

PLAY WITH A PURPOSE JR. LOPER FLAG FOOTBALL

KEARNEY FAMILY YMCA

Develop skills, teamwork and sportsmanship in a fun, supportive environment. Every player gets equal practice time and plays at least half of every game. Our "kids first" philosophy puts learning and fun ahead of wins and losses, while teaching the YMCA values of Caring, Honesty, Respect and Responsibility. Jr. Loper Sports is proudly offered in partnership with UNK Athletics, providing kids with a unique and memorable sporting experience. Player/Coach Requests will be taken but are not guaranteed. K-3rd grade teams will be formed by Y staff based on grade & school attended. 4-8th grade Silver divisions will have a skills assessment to help determine team placement

COACHES NEEDED: Our programs are driven by volunteer coaches and positive role models. The YMCA is always looking for volunteers to make a positive impact through sports, if you are interested, please specify on the registration form.

JR. LOPER FLAG FOOTBALL PARTICIPANTS RECEIVE:

- *Free Admission to Loper Athletic Events
- * Jr. Loper Football Clinic led by UNK Coaches & Players

K-3rd Grade: 6 games per season, 1 practice per week

4-8th Grade: 5 games per season + post season tourney, minimum of 1 practice per week

Practices: Scheduled by coaches beginning week of April 5th

Game Day: Games will be played on Saturdays beginning at 10am through mid afternoon. Equal playing time, modified rules, smaller fields and ball size

Divisions (Boys/Girls): Kindergarten (5v5) 1st (5v5) 2nd (5v5) 3rd (5v5)
*4-5th Grade Gold/Silver (7v7) *6-8th Grade Gold/Silver (7v7)

*Gold Division: a more competitive playing experience and teams based on Player/Coach request

*Silver Division: more recreation playing experience and teams based on skills assessment & school

Games Start: Saturday April 11

Games End: Saturday May 16th

Fees: Members: \$25 Non-Members: \$75

*Financial Assistance is Available

Registration Deadline: March 20, 2026

Late Fee: \$10 beginning March 21

Volunteer Coach Meeting: Wednesday March 25th @ 6:00pm

UNIFORMS: All Jr. Loper Sports will wear a YMCA Jr. Loper Blue/White reversible jersey.

If you need a jersey, the fee will be \$20 at registration

Skills Assessments: 4-5th Grade Silver: Monday March 23rd @ 5:30pm

6-8th Grade Silver: Monday March 23rd @ 6:30pm

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