



**January  
20th and 21st  
Marshall  
Fireman's Park  
5 on 5 Flag**

**Football  
Tourney @  
Marshall Lions Club Ice  
Fisheree Festival**

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**\$75 ENTRY  
FEE with 100%  
PAYOUT to TOP  
TWO TEAMS**



**REGISTRATION DEADLINE**



**Sunday January 14<sup>th</sup> 6:00 pm to**

**Lion Matt Browne 608-209-9359 madmully55@gmail.com**

**Other events include:**

- Over \$25,000 in Cash & Raffles, walk around gun & bucket raffles (\$10,000 cash raffle and 25 different guns being raffled off, Stihl tools, bean bag boards, meat and more!)
- Euchre & Texas Hold 'em Tourney, Ice Fishing Tourney, Rabbit & Coyote Hunts, Snow Sculpting, Torchlit Ice Skating – events on January 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup>

- ALL DETAILS AT [www.sightfirst.com](http://www.sightfirst.com) or also on Facebook at Marshall Lions Club. No carry-Ins allowed. Food & Beverages will be available all day!

## **FLAG FOOTBALL RULES**

### **Marshall Lions Ice Fisheree Festival – January 20th and 21st**

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#### **The Game**

- No contact or blocking allowed
- No stiff arms or swatting away people pulling flags
- No holding onto flags if they are falling off
- A coin toss determines choice of starting with the ball or deferring to the second half •
- No wrapping players up just to pull their flags
- The ball is spotted where the flag is pulled or starts to fall off
- No Handoffs
- There will be no kickoffs, offensive drives will start at 5 yard line after touchdown or start of half •
- Interceptions and punts can be returned (not on PAT tries)
- Games will consist of two 15 minute halves with a 5 minute half time
- Teams will have 15 seconds to snap the ball once it is spotted
- Teams will have 3 downs to cross midfield for a first down
- Teams will have 1 timeout per half (1 minute)
- 5 on 5 on the field. 10 persons allowed on roster. You can only play for one team. •
- Field size is 60 yards x 30 yards with two 10 yard end zones
- Be ready to play 15 minutes before your scheduled time. If we are ahead of schedule we will start early •
- No oversized winter jackets to be worn while playing

#### **Scoring**

- A touchdown is worth 6 points, PAT is 1 point from the 5 yard line
  - A safety is worth 2 points

#### **Overtime**

- A coin toss determines first team to get the ball
- Each team will have 1 possession in overtime
- Each team will have a turn with the ball at the 5 yard line with 1 play to score
  - This process will continue until only 1 team scores

#### **Rushing the Quarterback**

- There will be a “five apple rush”, then the defense can rush
  - Unless the ball is pitched, then defense can rush immediately
- The QB may not pass the line of scrimmage unless rushed
- No linemen or blockers

#### **Passing/Receiving/Running**

- Receiving players must have at least 1 foot in bounds
- A player may not intentionally run out of bounds and make a reception
- If a receiver catches the ball without flags they are down immediately

### **Punting**

- Teams must announce that they will punt (no fakes)
- All Players must stand in place until the ball has been punted
- Any punt caught by the receiving team may be returned
  - If the ball is touched by the receiving team and fumbled the kicking team may retrieve the ball
- A team will start a drive at the five yard line if a punt results in a touch back

### **Penalties**

- All penalties will be called by the referee
- Taunting/Misconduct
  - 1<sup>st</sup> offense: warning, 2<sup>nd</sup> offense removed from remainder of game, 3<sup>rd</sup> offense-removed from tourney
- Defensive penalties (10 yards and automatic 1<sup>st</sup> down)
  - Pass interference
  - Illegal contact (holding, bump and run, tackling receiver, wrapping up to pull flags etc.)
  - Illegal flag pulling (before the receiver has the ball)
  - Taunting/Misconduct
- Offensive penalties (10 yards and loss of down)
  - Penalties on 4<sup>th</sup> accepted by defense will be replayed; if declined and there was no touchdown or 1<sup>st</sup> down on the play, the ball would then be turned over.
  - Illegal forward pass
  - Pass interference
  - Flag guarding (swatting away arms or stiff arming)
  - Delay of game
  - Taunting/Misconduct
- All penalties are assessed from the original line of scrimmage
- The game cannot end on a penalty, unless the penalty is declined

### **Equipment**

- Illegal equipment includes
  - Jewelry that can be pulled, shoulder pads, helmets
  - Flag must be on the side of the body (sides and back)

### **Substitutions**

- All substitutions must be made in between plays
- All players leaving the field must be off the field before the ball is snapped
- An injured player must sit out a minimum of one play

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# Marshall Lions Club

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## Player Waiver of Liability Agreement & Team Roster

Team Name \_\_\_\_\_ Manager & Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Manager's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

The undersigned desires to participate in a recreational activity being offered by the Marshall Lions Club. The undersigned assumes all responsibility and risks related to or in any way connected with the course or activity.

In consideration of the Marshall Lions Club, the undersigned does for himself/herself, his/her heirs, executors, successors and assigns, release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue the Marshall Lions Club, its members, agents, successors and assigns, of and from any and all actions, causes of action, claims, demands, damages, costs, loss of services, expenses and compensation arising out of, on account of, related to, or in any way connected with the undersigned's participation in this class.

### IN SIGNING THIS RELEASE, I ACKNOWLEDGE AND REPRESENT THAT

I have read the foregoing Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement, understand it and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed; no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written agreement, have been made; I am at least sixteen (16) years of age and fully competent; and I execute the Release for full, adequate and complete consideration fully intending to be bound by same.

Print Players Name	Players Signature	Date

Teams must turn in these Waivers to the Marshall Lions Club of Event Chairperson before the first game.

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