



## Rules and Guidelines

The Colts Coaches and Drill look forward to a new season. Now, since your child has joined the TIFI Colts, there are rules and guidelines that both parents and players set forth by the Colts board and Texas Intercity Football, Inc.

**Equipment:** Each Player will be issued Football Equipment. Issue date will be on July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2019 at Frankie Carter Park during practice.

Each Parent will sign an Equipment Waiver at our May sizing event (information TBD). If you lose the equipment during the season you will be “**Responsible for Replacing**” the items lost.

**Practices:** TIFI Colts practices will start late July. More details will be sent out.

**Each player** is required to bring a **water jug (First and Last Name on the water Jug), and there football equipment** which will be assigned to them on Equipment day.

Each Player must be there ON TIME at 6:30pm.

COACHES want all players ON TIME.

The **5 day practice weeks**, will go on for 3 weeks straight. All practices will be intense, as each team is preparing for their season. If he/she cannot make it please contact your Coach.

**ALL PLAYERS** have to practice for 5 days in pads with no absences before playing in the first game. **THERE ARE NO EXCEPTIONS TO THIS RULE.** All missed practices need to be informed to your coaches prior to missing that practice day. Practices will be held Monday Thru Saturday during this time. Saturdays will be up to your coach.

“**ONCE the SEASON begins**” meaning after the 1<sup>st</sup> game of the Season practices will change.

**Monday & Tuesday (6:30pm to 8:00pm)**

**Thursday (6:30pm to 8:30pm)**

**Pee Wees Team will practice on Thursday (6pm to 7:30pm)**

**“NO PARENTS”** are **“ALLOWED”** on the field at any time!

For the Safety of your child all **badged Coaches and Board Member are allowed on the field “ONLY”**. Each Badged person has been background checked for the safety of our players.

**ALL VEHICLES** must be parked in the designated parking lot. **NOT ON THE GRASS and MUST be in a parking spot!**

**Every Practice** a team will be assigned 1 week at a time to pick up trash and to make sure the fields are clean before leaving. The Athletic Director will be there to monitor to make sure all teams are doing their part. Garbage bags will be on hand if needed.

### **GAME DAY Rules:**

1. During practices and games, we ask that “ALL” parents remain off the field. The field is reserved for the Players and Staff **“ONLY”**. **In compliance with TIFI RULES, parents are not allowed on the sidelines of the field during games. THE GAME DAY field is reserved for the OFFICIALS, COACHING STAFF, TEAM MEMBERS and Colts Board Members.**
2. Please help in keeping the children and other spectators behind the designated areas.  
IF you have something that needs to be delivered to the teams or Coaches during the Game or Practices please see  
Ashley Yohn (Vice President)  
Jason Brownlee (Asst. Athletic Director)  
Evette Powell (Secretary).
3. During practice and games we ask parents not to interrupt unless it is an emergency. Team Moms are always around so please advise them or a look for a board member for any concerns or issues.
4. Coaches are available BEFORE and AFTER practices away from players if you need to address anything. While the game is in session you may NOT approach or speak to them during that time.
5. Parents and players are required to act in a courteous manner during practice and games.
6. No NOISE MAKERS of any kind is allowed.
7. NO FOUL Language will be tolerated from parents or players at any time.

8. Parents can and WILL be REMOVED from the practice or game field for any misconduct, violations of Colts By-Laws, TIFI Rules or Code of Ethics
9. Any and ALL TIFI Fines relating to any violations must be paid for by the parent or player.

All problems will be handled by the TIFI Colts Board:

President- Teresa Tortorici

Athletic Director- Kenny Black

Head Coach of the Appropriate Team

**Ethical Violations** include but are limited to:

- Any Action that directly violates the parent/player Code of Conduct.
- Any verbal interference or written statement that has intent to cause harm to another member of this Booster Club.
- Any kind of physical action that creates the potential for harm.

**ANY VIOLATIONS STATED ABOVE WILL BE BROUGHT BEFORE THE DISPLINARY COMMITTEE AND COULD LEAD TO REMOVAL FROM THE BOOSTER CLUB.**

## **PLAYER RULES:**

1. If any player should miss (2) Practices in one week, they are ineligible to play in that week's Saturday GAME.
2. Any player missing the practice before the game is also ineligible to play in that Saturday GAME that week.
3. If any player should arrive "LATE" (3) or more practices in one week they are ineligible to play in that week's Saturday Game.
4. Missed practice in conjunction with being late to any other practices in the same week will make the player ineligible to play in that Saturdays Game.
5. A player not in full gear (pads, jersey, mouth piece and helmet) ready for practice promptly by 6:30 PM at the beginning of practice will be considered LATE for practice. ALL TEAMS have to wear there designated colored jersey at practice.
6. NO FOUL LANGUAGE or DISRESPECT will be tolerated from any player at any time.
7. The appropriate coaches, player agent and athletic director will handle all disciplinary actions which could include but are not limited to the player being ineligible to play in that week's GAME.

By signature below, I \_\_\_\_\_

The parent acknowledge that I have received and read the 2019 Friendswood Colts Rules and Guidelines.

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Parent/Guardian Signature First & Last Name

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Print First & Last Name

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Date

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Players Signature First & Last Name

