



## NFL Flag Silicon Valley Return to League Play COVID-19 Protocol

**Teams** – To adhere to social distancing protocols, the following will be mandated for all NFL Flag Silicon Valley seasons until further notice.

- Teams will still be limited to 2 coaches (the same two each week) and 10 players. No exceptions will be made.
- Each coach and player's temperature will be checked before each game.
- All coaches and players on the field and standing on the sidelines will be REQUIRED to wear a facemask at all times.
- All coaches and players on the field and standing on the sidelines will be REQUIRED to wear closed finger gloves at all times.
- Should you choose to not wear a facemask and gloves you will be escorted you off the premises.
- Coaches and players will refrain from high-fives, handshakes, knuckle bumps or group celebrations.
- In lieu of shaking hands at the end of each game, coaches will meet in the middle of the field, with all referees present, to say good game and show good sportsmanship.
- No outside food or drink will be allowed on premises, except for water/athletic drinks.
- One (1) drink container will be allowed per coach/player.
- 1 cooler per team will be allowed on premises.

**Spectators** – To adhere to social distancing protocols, the following will be mandated for all NFL Flag Silicon Valley seasons until further notice. NFL Flag Silicon Valley personal will be enforcing the return to league play COVID-19 protocol.

- Spectators will not be allowed inside the park's premises but can watch from behind the fencing.
- Spectators are encouraged to practice social distancing while enjoying league play.

**Referees** – To adhere to social distancing protocols, the following will be mandated for all NFL Flag Silicon Valley seasons until further notice.

- Each referee's temperature will be checked upon arrival.
- All referees will be REQUIRED to wear a facemask at all times.
- All referees will be REQUIRED to wear closed finger gloves at all times.
- Referees will sanitize player's gloves before games begin.
- The football will be wiped with sanitizing wipes before each play begins.
- To minimize time between plays, two (2) footballs will be assigned to every field that will be switched out between referees for them to be wiped down.