

THE PEI FROZEN FLAG OPEN



TOURNAMENT TECHNICAL PACKAGE

Presented by Football PEI



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TOURNAMENT OVERVIEW

The PEI Frozen Flag Open is an annual winter flag football tournament. The 2026 version will be the first ever and will feature four divisions: U16 Male, U16 Female, U18 Male, and U18 Female. Each division will be made up of 5 teams. Divisions will play over three separate weekends with two weekends being a round robin and the final weekend being playoffs. Each team is guaranteed four games in the round robin and one game in the playoffs. The playoff weekend format is listed below and includes a play-in, semifinals, and finals for each division.

DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY

- There will be 5 teams per division:
 - U16 Male
 - U16 Female
 - U18 Male
 - U18 Female
- Rosters: must have a minimum of 7 to a maximum of 12 athletes.
- Athletes must play within the 2026 age divisions:
 - U18: 2009-2010
 - U16: 2011- 2012
- This is an 'Open Event' - not a Club Event: Football PEI Clubs are encouraged to enter their own teams, if they wish. However, rosters do not need to be made from individual Football PEI Clubs. Athletes from multiple different Football PEI Clubs may be placed on the same roster.
- Coaches: At least 1 coach on the sidelines at all times that has all of their NCCP courses and a CRC, as required by Football PEI.

DATES & VENUES

- Week 1: Jan 17 (U16 Round Robin) - Stratford - 5:00-8:00 PM
- Week 2: Jan 31 (U16 Round Robin) - Stratford - 5:00-8:00 PM
- Week 3: Feb 14 (U16 Playoffs) - Stratford - 5:00-8:00 PM

- Week 4: Feb 28 (U18 Round Robin) - Stratford - 5:00-8:00 PM
- Week 5: Mar 7 (U18 Round Robin) - **Summerside** - 12:30-3:30 PM
- Week 6: Mar 14 (U18 Playoffs) - Stratford - 5:00-8:00 PM

- The majority of games will be played out of the Stratford Indoor Soccer Complex with some games needing to be played out of the **Credit Union Place Summerside Dome**. Teams are asked to be aware of what location they are playing at each week and plan accordingly for travel as all games will start on time.

GAME DAY FORMAT

- We require a 5-minute setup before each first game.
- Starting possession will be decided by a coin flip.
- Games will be timed 30 minutes straight-time with no halftime.
- A straight-time clock means there are no timeouts.
- There will be a 5-minute transition period between each game.
- We require a 5-minute teardown after each last game.
- Games will be officiated by the PEI Football Officials Association.
- Games will follow Football Canada Flag Football Rules.

TIEBREAKERS

1. Head-To-Head
2. Points Against
3. Points Differential
4. Coin Toss

FEES & ADMINISTRATION

- Team Registration: \$450 per team - no individual athlete payments accepted.
- No Refunds: unless due to rare situations.
- Official tournament entry will not be confirmed until after full payment is received.
- Fees cover field time, referee fees, flag equipment rental (ball, flag belts, pylons) and other administration expenses.
- Cost Breakdown Per Player (\$450 Total)
 - 7 players: \$64.29 each
 - 8 players: \$56.25 each
 - 9 players: \$50.00 each
 - 10 players: \$45.00 each
 - 11 players: \$40.91 each
 - 12 players: \$37.50 each
- Payment instructions will be sent after registration is submitted and all coaches/athletes credentials are verified.

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

U16 DIVISIONS:

WEEK 1 - U16 ROUND ROBIN

5:05–5:35: F1 vs F2 | F3 vs F4
5:40–6:10: F5 vs F1 | F2 vs F3
6:15–6:45: F4 vs F5 | M1 vs M2
6:50–7:20: M3 vs M4 | M5 vs M1
7:25–7:55: M2 vs M3 | M4 vs M5

WEEK 2 - U16 ROUND ROBIN

5:05–5:35: F1 vs F3 | F2 vs F4
5:40–6:10: F5 vs F2 | F1 vs F4
6:15–6:45: F3 vs F5 | M1 vs M3
6:50–7:20: M2 vs M4 | M5 vs M2
7:25–7:55: M1 vs M4 | M3 vs M5

WEEK 3 - U16 PLAYOFFS

5:05–5:35: F4 vs F5 | M4 vs M5
5:40–6:10: F2 vs F3 | M2 vs M3
6:15–6:45: F1 vs Winner F4/5 | M1 vs Winner M4/5
6:50–7:20: Female Bronze | Male Bronze
7:25–7:55: Female Gold | Male Gold

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

U18 DIVISIONS:

WEEK 4 - U18 ROUND ROBIN

5:05–5:35: F1 vs F2 | F3 vs F4
5:40–6:10: F5 vs F1 | F2 vs F3
6:15–6:45: F4 vs F5 | M1 vs M2
6:50–7:20: M3 vs M4 | M5 vs M1
7:25–7:55: M2 vs M3 | M4 vs M5

WEEK 5 - U18 ROUND ROBIN

12:35–1:05: F1 vs F3 | F2 vs F4
1:10–1:40: F5 vs F2 | F1 vs F4
1:45–2:15: F3 vs F5 | M1 vs M3
2:20–2:50: M2 vs M4 | M5 vs M2
2:55–3:25: M1 vs M4 | M3 vs M5

WEEK 6 - U18 PLAYOFFS

5:05–5:35: F4 vs F5 | M4 vs M5
5:40–6:10: F2 vs F3 | M2 vs M3
6:15–6:45: F1 vs Winner F4/5 | M1 vs Winner M4/5
6:50–7:20: Female Bronze | Male Bronze
7:25–7:55: Female Gold | Male Gold

TEAM ROSTER SHEET

Team Name:

Division:

Coach Name:

Coach NCCP#:

Coach Contact:

Team Jersey Colour:

	Player Name	DOB	Contact Info.
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