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YMCA ANNOUNCES FLAG FOOTBALL REGISTRATION

Warsaw, Indiana –Flag Football League registration for youth ages 6 to 11 has begun at **The Kosciusko Community YMCA!** Flag football is a great way to give your child an opportunity to be outside, exercise, and interact with other children their age. Steve Jungbauer, CEO, says, “The Y is happy to provide children in the community with an opportunity to play youth sports that encourage skill building, character development and fun.”

The YMCA’s Flag Football program emphasizes basic skill training, equal playing time, character development and a great time for boys and girls. Teamwork, sportsmanship and having fun will be stressed over winning. Flags pulled by the defense in place of tackling keep contact to a minimum. The YMCA strives to provide a positive environment for the young athlete and family.

The league offers two divisions, one for children 6 to 8 years old and one for children 9 to 11 years old. Practices and games will be held on Saturdays at Lincoln Elementary School. Each player will get a t-shirt. Parents are encouraged to become volunteer coaches and take an active role in the flag football program.

Come in and register at any of the three YMCA branches now, registration ends May 5th. The first game will be May 15th and the last game June 26th. Contact Andy Miller with questions at (574) 269-9622.

The Kosciusko Community YMCA, a not for profit organization, provides community based programs that build healthy spirit, mind and body for all of Kosciusko County. All the efforts and offerings of the YMCA are guided by the core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. The Kosciusko Community YMCA does not deny any youth,

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adult, or family membership or participation based on their inability to pay. Need-based scholarships are available.

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