

# Player / Parent Equipment Responsibilities

The equipment you have been issued has been cleaned, sanitized, inspected, and deemed fit for the upcoming season. Although the RMF is as thorough as possible in the inspection of the equipment, we ask that parents look it over in the chance that something was missed. Also, as the season goes on, screws can loosen, new cracks can appear, and bladders can deflate or leak. Please inspect your equipment occasionally **during the season** as well, to assure a proper fit. If you notice any deficiencies, please let your coach or team manager know immediately.

#### **Helmet:**

Check for cracks around ear holes, spider-like cracks around the holes on the top of the helmet and the outside edges of the helmet, and any missing or damaged padding inside the helmet. Please make sure that all air pack bladders inside the helmet are holding air and are properly secured to the shell. Check to make sure all screws and snaps are tight, and that the face mask is secure to the shell.

### **Shoulder Pads:**

Check for cracks on all plastic moldings, and that all padding is secured to the moldings. Also, check that all straps and fasteners/clasps are in good working order.

### **ALTERATIONS TO ANY EQUIPMENT IS NOT ALLOWED**

Cutting Game Jerseys and/or Game pants, placing any type of stickers or decals on helmets, or altering chin strap snap locations on helmets is strictly forbidden. It is the responsibility of the Player/Parents to return all equipment to your Coach in an acceptable condition, and in a timely manner, following the end of the season. Please wash jerseys and game pants before returning. Helmets and shoulder pads can be cleaned with soap and water. Do not use Chemicals as this may weaken the plastics and potentially damage the helmet and shoulder pads. Please remove the mouth guard before returning helmet.

The Coach or Team Manager will have a form to track the equipment given to each individual player. Parents/Guardians are responsible for reimbursing RMF for lost items and/or the repair/replacement cost of altered equipment. Your co-operation in helping us keep the equipment in good condition is greatly appreciated. Regina Minor Football maintains and distributes approximately 1,600 complete sets of equipment each year. Returning clean equipment greatly reduces the maintenance hours required.

## **EQUIPMENT REPLACEMENT COSTS**

Helmets - \$250.00 Shoulder Pads - \$125.00 Jersey - \$125.00 Game Pants - \$75.00 Chin Strap - \$15.00. Belt - \$5.00 A complete set of equipment costs \$595.00

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