



## 2020 SRASC Football Overview

### *Simpsonville Recreation Area School Conference*

Thank you for being part of the exciting new Simpsonville Recreation program that lets you play for your school team, with your school colors and logos for the Simpsonville area schools. The program is open to all interested whether you attend an area public school or not. Playing for your school team will have you on teams with your friends from class and create school and community spirit which only adds to the experience.

The Football program is designed as a recreational league with rules that are intended to make the league more accessible to all experience levels.

Teams are 16-24 players.

### Divisions 2020

2/3<sup>rd</sup> Grade (Max age 8 on or before Sept 1, 2020)

4/5<sup>th</sup> Grade (Max age 10 on or before Sept 1, 2020)

6/7<sup>th</sup> Grade (Max age 12 on or before Sept 1, 2020)

### General Season Layout (subject to change)

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| <b>March 9</b>         | Registration Opens online – As part of registration you will choose the school you will be attending in August of 2020 (Private, Home School, Other are choices as well)  |
| <b>July 20-24</b>      | Team rosters and coaches will be assigned – if registration at one school in same division exceeds one roster – a draft to create two teams for that school/division will be held. If a school does not have a minimum number of players registered in a division then the roster may be completed by any or all of the following – fill in with independent players, combine with another school without minimum number, coach recruit players to fill out roster. |
| <b>July 27</b>         | Practices begin this week (Practices will begin in shorts and t-shirts only and progressively add equipment on a set schedule to acclimatize players to conditions.)  |
| <b>August 24 or 31</b> | Regular Season Games begin<br><i>Season, including tournament should be 8-12 games depending on total number of teams in each division.</i>   |

## **Communication**

There are a couple of ways we will communicate information to you.

1. **Athletic Website** – [www.simpsonville.com/parksrec](http://www.simpsonville.com/parksrec)

Here we will post all schedules and give general information

2. **Email through Sports Signup system**

Both our office and your coach can email you or a group through the registration system. This is how we will mass email everyone for updates, weather issues, etc. Your coach will use it to organize the group in a quick and efficient manner. For this reason make sure you check the address you use in the system daily.

## **Athletic Office Hours**

*Athletic Office is in the Centreplex at Heritage Park – 861 SE Main St*

Monday – Friday 12pm-5pm

### **Staff**

Athletic Coordinator - Chris Elledge – [Celledge@simpsonville.com](mailto:Celledge@simpsonville.com)

Athletic Coordinator - Ethan Crump – [Ecrump@simpsonville.com](mailto:Ecrump@simpsonville.com)

Athletic Director – Chad Foster – [Cfoster@simpsonville.com](mailto:Cfoster@simpsonville.com)

## **Playing Areas**

**Simpsonville City Park – 100 Park Drive – 29681 – Game Field**

**Heritage Park - 861 SE Main St 29681 – Practice Fields**

## **Uniforms**

Each player will receive game jersey as part of registration. This jersey is yours to keep.

Use of a Helmet and Shoulder Pads (Returned at end of season)

Player will need to acquire pants/pant pads, mouthpiece, chin strap, molded rubber cleats.

## **Refund Policy**

By registering your child you are taking up a spot that another child might use in the league, for this reason we do not typically issue refunds.

## **Sponsorships and Advertising**

There are many great opportunities for you and/or your business or group to be seen by thousands each year at our parks – if you are interested in any of this please contact Ethan or Chris today.

## **Roster Assignment**

**Rosters will be built for each division and for each school where numbers provide – intent is to have at least one team from each area school in each division.**

**Coaches will be recruited by the Athletic Office for each team and that coach will recruit a staff of up to 5 on field coaches.**

**Rosters will range from 16-24 players.**