely important in football. Players can get hurt or get others hurt if they do not know what they are doing on game day.

Mom's (Dad's) Tip

We had a dad submit a tip that everyone may find useful. If your player is having a hard time with mosquitoes on the field during practice have him put a dryer sheet in his helmet. Rumor has it that'll keep the bugs away. If you would like to submit a tip please contact Kerri.

Asthma Inhalers

Many children have asthma. If you would like an inhaler on the field with your child, please place his name on the inhaler and give it to his coach. We can keep it in the storage shed so that it is available to him or he can take it home each night. Please be sure the coach knows what you would like us to do.



Lets go TIDE!



BYSA Football Apparel Order Form

Name:				
Phone:				
Long sleeve t-shirt - \$15				
Sweatshirt - \$26				
	Long Sleeve T-shirt		Sweatshirt	
	Qty	\$	Qty	\$
Youth XS				
Youth Small				
Youth Medium				
Youth Large				
Youth XL				
Adult Small				
Adult Medium				
Adult Large				
Adult X-Large				
Adult XX-Large				
Adult XXX-Large				
Quantity Total:				

\$10 T-shirts
 2010 T-shirts have been ordered for players. Extras were ordered in adult and youth sizes to be sold at the storage shed and/or the concession stand.
 We have some t-shirts from previous years that are available at a reduced rate of \$3 each at the shed.

Make checks to BYSA Football and write apparel in the comments section