

## Draft Rules

1. 1st round-Everybody selects in reverse order of last year's regular season final records. This order remains throughout with the exception **as** noted in rule 6 below. New teams select first. If a team's roster is filled out with returning players, it will not have a 1st round pick.
2. 2nd round-This is a supplemental round. Team(s) with the fewest number of players select this round.
3. 3rd round—All remaining teams select in the order defined in the first round.
4. 4th round and beyond--Team(s) with the fewest players select in order, 1 round at a time until they match the next highest level of number of players. Then, the teams with that number of players enter into the draft order for subsequent rounds. This continues until all teams have the same number of players.
5. For leagues having different numbers of players per team, any team may pass on making a selection that would give it an extra player. Once a team passes on a selection, that team will be considered finished. At that point, the remaining teams must select the remaining players. Exception; If all teams pass consecutively, the draft order resumes with the first team that passed. There will be no more passes allowed and the draft order continues until all remaining players are selected.
6. If there are two or more new teams in any league, the draft order is determined by a coin flip. Those teams will then select in reverse order in each subsequent round.
7. Only the children (and stepchildren) of the designated head coach and siblings (and stepsiblings) of returning players are automatically placed on a team. Exception: The child (or children) of an established assistant coach can also be automatically placed on a team. In this case, the child is declared as a 3<sup>rd</sup> round draft choice. If there are 2 or more children in this case, the remaining siblings would be declared in rounds immediately following the 3<sup>rd</sup> round. All other players must be drafted according to the above guidelines.
8. When drafting the first of two or more siblings, the coach is allowed to skip a round between picks unless the exception in #7 applies.
9. Trades or player movements are not allowed once the draft is finished and the rosters are established.