

2019 F.E.Y.S.B. POP WARNER FOOTBALL & CHEERLEADING

Online registration is open now at FEYSB.com

Dear Players and Parents:

We are quickly approaching another exciting season of Frankfort Pop Warner Football. The Panther football program will be entering its 119th season of tradition-rich football. Frankfort Pop Warner Football is available for all children entering third grade through sixth grade and must be at least eight years of age by August 1st. Your child can be in 2nd grade too as long as they are age eight by August 1st. Frankfort Pop Warner is affiliated with the Grand Traverse Bay YMCA. To learn more about the YMCA Pop Warner Football Association, please go to www.ymcafootball.com.

This year our goal to have two teams to represent Frankfort Pop Warner Football - 3rd/4th grade Pee Wee team and a 5th/6th grade JV team.

To better prepare the young Panthers for the 2019 season, there will be a two-day football camp facilitated by JV/Varsity coaches and players. The Frankfort Pop Warner Football Camp will be held on August 13th and 14th.

- The camp will run 9:00 am to 12:00 pm each day and is available to all area youth that are age eight by August 1st.
- All camp activity will be held at Lockhart Field adjacent to the high school.
- This camp will be a wonderful opportunity to learn and become better at fundamentals, go through football essential drills, and establish a bond as a team.
- The cost of the camp is \$10.00 and includes a Frankfort Football t-shirt. Checks can be made payable to Frankfort-Elberta Youth Sports Boosters (F.E.Y.S.B.).

The first day of practice for Frankfort Pop Warner will commence on August 19th at 4:30 pm to hand out equipment and practice will begin at 5:30 pm. The field is located at the north-east corner of the high school property.

- The registration fee for Pop Warner Football will be \$70.00 and is payable to Frankfort/Elberta Youth Sports Boosters (F.E.Y.S.B.). You can registration online today at FEYSB.com
- The parking area is adjacent to the Day Avenue entrance.
- Practice will run from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm on Monday through Thursday for the first two weeks of the season, whereas the remainder of the year practice will be held from 5:30 pm to 7:30 pm on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.
- A mandatory parent meeting will occur on Monday, August 19th at 4:30 pm to fully communicate goals and objectives associated with the 2019 season.
- YMCA requires that each child **must have a physical exam to practice or participate in games**. Make an appointment today as it can sometimes take several weeks to get an appointment for a physical. Most local physician's offices will supply the health form. **Bring the completed and signed health form with you on the first day of practice.**
- YMCA requires a birth certificate for all participants. All first-year players should bring a copy of their birth certificate on the first day of practice. All players must be age 8 by August 1st to be eligible to play Pop Warner Football.
- Jen Klein will be organizing the Cheerleading Team. The registration fee for this year's program is \$35 and registration can be done online as well. Our Cheer program is intended to expand the enthusiasm associated with cheerleading for our children as well as enhance school spirit and increase fun, physical fitness activity. She can be reached at (231) 651-9560 or via e-mail at jenniferklein0407@gmail.com for more information.

It is encouraged to register as soon as possible so we can have an idea of our numbers as we approach the start of the season.

For any questions regarding Frankfort Pop Warner Football, please contact Josh Mills at (231) 651-9117 or via e-mail at jmills@cofrankfort.net or Troy Lewis at (303)210-5482 or via e-mail at tlew25@aol.com

See you at camp on August 13th and 14th.

GO PANTHERS!