



Bill George Youth Football League Championship Weekend

Congratulations! Your team has successfully qualified for the 2012 Super Bowl games starting November 10th through the 11th, at Benedictine University in Lisle, Illinois.

Undoubtedly this will be a very busy week preparing for the game. To assist you in your preparations for the event, the following information listed below -

- **How much does it cost -**
 - Admission Price - Adults \$5, Children under fifteen (15) \$3, and Senior Citizens \$3, Children under five (5) are free.
 - Head coach, assistants and uniformed players are free

- **How do I get access to the field for my game -**
 - You will receive six (6) football field access badges for your game only - not to be used for field access for any other time or day. The head coach may distribute the field access badges to his team for the game as needed to support sidelines. Each team will be allowed two (2) water boys under the age of twelve (12); field access badges are not required for water boys.
 - If you have a cheer team joining you game, they will receive four (4) cheer access passes. Cheer passes are only for cheer program and cannot be used by football.

- **When should I have my team arrive -**
 - Please arrive an hour and thirty minutes (90 minutes) before your game time start. Proceed to the North field entrance for team check in and receive your field access badges. The North field entrance staff will instruct you where your team may warm up.

- **Will there be weigh in's and do I need my roster -**
 - Weigh-ins will be conducted by the BGYFL executive board. Head coaches may observe but will not be part of the weigh in. A BGYFL executive board member will collect the teams at the appropriate times during warm ups for weigh in. Bring your gold laminated roster for weigh in.

- **I have a team Videographer / Photographer, how do I get them on the field –**
 - Video and Photography are allowed at the stadium. You may use one (1) of your teams field access passes for a Videographer / Photographer. **They will not be allowed outside the coach's box.** We encourage you to advise your team Videographers / Photographers to use the stands, as they will have a much better view from the stands. If we have an issue with one of on field videographer / photographer, they will be warned once. The second warning will be us stopping the game and escorting them out of the Stadium.

- **What color jersey should the wear –**
 - Higher seed is Home and wears dark color, lower seed is Away and wears lighter jersey.

- **Where will the cheer teams be positioned –**
 - Cheer groups will be positioned on the East side of the stadium, with field access at half time. Additional Cheer information will be provided by the BGYFL Cheer committee.
- **Can I bring water or half time food on the field -**
 - Benedictine Univ., Will not allow you to bring any food or beverages into the Stadium. Players / Teams may bring water (only) on the field for game only. No colored drinks are allowed on the field.
- **I have an evening game, will there be lights in the ward up area –**
 - Evening Games will be supported with warm up area lights in the practice locations. No tents will be provided.
- **Will there be locker room access for my team -**
 - The Stadium restrooms will be used as lock rooms for the teams; located on the North side of the stadium. Additional information available at check in.
- **Do both teams get trophies and where –**
 - Yes, both a Champion and Runner Up trophy will be presented to each player at the conclusion of your game. The trophy presentation will be conducted in the stadium entrance by the BGYFL executive board.
- **My team would like to gather in the parking lot prior to the game –**
 - Pre-game tailgating is allowed, but the University prohibits alcohol.
- **If I park on the grass will I get a ticket –**
 - Yes, the University patrols and tickets all vehicles not in proper park location.
- **Can we use the upper deck viewing on the stadium for videotaping -**
 - No, access to the upper deck, elevator and press box is off limits.
- **Football & Cheer Rosters –**
 - Please submit your roster for announcing purposes. Please email your rosters to Marge Holmstrom at bgfyl@yahoo.com no later than Thursday Nov. 8th.
- **BGYFL/Benedictine Food Drive –**
 - Benedictine and BGYFL have joined forces to create the Second Annual BGYFL/Benedictine Food Drive. We are asking all participants and their families that will be attending the games to bring canned food products. The Benedictine students and faculty will then deliver the products to the Lisle/Woodridge Food pantry. From there it will be distributed throughout the Dupage County food pantries.
- If you have any questions and or concerns please call Alex D'Agostino, Rob Sheridan or Marge Holmstrom