

Consent Form

- I/we, the parent(s) of the named child, who is a candidate for a position on an SFFL team, hereby give my/our approval for his/her participation in any and all activities of the SFFL team during the season he/she is involved in.
- I/we assume all risks and hazards incidental to the conduct and activities and transportation to and from the activities, and release from responsibility any person(s) transporting my/our child to or from the activities.
- I/we do further hereby release, absolve, indemnify and hold harmless, the SFFL, the coaches, organizers, sponsors, and supervisors, any and all of them. In case of injury to my/our child, I hereby waive all claims against the SFFL, coaches, organizers, sponsors, or any of the supervisors appointed by them.
- I/we agree to furnish a Birth Certificate of the above named candidate upon the request of League Officials.
- I/we will allow the above named candidate to be weighed upon the request of League Officials.
- I/we agree to be responsible for any uniform/equipment issued to my/our child, and agree to maintain and mend same while in his/her possession.
- I/we agree to be present, or have another designated adult present at all practices and games.
- I/we agree to assist in Fund Raising Activities.
- I/we agree to return all equipment at the request of League Officials, or remit to the SFFL the sum of \$100.00 (one hundred dollars) to replace same.
- I/we accept the registration fee to be non-refundable.

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Acceptance of this agreement represents to the City of Shelton that the consenting party:

- Is the natural or custodial parent or legal guardian of the registered minor child(ren).
- Acknowledges that it is their desire that the minor child(ren) participate in the SFFL Program.
- Acknowledges that such a sporting program is a contact sport.
- Acknowledges that the **City of Shelton** and/or any of its boards or commissions, does not maintain any type of medical or accident insurance for participants in this type of program.
- Acknowledges, understands and agrees that as a condition of the minor child(ren) participating in the program, the parent represents that they will maintain adequate medical insurance, and/or rely upon their own resources to cover the cost of any injuries sustained by the minor child(ren) while participating in the program.
- Acknowledges, understands, and agrees that the coaches, assistants, and officers of the SFFL are **volunteers**, who may or may not be trained in the sport, or the teaching of the sport. The consenting party, having been made fully aware of these conditions, agrees to these conditions, and authorizes registered player(s), the minor child(ren), to be allowed to participate in this program, knowing the **City of Shelton** and the volunteers involved in the program rely on these representations.

Code of Conduct

Shelton Flag Football League is a youth football program. This program teaches the skills of football and sportsmanship in a safe and enjoyable environment. All spectators at all practices, games and all SFFL events are expected to conduct themselves in such a way that promotes the general theme of SFFL. Below are some general rules and policies of SFFL as it relates to general code of conduct

- The Nike Site and all practice sites for Shelton Flag Football are non-smoking, and alcohol free areas. All SFFL events must be treated as such unless otherwise specified. All spectators at all SFFL events will adhere to this policy.
- Coaches, players, referees, and recognized personnel are the **ONLY** people allowed on game and practice fields. All others must obtain permission from the Head Coach, designated Head Coach, or League Official before accessing any game or practice field. Failure to adhere to this policy will lead to ejection from any SFFL facility and review from the SFFL Board for further disciplinary action that may include removal from the League.
- Parents or guardians of players will inform coaches of any physical disability or ailment that may affect the safety of the player or safety of others.

- All parents, guardians and spectators of SFFL will be positive role models for all players and encourage sportsmanship by showing respect and courtesy and by demonstrating positive support for all players, coaches, officials and spectators at every game, practice or other SFFL event.
- It is expected that all spectators will respect officials and their authority during games and will never question, discuss or confront coaches at the game field, and will take time to speak with coaches at an agreed upon time and place.
- Behavior that is deemed unsportsmanlike in the judgment of any game official or coach may lead to any or all of the following actions in any order:
 - A warning
 - A penalty assessed to the team
 - An ejection from the property. If an ejection occurs the spectator must leave the facility as directed by the game official. The game will not proceed until the spectator leaves the facility. Failure to do so may suspend the contest and may lead to additional actions as seen fit by SFFL to insure the safety of players, coaches and all spectators.
- It is unacceptable to ridicule or yell at any player or coach for making a mistake or losing a competition regardless of the relationship with the player or coach.
- The SFFL Board of Directors reserves the right to determine eligibility for coaching and other volunteer positions and has the right to deny or remove this eligibility based on the Bylaws and Operating Rules of the organization.