



NYO Football
Dates for 2019 Season
March 30, 2019

Several of the following dates are subject to change. Please periodically reference this site for revisions.

Registration for 2019 Season – Begins April 1, 2019 through NYO's new registration system. The registration fee is \$315 for flag players and \$390 for the traditional football age groups.

Spring Football Clinic – Saturday, April 27, 2019

The NYO Spring Football clinic will be run by the Holy Innocents Varsity Football Coaching Staff as well as some of their football players. The event will include "combine testing" as well as the fundamentals of football.

- Times - Check-In: 9am to 9:30am. Camp Hours: 9:30am-11:00 AM
- Location - Holy Innocents' Episcopal School, 805 Mt. Vernon Hwy NW, Atlanta, GA 30327
- Ages - Clinic is open for rising kindergarten through 6th graders.
- What to Wear - Pads, helmets, etc. are NOT needed. Come in athletic clothing.
- Cost - The cost of the clinic is \$25. If you register for the fall football season on the day of the event, your \$25 clinic fee will apply towards your football registration.

Dick's shopping Days – Date(s) TBD

Equipment Day – Saturday, August 3, 2019 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM

NYO sponsors the sale of equipment at Chastain Park as a service to NYO families and a means to raise funds for NYO. For parents this is a good opportunity to purchase quality equipment that is properly fitted. Volunteers from the coaching group will be needed during this day. Please email John Baker if you are available for a two hour shift.

Training Camp – August 6th thru 8th

The objective of this three (3) day function is to enhance player safety by providing focused instruction on Heads Up techniques, light conditioning and heat acclimation before tryouts. Please make sure your attends.

Tryouts – Saturday, August 10, 2019

Specific details for parents about tryouts will appear on the NYO website in July. Players in grades 2, 3, 4 & 6 will attend during the morning; players in grades 5 & 7 will attend in the afternoon. Parents will receive instructions by email shortly before tryouts about their specific arrival time and this information will also be available through NYO's website. Players are to wear full football equipment. They will be weighed, timed and evaluated in full-contact drills.

Make Up Tryouts – August 12, 2019 5:00 PM

This will be for those players who were unable to attend the tryouts on August 10th. Players must attend either the Tryout on August 10th or 12th in order to be eligible for the draft and participate in the NYO season.

Parent Meeting - Saturday, August 17, 2019 at 2:00 in the NYO gym

All parents are to attend this important meeting which will explain the “Heads Up” player safety program and other important player safety topics. Speakers will include Dr. David Marshall who leads Children’s Healthcare of Atlanta’s sports medicine practice. There will be an opportunity for questions and answers.

Drafts – August 18, 2019 and August 19, 2019

Only coaches attend drafts. Parents should anticipate being contacted by your child’s coach the day following the draft for your child. Please expect that your child’s team will begin practice immediately.

Season Begins – Games begin the on September 9th

Character Speaker Event / Opening Night Celebration - September 8, 2019 at 5:00

- All players and their families from all leagues should attend this popular function. Practices will not be allowed during this evening.
- Following the speaker the Cheer Leaders will put on a show before all the Bigs football and cheer leading teams are introduced for a fun Sunday night Bigs game.

Championship Games – Monday, November 18, 2019

The playoffs will conclude with the championship games for all leagues on this date.

Peach Bowl – Thursday, November 21, 2019

All star games for players in grade 3rd and above.

Red Devil Games - Beginning Friday, November 22, 2019