

NFL Flag National Championship 2024

26 June 2024



TOURNAMENT OVERVIEW

NFL Flag National Championship 2024

DATE: Wednesday 26th June

TIMINGS: 09:00 – 16:30

LOCATION: Loughborough Holywell Fields, Loughborough LE11 3GR

<u>ARRIVE VIA HOLYWELL PARK CARPARK</u> - LE11 3GR

PRIMARY: 10

SECONDARY: 10

GIRLS: 8





KEY TIMINGS | EVENT DAY

TIME	DESCRIPTION	LOCATION
09:30 - 10:30	SCHOOL ARRIVALS / REGISTRATION	REGISTRATION
10:30 - 10:50	EVENT START - WELCOME / PLAYER INTROS / PHOTOS	FIELD 2 AND 3
09:30 - 15:45	ACTIVATION AREA OPEN	ACADEMY FIELD
10:50 - 10:55	TEAMS PLAYING IN THE FIRST FIXTURES HEAD TO THEIR FIELDS	PLAYING FIELDS
11:00	FACE PAINTER ACTIVATION OPEN	ACADEMY FIELD
11:00 – 11:20	ROUND 1 GAMES: SECONDARY, GIRLS, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
11:25 – 11:45	ROUND 2 GAMES: SECONDARY, GIRLS, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
11:50 - 12:20	ROUND 3 GAMES: SECONDARY, GIRLS 30 MINUTE BREAK: PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
12:25 - 12:55	ROUND 3 GAMES: PRIMARY 30 MINUTE BREAK: SECONDARY	PLAYING FIELDS
12:20 - 13:45	JETS V BEARS GIRLS SHOWCASE	FIELD 2
13:00 - 13:20	ROUND 4 GAMES: SECONDARY, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
13:25 - 13:45	ROUND 5 GAMES: SECONDARY, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
13:50 - 14:15	BREAK ON ALL FIELDS – PLAYOFF FIXTURES ANNOUNCED	PLAYING FIELDS
14:20 - 14:40	PLAYOFFS: SECONDARY, GIRLS, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
14:45 - 15:05	PLAYOFFS: SECONDARY, GIRLS, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
15:10 - 15:30	PLAYOFFS: SECONDARY, GIRLS, PRIMARY	PLAYING FIELDS
15:35 - 16:05	AWARDS CEREMONY AND PRESENTATION	FIELDS 2 AND 3
16:05 - 16:30	EVENT ENDS - ALL SCHOOL DEPART	ALL AREAD





SITE OVERVIEW





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MEDICAL TENT

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SCHOOL TOILETS IN

CHANGING ROOMS



REGISTRATION TENT



PUBLIC CATERING



GROUND FLOOR OF HOLYWELL STADIUM



PA & DJ



FIRST FLOOR OF **HOLYWELL STADIUM**



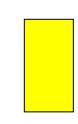
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HOLYWELL PARK CAR PARK



FLAG FIELDS: 1-4 = GIRLS FIELD 5-8 = SECONDARY **FIELDS** 9-12 = PRIMARY FIELDS



PLAYERS, COACHES, STAFF **ONLY**



ARRIVALS: All participants and spectators are asked to arrive via the Holywell Park car park.

PARKING: The Holywell Park car park requires payment on entry. Please follow the instructions posted or pay in advance by heading to: apcoaconnect.com and entering code: 2862

FOOD: There will be public catering available to athletes and spectators for purchase. They will be serving hot food, teas, coffees and some snacks.

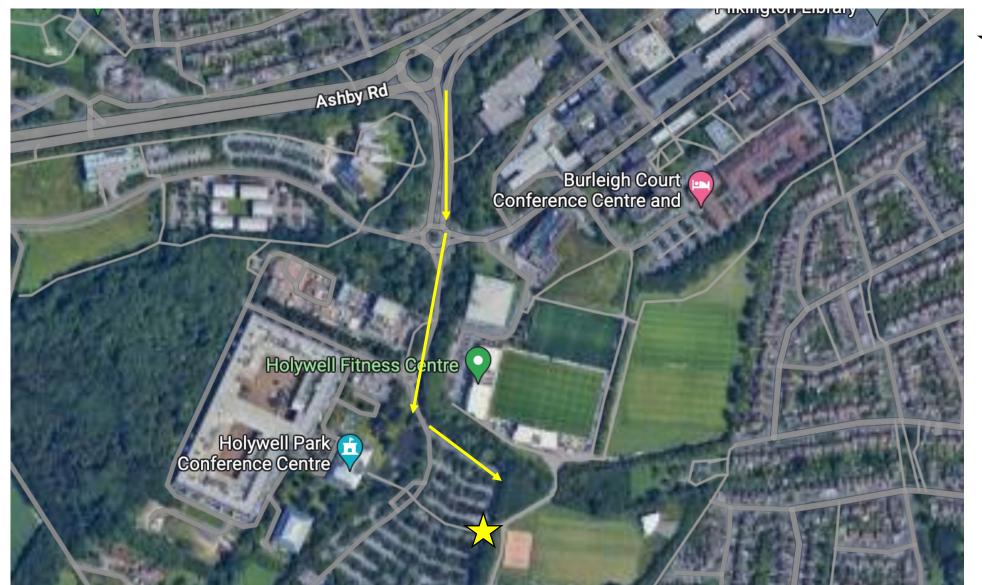
WATER: All participants are asked to bring water bottles and use the refill points inside of the Holywell stadium.

RESULTS: Game outcomes will be uploaded online. Please follow the QR code on this page to access.





ARRIVALS





Hollywell Park Car Park Loughborough LE11 3GR

All attendees need to enter the venue via the Hollywell Park car park.

Please head to the star on this map to check in your team or athlete.

Media, VIP + spectators should all entre using the same instructions as above



TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE | SECONDARY POOL PLAY

TIME		FIELD 5		FIELD 6	FIELD 7			FIELD 8	
11:00-11:20		TEAM 1 V TEAM 4	TEAM 2 V TEAM 3			TEAM 6 V TEAM 7		TEAM 8 V TEAM 9	
11:25-11:45		TEAM 3 V TEAM 1	TEAM 4 V TEAM 5			TEAM 6 V TEAM 8		TEAM 7 V TEAM 10	
11:50-12:10		TEAM 5 V TEAM 3	TEAM 1 V TEAM 2		TEAM 6 V TEAM 10			TEAM 7 V TEAM 9	
12:15 - 12:35		BREAK	BREAK			BREAK		BREAK	
12:40 - 13:00		TEAM 2 V TEAM 5	TEAM 3 V TEAM 4			TEAM 6 V TEAM 9		TEAM 8 V TEAM 10	
13:05 - 13:25		TEAM 4 V TEAM 2	TEAM 5 V TEAM 1			TEAM 7 V TEAM 8		TEAM 9 V TEAM 10	
		SECONDARY POOL 1				SECONDARY POOL 2			
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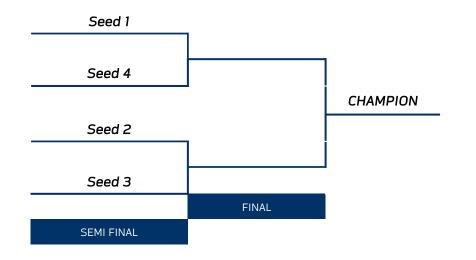
ALDERBOOK SCHOOL

WINDLESHAM HOUSE SCHOOL



TOURNAMENT STRUCTURE | SECONDARY PLAYOFFS

TIME	FIELD 5	FIELD 6	FIELD 7	FIELD 8
14:20 - 14:40	SEMI FINAL	SEMI FINAL	SEED 5 V SEED 6	SEED 8 V SEED 9
14:45 - 15:05	3 RD PLACE	-	SEED 6 V SEED 7	SEED 9 V SEED 10
15:10 - 15:30	FINAL	-	SEED 7 V SEED 5	SEED 10 V SEED 8
15:35 - 16:00	AWARDS	AWARDS	AWARDS	AWARDS



	PLAYOFF POOL 1		PLAYOFF POOL 2
SEED 5		SEED 8	
SEED 6		SEED 9	
SEED 7		SEED 10	



OVERALL SCHEDULE

TIME	FIELD 1	FIELD 2	FIELD 3	FIELD 4	FIELD 5	FIELD 6	FIELD 7	FIELD 8	FIELD 9	FIELD 10	FIELD 11	FIELD 12
11:00 – 11:20	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY
11:25 - 11:45	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY
11:50 - 12:20	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	GIRLS	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
12:25 - 12:55	-	Jets/Bears Girl's Showcase	-		BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY
13:00 - 13:20	-	Jets/Bears Girl's Showcase	-	-	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY
13:25 - 13:45	-	Jets/Bears Girl's Showcase	-	-	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	SECONDARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY	PRIMARY
13:50 - 14:15	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
14:20 - 14:40	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS
14:45 - 15:05	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	-	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	-	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS
15:10 - 15:30	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	GIRLS PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	-	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	SECONDARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	-	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS	PRIMARY PLAYOFFS



ATTENDING SCHOOLS

All schools have qualified via the NFL Flag Regional Tournaments

PRIMARY						
School	Teacher					
Houghton Primary School	John Johnson					
Woodland View	Jamie Willars					
Dingwall Primary School	Stephen Lee					
Little Ealing Primary School	Bobby Behzadi					
Marlcliffe	Jack Kenworthy					
Ewole Green	Jon Swede					
Light Oaks	Joseph Turner					
Southwater Junior Academy	Paul Showell					
Llysfaen Primary School	Matt Tyan					
Christ the King Catholic Primary	Craig Hadlum					

SECONDARY					
School	Teacher				
Abbey College	Phillip Landy				
Wrenn	Mark Loosemore				
St David's RCS Pilton	Brendan Creaney				
Grey Court	Milly Marsh				
St Mary's College	Santi Berry				
Prestatyn High	Sterling Steeves				
Saint Marys Hall Stonyhurst	Eli Williamson				
Windlesham House School	Mark Duncan				
Mary Immaculate	George Gasson				
Alderbook School	Pav Kahlon				

GIRLS					
School	Teacher				
Hinchingbrooke School	Tom Banks				
St Ivo	Oliver Blackman				
Arnold Hill	Alex Bartley				
The Kingston Academy (Girls)	Daniel Waters				
William Perkin High School	Dave Sargent				
Mount Carmel RC High School	Chris Barratt				
Ysgol Gyfun Gymraeg Glantaf	Sara Evans				
Rawlett School	Matt Southam				



FIELD SET UP

ENDZONE PYLON

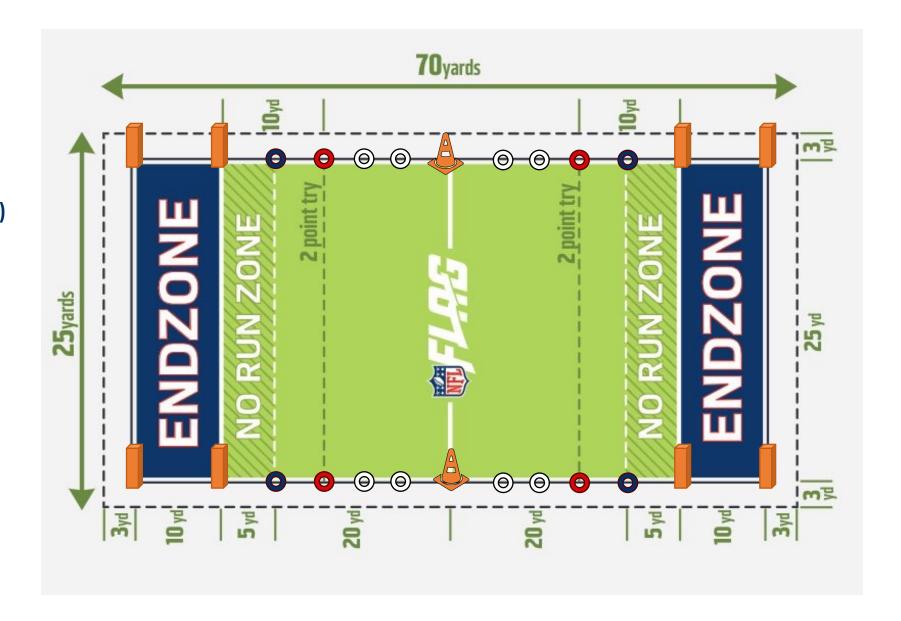
- 0
- 10 YARD LINE (2-PAT)

- 0
- **5 YARD LINE (1-PAT)**

SIDELINE



MIDFIELD





GAME RULES OVERVIEW

GAME PLAY:

- ✓ The offensive team takes possession
 of the ball at its 5-yard line and has
 four (4) plays to cross midfield. Once
 a team crosses midfield, it has four
 (4) plays to score a touchdown.
- ✓ If the offense fails to score, the ball changes possession and the new offensive team starts its drive on its own 5-yard line.
- ✓ If the offensive team fails to cross midfield, possession of the ball changes and the opposition starts its drive from its own 5-yard line.
- ✓ All possession changes, except interceptions, start on the offense's 5-yard line.

SCORING:

- ✓ Touchdown = 6 points
- ✓ One (1) point after touchdown (PAT) from the 5-yard line. Must be a passing attempt. = 1 Point
- √ Two (2) points after touchdown (2PAT) from the 12 yard. Can be either a running or passing attempt. = 2 Points
- ✓ If a defender intercepts a PAT or 2PAT pass and returns it to the opposition endzone. (PAT return) = 2 points.
- ✓ A safety occurs when the ball carrier is ruled down within their own endzone. A ball carrier is ruled down by being tackled, a flag falling out, stepping out of bounds or fumbling the ball

DEFENDING:

- ✓ A legal flag pull takes place when the ball carrier is in full possession of the ball.
- ✓ Defenders can leave the floor and dive to pull the ball carriers flag but cannot impede, hold or hit the ball carrier.
- ✓ It is illegal to attempt to strip or hit the ball out of the ball carrier's possession at any time.
- ✓ Interceptions are returnable for touchdowns and for 2 points on both PAT and 2PAT attempts.
- ✓ Once the quarterback has lowered their hands (simulating a handoff) the defence are able to cross the line of scrimmage and tackle offensive players. This is the only time a quarterback can be sacked.

OVERTIME:

- ✓ Coin toss to decide who begins with the ball. All scores in overtime are worth one point.
- ✓ Teams will take turns attempting PATs from the from the 5-yard line.
- ✓ If each team scores, a new 'round'
 will commence.
- ✓ If scores remain level (i.e., both teams have scored, or, failed to score an equal number of times) after 2 rounds, the ball will be moved back to the 10-yard line.
- ✓ If scores remain level after 2 further attempts, each team will have a single attempt from the halfway line.
- ✓ If neither team scores on this final attempt, the team who gets closest to the opposition goal line on the final attempt will be declared the winner.



CODE OF CONDUCT

NFL Flag events will be conducted with the following principles in mind.

All individuals involved in the event must be aware of the principles and adhere to them. The failing of this may jeopardise future involvement.

Participants

Fair Play

- I will treat people with respect and fairness
- I will demonstrate 'fair play' on and off the field
- I will comply with the rules of the sport
- I will respect all officials and their decisions

Equity & Inclusiveness

- I will respect all differences in gender, disability, culture, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation and religious beliefs
- I will not tolerate or be involved in any form of discrimination
- I will report any incidents I witness that challenge these values

Responsibility

- I will look out for myself and the welfare of others
- I will disclose any condition or injury which may impact my place in the event
- I will be organised and on time

I will not:

- Leave the sports site during the event without a member of staff
- Consume or possess alcohol, illegal/performance enhancing drugs, or smoke
- Engage in inappropriate physical contact
- Engage in abuse on social media
- Leave litter

Friendship

- I appreciate all participants bring something valuable to this sport
- I will value and learn from the diversity of people
- I will take time to thank the people who helped deliver the event and helped me participate

Leaders/Teachers

Fair Play

- I will encourage fairness, understanding and comply with the rules
- I will treat people with respect and fairness
- I will demonstrate 'fair play' on and off the field.
- I will respect all officials and their decisions
- I will fully uphold the policies and regulations of my organisation in relation to my role

Equity & Inclusiveness

- I will respect all differences in gender, disability, culture, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation and religious beliefs
- I will not tolerate or be involved in any form of discrimination and will escalate incidents as appropriate
- I will respect the rights of both athletes and officials, promoting their welfare and individual needs

Responsibility

- I will have a clear understanding of my role
- I will have a clear understanding of who is in my care
- I will respond to all concerns about a young person's welfare and report concerns as appropriate
- I will be present throughout the event

I will not:

- Knowingly select an injured athlete
- Supervise young people unaccompanied with the necessary requirements
- Consume or possess alcohol, illegal/performance enhancing drugs, or smoke
- Engage in inappropriate physical contact
- Engage in any illegal activity
- Engage in abuse on social media
- Put inappropriate focus on competition outcome
- Scold, shout or punish a young person for their performance

Staff & Officials

Fair Play

- I will respect the rights of both athletes and officials, promoting their welfare and individual needs
- I will treat people with respect and fairness
- I will fully uphold the policies and regulations of my organisation in relation to my role
- I will promote relationships with officials, athletes and others based on respect, trust, openness and honesty

Equity & Inclusiveness

- I will respect all differences in gender, disability, culture, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation & religious beliefs
- I will not tolerate or be involved in any form of discrimination
- I will report any incidents I witness that challenge these values

Responsibility

- I will always demonstrate professional behavior, providing a positive role model for the young people
- I will wear relevant accreditation and official clothing
- I will respond to all concerns about a young person's welfare and report concerns as appropriate
- I will respond to any concerns over cyber bulling and abuse on social media.

I will not:

Consume, possess or supply alcohol or illegal / performance enhancing drugs

I Understand that any breach of this code of conduct may result in removal from the NFL event and subject to potential disciplinary action from the NFL. This could jeopardise my future participation with the sport, as a volunteer and/or future involvements with the NFL



THANK YOU