



## **Pittsburgh Franchise Football League 2010 Predraft League Meeting**

### **Overview**

The meeting will be held on **Wednesday, August 25 at 7:30**. The meeting will finalize the amount of conferences, amount of teams in each conference, team conference placement, draft dates and draft order for each conference. A deposit on the franchise fee is necessary at this time to secure a team for the upcoming season.

### **The League**

Tentatively the league will again consist of three conferences but tentatively the amount of teams in each conference will expand from 11 to 12 this year. The final official amount of conferences and teams will be determined at the meeting.

### **Fees and Prizes**

The franchise fees will remain the same. The prizes will be adjusted to accommodate any conference team expansion. A prize sheet will be distributed after the amount of teams and conferences are finalized.

### **Scoring**

The scoring system will remain the same as the last four years with one minor exception: If the amount of teams again dictate that a weekly game against the average is necessary, teams playing against the average will no longer have their score incorporated in the average itself. The points they score will have no affect on the average's final score. The weekly scoring average of the last four years and the starting average for the upcoming 2010 PFFL season is 117.4 points a week.

### **Schedules and Postseason Formats**

After the final determination of teams and conferences, a regular season schedule and the Playoff and Consolation Tournament formats will be posted before the start of the season.

### **Draft Position Draw**

Again teams will have the ability to choose their draft position instead of being assigned one. The number-one pick will have their choice of any draft position on the board. Then in sequential order according to the number they have drawn, teams will be able to pick any draft position not taken with a previous pick. If a team is unavailable at the time of the draw and gave no specific instruction as to their desired position, they will be given the number drawn for them. If that number is not available they will be given the next highest draft position that is available.

### **Survivor**

The 2010 edition of the **Pittsburgh Survival Football Contest** is up and running.

### **Sandlot League**

If there is enough interest the league may expand with smaller priced leagues. The league or leagues if created would be financially separate from the main leagues. The formats would use the same general rules and regulations, MFL web sites, playoff formats, etc. but have a significantly less franchise fee. The drafts could be live or online whatever is more convenient. Again this is all predicated on the interest level and commitments. If enough teams sign up, the following Wednesday, September 1 would be used as the predraft meeting to select draft orders and collect franchise fees.

**GOOD LUCK IN 2010!**