

Welcome to this week's edition of the New York Jets Community Relations press release. We're excited to share the latest initiatives and events that highlight our commitment to making a positive impact in our community. From growing youth football to providing opportunities for disadvantaged populations, the Jets are dedicated to fostering a spirit of unity and support. Stay tuned for inspiring stories and updates on how we're working together to create lasting change both on and off the field.

Brayden Richardson Named Jets High School Player of the Week Fueled by Gatorade



Each week during the 2025 high school football season, the New York Jets and Gatorade will recognize a player of the week from the tri-state area. All players will receive a \$1,000 donation from the Jets and Gatorade to support their high school football program. Along with the monetary award, each recipient will be invited to attend the Jets vs. Dolphins game on December 7th, where they will be honored onfield at MetLife Stadium.

This week's recipient is Brayden Richardson of Sleepy Hollow High School in Sleepy Hollow, NY. In a road matchup at Putnam Valley, the senior running back was lights out, picking up 176 rushing yards and three touchdowns on just 13 carries. Richardson also added a 92-yard punt return for a score, bringing his total to four touchdowns on the day. Sleepy Hollow went on to win the game in dominant fashion, 42-10. The Horsemen are now 5-1 on the season and will look to add another win this Saturday when they travel to Woodlands High School at 2 p.m.

Darrin Davis Named Jets High School Coach of the Week

Darrin Davis of Newark Collegiate Academy in Newark, NJ, has been named this week's New York Jets High School Coach of the Week. Coach Davis will receive a \$1,000 donation to benefit the school's football program, and Newark Collegiate Academy will receive an automatic bid to compete in the 2026 New York Jets 11-ON Tournament.

Davis will be invited to attend the New York Jets vs. Miami Dolphins game on Sunday, December 7th, where he will be honored on-field at MetLife Stadium.



Davis, a Newark native, attended Montclair Immaculate Conception High School, where he was a member of the football team. He continued his playing at Southern Connecticut State University and entered the 2003 NFL Draft following college. Davis went on to receive a B.S. in Business from Kean University and an M.S. in Exercise Science and Sports Administration from Montclair State University.

Coach Davis began his coaching career at Newark Collegiate Academy (NCA), leading the football program for six years. After relocating to Maryland and holding head coaching roles in flag football, track & field, and basketball, Davis returned to New Jersey and stepped back into the head coaching position at NCA. He also currently serves as the Assistant Principal of KIPP College Prep in the Bronx, NY. In his first season back with the Panthers, Davis led the program to its first victory in over two years this past weekend, defeating Roselle 32-8. The Panthers will look to continue this momentum when they take on an undefeated Hoboken team this week.







NEW YORK JETS, SPECIAL OLYMPICS NEW YORK, AND MOODY'S EXPAND NYC HIGH SCHOOL UNIFIED FLAG FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The New York Jets, in partnership with Special Olympics New York, and Moody's, are expanding their High School Unified Flag Football League in New York City. The league kicked the season off with a clinic on October 14th, bringing together athletes with and without intellectual disabilities to compete and celebrate the spirit of inclusion and teamwork.

Special Olympics Unified Sports® joins individuals with and without disabilities (known as Unified partners) on the same team. Dedicated to promoting social inclusion through shared sports training and competition experiences, it was inspired by a simple principle: training together and playing together is a quick path to friendship and understanding.

The league grew from eight teams in 2024 to 12 teams in 2025. All twelve schools representing New York City high schools attended the clinic on October 14th and will compete in a championship tournament at MetLife Stadium in December.

Each team receives uniforms, footballs, flag belts, and practice jerseys along with grants to help off-set any costs associated with participating. The Jets, Special Olympics New York, and Moody's hope this league serves as a pilot for New York City to offer Unified Flag Football as an official sport for all high schools in the future. The Jets will look to expand and add teams to the league in 2026.





Please click <u>here</u> for pictures from the season-opening clinic







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Team Name	Traditional School	Partner School	Borough
Truman Warriors	176X	Truman High School	Bronx
City Hawks	721M	Harvest Collegiate High School	Manhattan
MVB Alliance	177Q	High School for Business & Technology	Queens
Seahawks	811Q	Queens High School for Teaching	Queens
Murrow Magic	N/A	Edward R. Murrow High School	Brooklyn
721Q Eagles	721Q	InfoTech High School	Queens
Tigers	933Q	Frank Sinatra High School	Queens
Otters	277Q	Academy for Careers in Film & Television	Queens
Lions	79М	High School for Law & Public Service	Manhattan
Royals	752X	High School for Law Enforcement & Public Safety	Brooklyn
721X Eagles	721X	Renaissance High School	Bronx
Blue Knights	35M	N/A	Manhattan

About Jets Foundation

We create impactful programming that leaves lasting legacies for our community. Initiatives funded by the New York Jets Foundation positively influence the lives of young people in the tri-state area and provide opportunity for disadvantaged communities.

About Special Olympics New York

Special Olympics New York is the largest state chapter in the country, serving more than 45,000 athletes across New York with yearround sports training, athletic competition, and health screenings. The organization also partners with more than 300 schools statewide to offer Unified Sports, where students with and without disabilities compete as teammates. All Special Olympics New York programs are offered at no cost to athletes, their families or caregivers. The organization has earned the Platinum Seal of Transparency from GuideStar.com and a four-star rating from Charity Navigator, making it one of the most trusted charities in the business nationally. For additional information about Special Olympics New York, to learn more about getting involved, or to make a donation, visit www.specialolympicsNY.org.



New York Jets Honor Three-Time UK Jets NFL Girls Flag League Champions Ealing Fields In London

Last week, the New York Jets honored Ealing Fields for their third straight UK Jets NFL Girls Flag League Championship in London.

During Touchdown Tailgate at Vinegar Yards on Oct. 11, Jets Legends Wayne Chrebet, Anthony Becht, Erik Coleman, and Bart Scott presented Ealing Fields with their 2025 championship rings.

The next day, during the Jets game against the Denver Broncos at Tottenham Hotspur Stadium, Ealing Fields was honored on-field to celebrate their third-straight league championship and their U15 Championship Europe victory from earlier in the week.

In addition, Ealing Fields' quarterback Hannah was surprised during the ceremony with an all-expenses-paid trip to Super Bowl LX at Levi's Stadium in Santa Clara, Calif.

For pictures from Ealing Fields' Ring Ceremony at Touchdown Tailgate and the Jets game against the Broncos, please click <u>here</u>.





