

## **CAFOA REQUIRED CHANGES FOR 2025 FORWARD**

### **PEEWEEES**

- 1. 6-minute quarters – Per NFHS Guidelines**
- 2. PUNT RULE – Move the ball 20 yards from existing spot – or – half the distance to the goal line if across mid – field.**
- 3. ONLY 6 TOTAL COACHES WITH CFA BADGES ALLOWED ON SIDELINE – other adults (photographer, stat person, EMT, etc...) must also display a CFA badge.... Youth water boys/girls do not need one.**  
**NO OTHER LEVEL PLAYERS ON THE SIDELINE DURING CONTEST**
- 4. MANDATORY\*\* - Following NFHS numbering rules. Example (offensive line #'s must be 50-79)**
- 5. It is suggested that kneel-downs occur when the lead is deemed insurmountable & the remaining time is less than 2 minutes for safety reasons. If there is less than 2 minutes left in the game and the team that is ahead by mercy rule gains possession the game will end.**

**6. It is suggested that after a score, the scoring team has the option to kick – off or have the ball placed on the receivers 40 yd line.**

**7. Pee wee start time is 12pm on Sunday and no later than 4pm Saturday for Saturday games.**

### **PONY / MIDGETS**

**1. 7-minute quarters PONYS – Per NFHS Guidelines**

**2. 8-minute quarters MIDGETS – Per NFHS Guidelines**

**3. Only 6 total coaches with a CFA badge are allowed on the sideline during a game– other adults (photographer, stat person, EMT, etc....) must also display a CFA badge.... Youth water boys/girls do not need one.**

**4. MANDATORY\*\* - Following NFHS numbering rules. Example (offensive line #'s must be 50-79**

**5. It is suggested that kneel-downs will occur when the lead is deemed insurmountable & the remaining time is less than 2 minutes for safety reasons. If there is less than 2 minutes left in the**

**game and the team that is ahead by mercy rule gains possession the game will end.**

**6. Midget start time is 1:30pm on Sundays –Or 10 min after the previous game. Saturday varsity games start at 7:00 pm or 10 minutes after the previous game.**

**Pony start time is at 3:00 on Sundays –or 10 in after the previous game. Saturday varsity games start at 5:30 PM or 10 minutes after the previous game.**

**1. 8-minute halftimes to allow time for cheer routines.**

**2. Yard markers on the home side of the field.**

**3. If a player is a striper, they must play as a striper in the ALL-STAR games as well.**

**4. Only **1 mouthpiece** is allowed per player and must be attached to the helmet. No other attachments besides the strap are allowed hanging from the mouthpiece.**

**5. There will be a **40 second game clock** in effect and will start at the end of the previous play.**

## **JV LEVEL**

- 1. Keep existing timing in place.**
- 2. All teams must weigh-In (varsity weight guidelines)**
- 3. No kick offs or punts in Peewee JV games- place the ball on the 35 yd line to maximize reps.**

### **Fee Schedule & Assignor Fees 2025 TIL 2027 –**

**Varsity/Midget-\$72 per official**

**Varsity/Pony-\$68 per official**

**Varsity/Peewee-\$65 per official**

**\*4 officials needed for each game**

**JV = \$65 for all levels per official per game. Total cost split between the competing teams.**

**Assignor's fee - \$100 per Organization – PAID by 8/31 of the current season.**