

The King's Academy Football program is open to TKA boys in 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grades.

<u>REGISTRATION</u> for the season <u>will open April 10<sup>th</sup> and close July 16<sup>th</sup></u>. Registration is required for ALL returning and new players. Sponsorship deadline is June 27<sup>th</sup>. Players who register after June 27<sup>th</sup> are not eliqible for sponsorships.

HS Football 2025 Season Registration link: https://registration.teamsnap.com/form/24698



MS Football 2025 Season Registration link: https://registration.teamsnap.com/form/24691



Athletic Strength & Agility Training registration link:



## https://registration.teamsnap.com/form/25206

12 weeks of weightlifting, speed & agility, plyometrics and core for \$165. 6 weeks beginning Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup>: Monday-Thursday, 6:30-7:45am 6 weeks of summer workouts beginning June 2<sup>nd</sup>, Monday-Thursday, 7:00-8:15am. Hopewell Gym, 78 Ridge Road, Canton

### SPRING FOOTBALL COMBINE

May 5<sup>th</sup> - May 16<sup>th</sup>, 4:30pm - 6:00pm, Mon, Tues, Thur, Fri at JJ Biello Park

This will be a no-contact (helmets only) combine. Combine-style skills tests, timed speed events, vertical, broad jump, and more. We will also conduct football basic "chalk talk" sessions as well as begin installation of our offense for the fall season.

Registration is required: <a href="https://registration.teamsnap.com/form/25216">https://registration.teamsnap.com/form/25216</a>



The student-athlete must have a current physical form on file with the TKA Athletic Department prior to participation.

# **PLAYER PARTICIPATION FEES**

MS & HS: \$1100 (\$100 due at registration followed by 4 equal monthly payments of \$250 each)

Sponsorship deadline is June 27<sup>th</sup>. All sponsorship money should be submitted by June 27<sup>th</sup>.

Photos will be included in your registration fee. Each athlete will have an individual and team photo taken. The \$12 designated for photos in your registration fee will provide you with 1 5x7 individual photo, 1 5x7 team photo, and a digital image of your athlete. Each team's committee will have access to the digital images to use for the year end banquet, awards and any other needs.



### **SPORTS PHYSICALS & FORMS**

Students are REQUIRED to have a current physical form on file in the Athletic Department prior to participating in tryouts that indicates that the student is physically approved for participation. (Note: If your child receives a physical after April 1st, it will be good for the entire following school year.) If you are unsure whether your physical is current, please contact Roni Redd <a href="mailto:rredd@thekingsacademy.org">rredd@thekingsacademy.org</a>

Participants must turn in the following forms to the Athletic Department <u>prior to participating in practices</u>. All forms can be found at <a href="https://www.thekingsacademy.org/athletics/Forms.cfm">https://www.thekingsacademy.org/athletics/Forms.cfm</a>

## **Submit Annually**

➤ Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation form (current and signed by a physician; not a camp physical form). GIAA form if HS; GAPPS form if MS. Physicals after 4/1/25 will be good for the entire 2025/2026 school year.

## **ATTENTION: NEW FORMS FOR HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES:**

- ➤ HS: GIAA Student/Parent Concussion Awareness Form
- > HS: GIAA Student/Parent Sudden Cardiac Arrest Awareness Form
- > HS: GIAA Student/Parent Heat Illness Awareness Form

## Submit One Time

- Birth Certificate (New athletes only)
- ➤ High School Affidavit of Eligibility (New HS athletes 9-12<sup>th</sup>)
- Middle School Affidavit of Eligibility (New MS athletes 6-8th)
- MS: GAPPS Concussion Acknowledgement Form (New athletes only)
- MS: GAPPS Sudden Cardiac Arrest Awareness Form (New athletes only)
- ➤ HS AES: Senior Exit form (AES seniors only)

#### AES/HOMESCHOOLED ATHLETES MUST BE APPROVED PRIOR TO PARTICIPATION:

Refer to separate AES Approval Process Document (also found on forms website).

Players who have not registered online and submitted all required forms by July 16th, 2025 will not be eligible to participate.

Players will not be issued a game jersey until all fees and forms have been turned in. All uniforms and equipment are property of TKA Athletics.

#### PARENT VOLUNTEERS

Both parents are required to volunteer during the season at home and away games. The Volunteer Coordinator will use Sign Up Genius and/or Team Snap to make sure all volunteer positions are filled. MS parents will be assigned to work in the concession stand for home Varsity games played at Kell High School Stadium. Volunteers will be required to sign-in at the gate and will receive free admission to the game. Parents are responsible for getting their own subs in the event they are unable to fulfill their volunteer responsibilities. Parents who fail to fulfill their volunteer responsibilities will be billed through TeamSnap as outlined in the Uniform & Volunteer Policy:



In previous years, the TKA Knight's Football program has collected a \$750 deposit check to cover the cost of a lost or damaged uniform and a second deposit check for \$150 if volunteer requirements are not met for the season. Moving forward, we will no longer be collecting deposit checks for these items, but will invoice you through TeamSnap if your student athlete's uniform is either lost or damaged or you do not fulfill your volunteer requirements. The amount billed for uniform/equipment will depend upon which items are not returned. You will be notified prior to being billed.

#### PREGAME MEALS

Buffalo's Café in Woodstock is an official sponsor of the TKA Knight's football program. They provide the varsity team pre-game meals before every home game with the expectation that players, coaches, cheer squads and fans will eat at Buffaloes after home games and on TKA Spirit Nights. A meal will be provided for bus transportation to away games.

## **BUS TRANSPORTATION**

A bus may be secured to transport players and coaches to away games. This will be ONE WAY transport. Players and coaches will need to make transportation arrangements home from away games. Any changes to transportation will be communicated through TeamSnap.

## 2025 FOOTBALL CALENDAR

#### HS FOOTBALL CALENDAR

April 10<sup>th</sup> Parent Information Meeting – TKA Gym, 6:00pm

May 5<sup>th</sup> – May 16<sup>th</sup> Spring Football Combine, 4:30pm-6:00pm, Mon, Tues, Th, Fri at JJ Biello Park

June 10th, 17th & July 8th 7 x 7 at King's Ridge (Practices will be Sunday afternoons)

June 27<sup>th</sup> Sponsorship Ad Deadline

June 30<sup>th</sup> – July 6<sup>th</sup> GIAA DEAD WEEK – No practice or strength conditioning

July 21st Practice Start Date NO PADS – MANDATORY (at least one parent attend practice)

July 28<sup>th</sup> Full Pads Practice Start Date

August 15<sup>th</sup> First Game at King's Ridge High School Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> TKA FALL BREAK - NO PRACTICES

October 3<sup>rd</sup> Senior Night

October 17<sup>th</sup> Homecoming game

October 31<sup>st</sup> GIAA 1<sup>st</sup> Round of playoffs

November 7<sup>th</sup> GIAA Quarter Finals November 14<sup>th</sup> GIAA Semi Finals

November 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> Tentative practices to prepare for State Championship

November 20<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> GIAA State Championship

## MIDDLE SCHOOL FOOTBALL CALENDAR

April 10<sup>th</sup> Parent Information Meeting – TKA Gym, 6:00pm

May 5<sup>th</sup> – May 16<sup>th</sup> Spring Football Combine, 4:30pm-6:00pm, Mon, Tues, Th, Fri at JJ Biello Park

June 27<sup>th</sup> Sponsorship Ad Deadline

June 30<sup>th</sup> – July 6<sup>th</sup> GAPPS DEAD WEEK – No practice or strength conditioning

July 21<sup>st</sup> Practice Start Date NO PADS – MANDATORY (at least one parent attend practice)

July 28<sup>th</sup> Full Pads Practice Start Date

Sept. 22<sup>nd</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup> TKA FALL BREAK - NO PRACTICES

October 23<sup>rd</sup> GAPPS Semi Finals

October 30<sup>th</sup> GAPPS State Championship