

Recreation SPRING LAKE & Parks

• 245 Ruth Street • Spring Lake, NC • 28390 • (910) 436-0011

Eligibility: Ages 5-12 (age as of December 1st, 2017)

Registration: Through Saturday, August 12th

(Completed registration form and birth certificate required/register online @ <https://springlake.recdesk.com>)

Registration Fee: \$20 for Spring Lake Residents \$40 for Non-Residents

(Please note: **\$5 late fee applies after registration deadline**; not all Spring Lake addresses are considered to be inside the limits of the Town of Spring Lake. For example: Addresses that may be listed with a Spring Lake address and zip code but are in these jurisdictions' (Harnett, Lee County, etc) are not considered residents.

Youth Football 2017



Please indicate the age group that your child will play:

Flag 5-6 _____ Tackle 7-8 _____ Tackle 9-10 _____ Tackle 11-12 _____

My child played for _____ team last season (if in Spring Lake)

Child's Name _____
Date of Birth _____ Age as of December 1, 2017 _____
Address _____ County _____

Gender: Male or Female _____ Race: _____

Home Telephone Number _____

Cell Number _____

E-mail Address _____

School Name _____ Grade _____

**Would you like to
volunteer to help with
your child's team?**

Yes _____ No _____

Call: (910) 436-0011

Your child's t-shirt size:

Youth _____

Or

Adult _____

Please read and Sign: I give my child permission to participate in the above named activity. I understand that Spring Lake Recreation requires insurance coverage on all participants. I am fully aware that this activity could cause injury to my child. In the event of an injury, I will not hold the Town of Spring Lake, their volunteers, employees, agents and/or representatives responsible or liable. I also give the Spring Lake Recreation Department permission to seek medical attention to my child as deemed necessary by the Recreation Staff. I also sign my child up with the knowledge that school night activity is involved and that some out of town play could take place. I also understand that my registration fee is strictly administrative and does not entitle me to a uniform or trophy.

Parent's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent's Printed Name _____

Office use only: Resident ___ Non-Resident ___ (check one) _____ RECDESK PAYMENT ID #: _____

Date _____ Paid by credit/cash/check# _____ Amount\$ _____ Birth Certificate _____ Staff Initial _____

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Code of Conduct/Ethics

Spring Lake Recreation activities are made available to youth and adults to enjoy fun and wholesome recreational programming that teaches character and sportsmanship. We support the belief that all recreational programming and experiences should be positive and safe with sportsmanship and enjoyment the primary goal. To achieve this goal, we strive to provide a safe environment for participants of these programs and to protect them from harm to the best of our ability. To that end, all participants and spectators must be held accountable for their behavior and zero tolerance given for intentional violation of the code of conduct/ethics.

EXPECTATIONS

- Treat all parties involved with dignity and respect.
- Use appropriate language, tones, and volume when communicating. When in doubt, remain silent.
- Become knowledgeable, understanding and supportive of all established guidelines, rules, policies, and procedures applicable to related programming.
- Recognize/acknowledge Spring Lake Recreation Department programming as a privilege that can be rescinded for the greater good.

Unfortunately, aggressive behavior is on the rise in recreational programming. Negative attitudes, verbal abuse of officials, poor sportsmanship, profanity, child predators and violence are casting a negative light in our area. It is for that reason penalties have been assessed and will be enforced for acts perceived by Spring Lake Recreation as intentional violations.

PROCEDURES

- When an incident occurs at any Spring Lake Recreation activity/event, Spring Lake officials have the authority to institute immediate suspensions. Spring Lake will offer to escort the offending individual(s) from the facility. If the offending individual(s) refuse to leave the premises, local authorities will be contacted immediately and asked to enforce the ruling.
- Individual(s) removed from the facility in this manner will be sent a registered letter stating the violation of policy and the penalty in effect. The individual(s) will then have forty eight (48) hours from receipt of the letter to respond to Spring Lake Recreation Department with a written appeal.
- After the written appeal is received, an investigation will be conducted and SLRD will render a final decision within ten (10) working days from receipt of the appeal.
- A panel consisting of the program supervisor, immediate supervisory staff, and the department assistant director will conduct the investigation. During the investigation, the individual(s) will be suspended from all SLRD activities/events/facilities. Individual(s) requesting the appeal may be asked to appear before an appeal review committee led by the SLRD Director. This decision will be final.
- Suspensions of less than ten (10) days cannot be appealed.

It is the SLRD's sincere desire that situations never warrant the removal of an individual from any activity, event, or facility. However, it is the department's obligation to maintain a controlled, safe and healthy atmosphere for everyone. Recreational activities are designed to foster qualities such as character building, social interaction, enjoyment, and relaxation while educating the general public and promoting healthy lifestyles. These activities are not designed to be overly competitive and SLRD does not promote this contention.

Parent's Signature

Date / /