

HJFL

HOWELL
JUNIOR
FOOTBALL
AND
CHEER
2011

Weekly Newsletter
August 31, 2011



BLACK
GOLD
GREEN
RED
SILVER
WHITE

*The greatest
accomplishment is
not in never
falling, but in
rising again after
you fall.*

Vince Lombardi



Game Week

First Weeks Game

Congratulations to all Highlanders on competing in your first 2011 game. If you want to see how everyone did, wins/losses from this weeks games can be found at the end of the newsletter, along as this weeks schedule.

Wednesday Practice Locations @ Three Fires

Three Fires parents were emailed with changes in practice field locations for

some Three Fires teams for Wednesday. Next week Thursday Sept 8th we will also move teams around to accommodate their OPEN HOUSE. We will email details early next week. Thanks for understanding!

VG's Receipts

HJFL is now collecting Vg's receipts as a fundraiser for the league! Kindly save your VG's receipts and turn them

into concessions at Three Fires or Parker at your convenience. Every little bit helps!

Hungry Howie's Pizza

*Tuesday @ Three Fires, 7:30pm.
Wednesday @ Parker, 7:30pm
TEAMS ARE NOT PRACTICING ON THURSDAY.*

HJFL gives to Gleaners - 3rd annual Food drive

Last years food drive brought in almost 600 pounds of items! Every family that brings at least five boxes or cans of non-perishable food items will be entered in a drawing (bring items to the entry gate) to win:

FREE REGISTRATION for one 2012 FOOTBALL PLAYER or CHEERLEADER!

Collections taken on game days only:

Parker Home Games on: Sept 3/10/17/24 and Oct 1

Three Fires Home Games on: Sept 3/10/17

Drawing date October 8th, no need to be present to win. Winners will be announced in following newsletter. Thanks for contributing to a great cause.



LIVINGSTON COUNTY EMS

Did you know that the Howell junior football program started the practice of having EMS on site for junior football games? Way back when.....Howell sought out the services of the Livingston County EMS to staff all of our home football games, after an injury occurred on the field. Since then, other LCAJFL communities have followed suit.

Livingston County EMS has been servicing our games for 9+ years. The medics are all "off the clock" and do it on their days off. HAJFL pays an hourly rate, but families & kids have access to the ambulance and all equipment while they are at our field, at no charge.

Paramedics are on staff from kickoff of the first game to the end of the last game and watch from the sidelines. They enter the field only at the request of the officials or coaches.

LCAJFL does not require all communities to have EMS onsite, as some of you found out at your scrimmage at Webberville. However, Howell feels it's a must and therefore will have medics

onsite for all home games, barring some unforeseen situation. Be safe everyone!

PLEASE REMEMBER...

Board members, coaches, student coaches, interns, game day staff are all volunteers. We appreciate them so much, as they are donating their time to give your child this wonderful experience.

If you have questions for the board, email howelljrfootball@yahoo.com, or call 517-518-2836 and leave a message. You're always welcome to attend a board meeting also if you have something you'd like to discuss. The board meetings time and location will be noted in the newsletter each week. They are open meetings - the public is welcome to join us anytime! Meetings are scheduled to begin at 8:00.



Special Thanks....

Gold Cheer Commissioner

Jackie Boven has offered to run for the 2012 Secretary position, as this is Ellen Kletzka's last year. Jackie has attended all 2011 board meetings, worked at all league functions, and has spent a lot of time helping with miscellaneous league projects. She will be WELL prepared for next year. Thank you to the Boven family for this huge time commitment for the league.



SPONSORS!!

We are happy to say we have added more sponsors since last week.

Special Thanks to our sponsors of the week HUNGRY HOWIES, UNITY FINANCIAL, and BUFFALO WILD WINGS ...this weeks spotlight sponsors.

Hungry Howie's Pizza
Unity Financial Advisors
Buffalo Wild Wings Howell
Dick's Sporting Goods
RediCare
B-Line
Pizza Island
Jonna's Market
Hi Tech Safe & Lock
Krug Ford
Rois Autoworks
Livingston Feed & Seed
Theisers Equipment
Bennigans
Glenda's Grooming
Valic Financial Advisors
CLC Designs
MI Farm Bureau - Rob Molloy
HAJBA - Howell Jr. Baseball
Michigan Sports Academy - Livingston

Volunteer Sign Up Sheets

We have not received weeks 6 & 7 of the game schedule from LCAJFL and probably won't have it for a few weeks yet. As soon as we have it we will email it to all families ASAP.

We will set up more volunteer sign up times when we receive the rest of the schedule.



Sponsor Spotlight

HUNGRY HOWIE'S PIZZA

Hungry Howie's Pizza in Howell is involved with almost all Livingston County Sports. They are sponsors for HAJFL, Pinckney, Hartland & more. They are very involved in the community and their pizza truck can usually be found at any home games around town. We're happy to have them back again, and look forward to them bringing dinner up to our fields on Tuesdays & Thursday nights.



Sponsor Spotlight

UNITY FINANCIAL ADVISORS

Kristie L. Guadiano, CLTC. (248)310-9001

Kristie helps individuals, businesses and their employees achieve their financial goals. Knowing financial goals are unique to everyone; she provides financial strategies, unique to each client, to help meet their goals. She provides tailored strategies for Life Insurance, Long Term Care Insurance, Mutual Funds, Annuities, IRA's, TSA's, College savings plans as well as a wide variety of solutions for business owners and employee benefits. Thank you to Unity Financial for supporting the league!



Sponsor Spotlight

BUFFALO WILD WINGS

Buffalo Wild Wings sponsors several organizations in the Howell area. Currently Soccer Leagues, Adult Softball Leagues, Hockey Teams and Howell Junior Baseball and Football. They donate money to local schools and offer support. They raise funds for causes like the Autistic Society of Michigan, Livingston County Chapter. They host fundraising events for local families and are very generous with events held for our coaches and team moms at the end of the year. We are lucky to have them back for another year.

happy ads

FORM DUE sept 15th

2011 HAJFL Yearbook Happy Ad Order Form

DUE SEP 15!

Player Name (s): _____
Phone Number & Email: _____

Division: **Circle One** Instr Hlds - Instr Patr - Instr Warr. - Fr - JV - Var

Color: **Circle One** Green - Gold - White - Black - Silver - Red

Type: 1/16 Text (\$5) 1/8 Text (\$10) 1/8 Photo (\$25) 1/4 Text (\$25)

1/4 Photo (\$50) 1/2 Text (\$50) 1/2 Photo (\$75)

Full Page Text (\$100) Full Page Photo (\$200)

Yearbooks

FORMS DUE IN SEP 15th!

Reminder: Send your happy ad pictures to:
hlachowicz@charter.net.

Complete the order form (above) and turn forms into:

AT THREE FIRES:

Juli Brown, at the pods or at FRESHMAN RED FB field, or Donna Myers, FR GOLD football field.

AT PARKER:

Helen Lachowicz, FR GREEN Football or Kelli Movolson on FR WHITE Football field.

If you have any questions, please contact Helen Lachowicz at hlachowicz@charter.net.

If you have action photos that we can use in the "action shots" pages of the yearbook, please email jpg files to hlachowicz@charter.net

Thanks!!!



Howell September 3rd Game Day Schedule

	BLACK	GOLD	GREEN	RED	SILVER	WHITE	INST High-landers	INST Pat-riots	INST War-riors
Game Day For Sep 3rd	At South Lyon Jungle FR: 9A JV: BYE Var: 1P	At Three Fires FR: 11A JV: 1P Var: 3P	At Hartland FR: 3P JV: 5P Var: 7p	At South Lyon Jungle FR: 3P JV: 5P Var: 7p	At Parker FR: 9A JV: 11A Var: 1P	At Parker FR: 3P JV: 5P Var: 7p	At Three Fires @ 9A	At Hartland Aux. Field @ 9A	At Milford @ 9A
Last Weeks Scores	FR: W JV: W VR: W	FR: T JV: W VR: L	FR: L JV: L VR: L	FR: L JV: L VR: W	FR: L JV: L VR: L	FR: W JV: L VR: L	League Standings are updated weekly and can be found at www.lcajfl.com		

Directions to This Weeks games

Hartland Auxiliary Football Field

Hartland MI

- From Howell, travel east on M59.
- Arrive 9525 E. Highland Rd. (M59) on your left. It is the old Hartland high school, north side of M59 before US23.

The auxiliary field is the "instructional" game field just east of the main game field.

South Lyon "JUNGLE" Football Field

1000 N. Lafayette St. (Pontiac Trail)
SE corner of 11 Mile Rd & Pontiac Trail

- Travel 196 East and exit at KENT LAKE RD #153
- Turn right on Kent lake Rd
- Turn left on Silver Lake Rd
- Turn right on Pontiac Trail
- Drive 2 miles, enter school from Pontiac Trail, on left

Milford High School

2380 S. Milford Rd., Highland MI 48357

- Travel East on M59
- Turn right on Miford Road
- Travel 1.4 miles on Milford Rd - school is on the right.

HAJFL House Flags for Sale, \$20

Buy yours at Parker or Three Fires Concessions on game days (design below)

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BOARD MEETINGS - Tuesdays @ 8:00 Parker Meeting Room (top of bleachers)

Howell High School Football Highlights

The High School football program is very near and dear to our hearts, as almost all of the players came through our junior football program. We encourage you to get as involved as you can with the high school program.... attend games, support fundraisers, attend high school football camps!

HAFJL explores several opportunities for our programs to stay inter-twined. We schedule several things including a tour of the high school program for outgoing 8th graders, coaching clinics and HAFJL night. Mid-Season we will be invited to attend a Howell High School home football game for "HAFJL NIGHT." 2011 Football players in THIS years jersey, and cheerleaders in uniform will get in free, when accompanied by a parent. Stay tuned for that date!



Week 1

Highlanders vs. Sterling Heights

Freshman: Won 27-0

JV: Lost 21 -10

Varsity: Won 21-6

The 1st Howell game was well represented by the junior program. We love to see our jerseys at high school games...but remember, you're a representative of our league....and don't forget your name's on the back :)



(pictured right)

HAFJL ALUMNI

PETE CENDER: GOLD

SCOTTY WETZEL: GREEN