Welcome to the Uniopolis Browns

Dear Parents,

We would like to thank you and your child for choosing to participate with the Uniopolis Browns organization. The Browns were established in 1958, and proudly celebrate 67 years going strong. As an organization, the board and coaches make every effort possible to ensure that each year is a success for our players and cheerleaders. We look forward to working with your children and teaching them the fundamentals of football and football cheerleading. In 2022, the Uniopolis Browns moved to the Tri-County Division under the Junior Buckeye League (JBL). This division is unlimited weight limits with positional regulations for both JV and Varsity players. More details regarding these changes can be found on the JBL website www.juniorbuckeye.com.

To ensure that we are able to provide the best season possible we do ask for your help! Parents are encouraged to participate throughout the season with various fundraisers and committees. The Browns main fundraiser is the Ad Program. By doing this fundraiser, we are able to make purchases to help improve the development and safety of the players and cheerleaders, to ensure we have the best uniforms possible, and to keep our organization up-to-date as a whole.

Most of the coaches are parents, like you, and all volunteer their time. If you have any ideas, issues, or concerns we welcome your feedback. We ask that these be addressed in a respectful manner outside of practice times, if possible. All parents, players, and spectators will be required to adhere to not only the Uniopolis Browns Code of Conduct but the TCMFL/JBL Code of Conducts as well.

To stay informed on the latest season updates and information we recommend that you become a member of our Facebook (FB) page <u>Uniopolis Browns Youth Football Team</u> as well as download and join <u>Uniopolis Browns Football</u> on the <u>Team App.</u> You must answer the membership questions to be approved to be added to the FB group page. These are our two sources of communication to get important information and updates to everyone quickly. Please note, we have a **no tolerance policy** for negative comments and harassment in the Facebook (FB) group and towards our volunteers. The FB group is a place for sharing information, videos, and pictures of the Browns organization and its participants. Anyone engaging in negative posting/commenting will be removed from the group. Anyone engaging in harassment towards our volunteers, in any form (social media, text, calls, in person, etc.) may be asked to turn in their child's equipment/uniform and leave the organization.

Thank you for your continued support and let's have a great season,

-The UB Board Members and Coaches

The Uniopolis Browns Youth Football Mission Statement:

To provide a supervised program in the Uniopolis community for youth to participate in football and football cheerleading, and to develop good sportsmanship, character, honesty, loyalty, courage and respect for authority.

Volunteer Coaches for 2025 Season

Football

Head Football Coach: Kevin Sealscott....(567)356-1206

Cheerleading

Head Cheer Coach: Ashley Moyler...... (419)979-9363

2025 Board of Directors:

President: Kevin Sealscott
Vice President: Lindsie Vaughn
Treasurer: Kayla Schlesselman
Secretary: Ashley Moyler

Board Members

Connie Sidey - Gail Lindeman Mark Schlosser





2025 Uniopolis Browns Youth Football and Football Cheerleading season Important Dates!



In an effort to prepare the football players and cheerleaders involved with the Uniopolis Browns organization for what will be expected of them at the next level it is necessary that attendance be <u>MANDATORY</u> to all camps, practices and games for all participants. <u>Missing 2 practices in 1 week will result in no game playtime</u>. Any conflicts with schedules or other sports activities need to be addressed with the football or cheerleading head coaches by July 7th (1st day of camp). The following are important dates and times for the upcoming season:

CHEERLEADERS

Skills camp: July 7th-9th 6-8pm Tryouts: July 14th @ 6pm Uniform fitting: July 15th @ 6pm

FOOTBALL PLAYERS

Skills camp: July 7th-9th 6-8pm

Tryouts: July 14th-17th 6pm

Uniform/equipment fitting/Physicals: July 17th @ 6pm

PARENTS MEETING

(BOTH) PLAYERS & CHEERLEADERS – July 16th 6pm @ UB Field

CHEERLEADING PRACTICES

Tuesdays & Thursdays 6-8pm Dance Camp: TBA

FOOTBALL PRACTICES

Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 6-8pm (Until school starts)
Tuesdays, & Thursdays 6-8pm (After school starts)
Saturdays 8-10am

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JULY 2025

Uniopolis Browns Football and Cheerleading

NOTES:

Auglaize County Fair Week
July 27th-Aug 2nd

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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6	7 CAMP 6:00-8:00pm	8 CAMP 6:00-8:00pm	9 CAMP 6:00-8:00pm	10	11	12
13	14 CHEER TRYOUTS 6:00pm FOOTBALL TRYOUTS 6:00-8:00pm	15 CHEER UNIFORMS @ Church FOOTBALL TRYOUTS 6:00-8:00pm	16 PARENTS MEETING 6:00pm FOOTBALL TRYOUTS 6:00-8:00pm	17 FOOTBALL UNIFORMS 6:00pm PHYSICALS TBA	MOONFEST	MOONFEST
20	21 Football Pictures Start @ 5:45pm Football Practice Following Pictures Until 8:00pm	22 Cheer Pictures Start @ 5:45pm Football Practice 6:00-8:00pm	23	24 Pictures Make up/Rain Date PRACTICE Football & Cheer 6:00-8:00pm	25	26 PRACTICE Football 8:00-10:00am
27	28 PRACTICE Football 6:00-8:00pm	29 PRACTICE Football & Cheer 6:00-8:00pm	30	31 PRACTICE Football & Cheer 6:00-8:00pm		

Uniopolis Browns Cheerleading

Cheer Tryout Information

Cheer Camps:

July 7th – 9th 6pm-8pm @ The Uniopolis Field **Cheer Tryouts:**

July 14th 6pm

@ The Uniopolis Field

Cheer Eligibility: 7-12 years old as of Aug 31st.

**All of the 2024 Brown's Cheerleaders are grandfathered in for the 2025 season tryouts regardless of age. All portions of the cheer camps & tryouts are MANDATORY for all participants. During the cheer camps the participants will be taught a small portion of a dance, as well as two cheers. Videos of these will be posted on the Uniopolis Browns Youth Football Team's facebook page, to utilize when preparing for tryouts. If you are not currently a member of the page, be sure to request to join so you don't miss out on important information and updates. Participants will also be working on their skills for tryouts during this time. Skill level, attitude, and attendance to the cheer camps will all be taken into account at tryouts.

Camp expected attire:

Dress for the weather. Athletic shorts/pants (no jean shorts/pants), t-shirts/tank tops/sweatshirts, socks, tennis shoes (shoes with laces), hair pulled up/back out of face, and no gum or jewelry.

Tryouts expected attire:

Athletic shorts/pants (brown, white, orange, or black preferred) with an orange, brown, or white shirt, hair pulled up/back out of face, socks, tennis shoes (shoes with laces), and no gum or jewelry. Hair bows are more than welcome!!!

Tryouts will consist of the following:

- Small portion of dance
- 1 Cheer (Good Luck)
- 1 Chant
- 1 Stunt (summersault, backbend, cartwheel, back-handspring, etc.)
- 1 Toe-touch & 1 Jump of choice (hurkey, hurdler, tuck, etc.)
- 1 Split of choice (left, right, or middle)

Squads will be announced at the end of Tryouts on Mon, July 14th. If your child does make a squad you will be required to attend a mandatory uniform fitting on Tues, July 15th and a parent's meeting on Wed, July 16th at the Uniopolis Shelter house both at 6pm. Parent's will also be required to purchase a pair of UB jogger pants, as well as a provided cheer bow for their cheerleader. We will fit the cheerleaders for joggers during uniform fittings. The Uniopolis Browns will pay half of the cost for the cheer bows and joggers leaving the cost to the parents around \$7.00 for the bow and \$14.00 for the joggers. These can be purchased during uniform fittings.

For any questions contact:

Ashley Moyler (419) 979-9363

Uniopolis Browns Youth Football and

Football Cheerleading Sign-up Form

Cheerleader	Football Player				
Child's Name:	Grade:				
Child's date of birth:	(As of August 31 st)				
Weight (football only):lbs School:					
Parent's Name:	Phone:				
Parent's Name:	Phone:				
Address:	City/ Zip				
Below is who we will cor	ntact for non-emergency issues				
Primary Contact:	Phone:				
Secondary Contact:	Phone:				
T-Shirt Size (Circle one):					
YS YM YL	AS AM AL AXL				
Parent/Guardian - Print Name:					
Parent/Guardian - Signature:					

YOUTH SPORTS MEDICAL INFORMATION AND RELEASE FORM

Participant's Name		
D.O.B		
Father's Name		Home Phone
Work Phone	_ Cell Phone	Email
Mother's Name		Home Phone
Work Phone	_ Cell Phone	Email
Emergency Contact		Phone
MEDICAL INFORMATION	N:	
Family Physician's Name		
Phone	Address	
Allergies and/or Medical Co	nditions (list):	
Medications (list):		
Date of Last Tetanus booste	r	
Person Responsible for Char	rges (if different then from	above)
Insurance Company		policy #
• 0	s a result of injury/illne	care providers to administer any ss. This consent includes First Aid s.
Parent Signature		Date
Parent Signature		Date

NOTE: This release is to be carried by head/assistant coach to all practices and games.

WARNING: Protective equipment cannot prevent all injuries a player might receive while participating in athletic activities.

Tri-County Midget Football Association

ATHLETIC WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

READ BEFORE SIGNING

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in <u>Tri-County Midget Football Association</u> athletic sports program, related events and activities, the undersigned acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that:

- 1. The risk of injury from the activities involved in this program is significant, including the potential for permanent paralysis and death, and while particular rules, equipment, and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious injury does exist; and.
- 2. I KNOWINGLY AND FREELY ASSUME ALL SUCH RISKS, both known and unknown, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES or others, and assume full responsibility for my participation; and,
- 3. I willingly agree to comply with the stated and customary terms and conditions for participation. If, however, I observe any unusual significant hazard during my presence or participation, I will remove myself from participation and bring such to the attention of the nearest official immediately; and,
- 4. I, for myself and on behalf of my heirs, assigns, personal representatives and next of kin, HEREBY RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS <u>Tri-County Midget Football Association</u> their officers, officials, agents, and/or volunteers, other participants, sponsoring agencies, sponsors, advertisers, and if applicable, owners and lessors of premises used to conduct the event ("RELEASEES"), WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY, DISABILITY, DEATH, or loss or damage to person or property, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

I HAVE READ THIS RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT, FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS TERMS, UNDERSTAND THAT I HAVE GIVEN UP SUBSTANTIAL RIGHTS BY SIGNING IT, AND SIGN IT FREELY AND VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT ANY INDUCEMENT.

VOLUNTARILY WITHOUT AN	Y INDUCEMENT.
	DATESIGNED:
(Participant's Signature)	
FOR PARTICIPANTS OF MINORITY	AGE (UNDER AGE 18 AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION)
agree to his/her release as provided a next of kin, I release and agree to indincident to my minor child's involvement	dian with legal responsibility for this participant, do consent and above of all the Releasees, and for myself, my heirs, assigns, and emnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any and all liabilities ent or participation in these programs as provided above, EVEN IF CE, to the fullest extent permitted by law.
	DATE SIGNED:
(Parent/Guardian Signature)	Emergency Phone Number: ()