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>>> NEWSLETTER

As Summer arrives, we're thrilled to continue to share new programs, updates, and opportunities for everyone in our football community. Check out what's going on in tackle, flag, coaching, officiating, and more, as well as information on the events being hosted by Football Manitoba!

GENERAL INFORMATION

>>> FOOTBALL MANITOBA MEGA RAFFLE

Football Manitoba's Annual Mega Raffle is underway! Get your tickets from any of the participating organizations:

Bison Booster Club	Manitoba Underdogs
East Side Eagles Football Club	Nomads Football Club
Eastman Raiders Football Club	St. James Rods Football Club
Falcons Football Club	St. Vital Mustang's Football Club
Fort Garry Lions Football Club	Sunrise Coyotes Football Club
Kildonan East Reivers	

FOOTBALL MANITOBA 2026 MEGA RAFFLE

\$20,000 Grand Prize

\$5,000 Second Prize

\$1,500 Third Prize

Draw Date - November 16, 2026

**\$10 Per
Ticket**

>>> FOOTBALL MANITOBA - 30 DAYS OF FOOTBALL SPONSORS

Football Manitoba has put together the 30 Days of Football and is offering opportunities to corporate sponsors to be a part of the action! Sponsors have the opportunity to reach the football audience at regional, provincial, and national events.

Opportunities are still available to get involved. For more information, contact rick@nrsmail.com or follow the link below.

[30 DAYS OF FOOTBALL SPONSORSHIP](#)

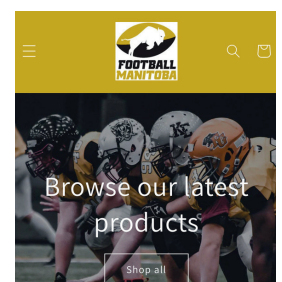


>>> ONLINE STORE

Our store is stocked with all of your favourite Football Manitoba merchandise, along with some fun new colors and styles. Come to our office or visit our online store!

Online orders can be picked up at the Football Manitoba office or shipped right to your doorstep!

[VISIT THE STORE TODAY!](#)



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With the summer weather shining through, we are excited to share information about several local and national events that Football Manitoba is hosting this season! From in-house league finals to Football Canada tournaments, there is something for everyone.

EVENTS

>>> SPRING FLAG FINALS

Our annual Spring Flag season concludes on June 27th and 28th at Maple Grove Rugby Park. Join us as we celebrate the final games of the 230+ participating teams from this season.

Football Manitoba will be on-site with merchandise - be sure to stop by and see what is available!



>>> U16 WESTERN CHALLENGE - JUNE 30-JULY 6

The best of the West returns for the second straight year! Football Manitoba is excited to host British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan in a battle of the top U16 players in Western Canada.

Come cheer on your Team Manitoba as they take on Alberta on July 2nd at 7:00pm at St. Vital Mustang's field!

[U16 WESTERN CHALLENGE TICKETS AND INFORMATION](#)



>>> U18 CANADA CUP - JULY 11-JULY 20

For the first time in 10 years, Football Manitoba is hosting the top tackle athletes at the U18 level from across Canada to compete for the National Championship. Join us to witness Canada's best! Games will be at both St. Vital Mustang's field and Princess Auto Stadium!

Come cheer on your Team Manitoba as they battle Quebec on July 13th at 8:00pm at Princess Auto Stadium!

[U18 CANADA CUP TICKETS AND INFORMATION](#)



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Summer season means tackle football is preparing to get underway across Manitoba and Northwest Ontario, with league registrations opening and camps starting. Follow us on Instagram to stay up-to-date on all upcoming initiatives - @football.manitoba

TACKLE FOOTBALL

>>> LEAGUES/TEAMS

Many leagues and teams either have registration open or their seasons are underway! See below for more information on the tackle leagues and teams that Football Manitoba supports. Click the logo for more information!



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The Football Manitoba High Performance Tackle Team is a user-paid program that involves multiple stages of training, evaluation, and competition. Athletes must be selected through a series of combines, training camps, and tryouts. Once selected, athletes commit to a structured schedule of training, games, and competition across the province and beyond.

TACKLE HIGH PERFORMANCE

>>> HIGH PERFORMANCE PROCESS - WHERE ARE WE AT?

High Performance Tackle is fully underway and the teams are preparing for their upcoming tournaments. Manitoba puts forward several teams that will compete across the country this summer. Opportunities are available for U16 Boys and Girls, U17 Boys, U18 Boys and Girls, and U19 Indigenous players.

The U16 Girls and U18 Girls programs are still accepting players to round out their rosters. Interested, or know someone who fits the bill? Contact the Football Manitoba office today!

Join the best players from across the province in an elite, team-focused program built on skill. You'll sharpen your game, build strength and confidence and learn from top coaches through high-level practices, film sessions and team experiences.

HIGH PERFORMANCE TACKLE INFO



Tournament Dates/Locations

U16 Girls	-----	July 13-19 - Calgary, AB
U16 Boys	-----	June 30-July 5 - Winnipeg, MB
U17 Boys	-----	July 6-10 - Kelowna, BC
U18 Girls	-----	July 21-29 - Regina, SK
U18 Boys	-----	July 11-20 - Winnipeg, MB
U19 Indigenous	-----	July 1-5 - Regina, SK

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Between High Performance and our Flag Leagues, flag football is booming with Football Manitoba. Stay tuned for more information on leagues, tournaments, offseason training and various new initiatives. We look forward to new development opportunities and expanded pathways in flag in Manitoba!

HIGH PERFORMANCE FLAG FOOTBALL

>>> HIGH PERFORMANCE FLAG

Elite Flag Nationals has concluded and the results are in! We want to congratulate all teams on their efforts over the last few months and thank our coaches for dedicating their time to the success of these teams!

More information on the 2027 season coming soon!

U16 Boys - 4th Place

U18 Boys - 2nd Place

U19 Boys - 1st Place

U16 Girls - 4th Place

U18 Girls - 4th Place

U19 Girls - 5th Place



Football Manitoba wants to congratulate Domenic Horvath on his selection to Team Canada for the Senior Men's Team! The team will be competing at the World Championship in Germany this August to secure an Olympic bid!

Congratulations, Dom!



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Summer is the perfect time to renew your certifications, or grow your knowledge base. Take a look at this section for courses offered through Football Manitoba, or visit footballmanitoba.com to stay up-to-date on all courses being offered.

COACHES AND OFFICIALS

>>> SAFE CONTACT WORKSHOP - JUNE 14



All coaches requiring Safe Contact certification are encouraged to register for the upcoming June 14th workshop being held via Zoom. Sessions are available for both new and experienced coaches. 8:30am-12:30pm for new coaches and 1:00pm-4:30pm for experienced coaches needing a refresher.

[REGISTER FOR THE SAFE CONTACT WORKSHOP](#)

>>> MATA COURSE FOR FOOTBALL TRAINERS - JULY 25 & 26

The Manitoba Athlete Therapy Association in partnership with Football Manitoba is running an Athletic Therapy course for MMFA trainers, being held July 25th and 26th, from 8:30am-4:30pm each day. The cost for the course is \$150. This course is designed to help trainers build skills and knowledge to support their clubs for the upcoming season.

[REGISTER FOR THE MATA COURSE FOR MMFA TRAINERS](#)

>>> LEVEL ONE OFFICIALS CLINIC FOR FLAG OFFICIALS - JUNE 3

Our final Level One Officials Clinic for the Spring season will take place on June 3rd from 6:30pm-8:15pm at Sport Manitoba.

This is a great opportunity for new officials to get certified and get involved this season, with options to stay involved for future seasons, as flag football is a year-round sport. Have the opportunity to officiate with your friends and family with pay starting at \$20!

[BECOME A FLAG FOOTBALL OFFICIAL TODAY!](#)