

VFF New Rule Results – 2020

Due to COVID-19 and to improve the fun and enjoyment of the league, below are some rule proposals for the coming year.

8 out of 11 owners voted, plus one Commissioner = Total 9 votes

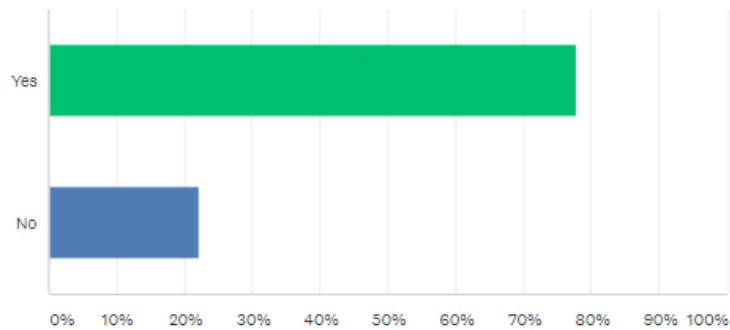
COVID-19 Rules

The following rules are **temporary** for the **2020 Season only** due to COVID -19

Proposal A – Unlimited players on Injured Reserve (Select Yes or No) - **PASS**

Allow an unlimited number of players to be placed on Injured Reserve.

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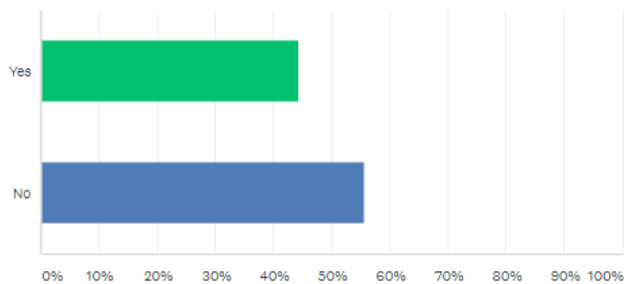


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	77.78%	7
No	22.22%	2
TOTAL		9

Proposal B – Unlimited Free Agent Transactions (Select Yes or No) – **DID NOT PASS**

Allow an unlimited number of free agent transactions to occur every week. Transaction and Trade Deadlines will still apply. Roster positions still have to be followed.

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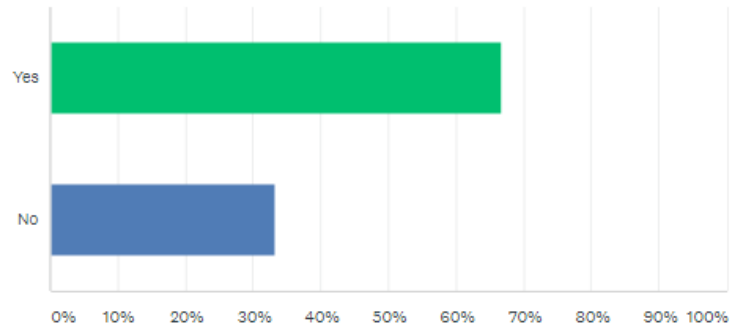


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	44.44%	4
No	55.56%	5
TOTAL		9

Proposal C – Create a Practice Squad (Select Yes or No) - PASS

Expand Rosters by four (4) players to create a practice squad. Practice Squad players can be added to the roster after Week one via free agent transactions based on the standings. Practice squad players can move back and forth from the active roster to the regular roster and vice versa during the week. In order to be in the starting lineup a player must be on the active Roster. There are no position limits for the practice squad except for the QB and Def/Spt positions in which you can only keep (1) one player at that position on the practice squad. Practice squads get locked at the transaction deadline and a player can only go to the active roster if a player from the active roster goes to IR.

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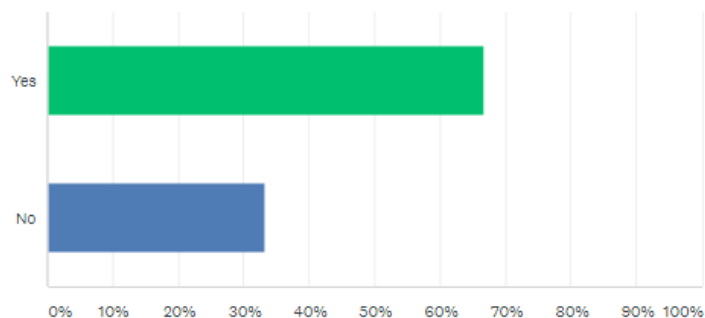
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
▼ Yes	66.67%	6
▼ No	33.33%	3
TOTAL		9

Proposal D – Injured Reserve Status (Select Yes or No) - PASS

Due to how the NFL runs it's Injured Reserve, COVID-19, and that VFF owners do not know on Wednesday the status of their injured players. The VFF needs to loosen its IR rules to allow for flexibility.

- Allow franchises to put on injured reserve (I/R) players that are classified as Injured, Out, Doubtful, or Questionable.

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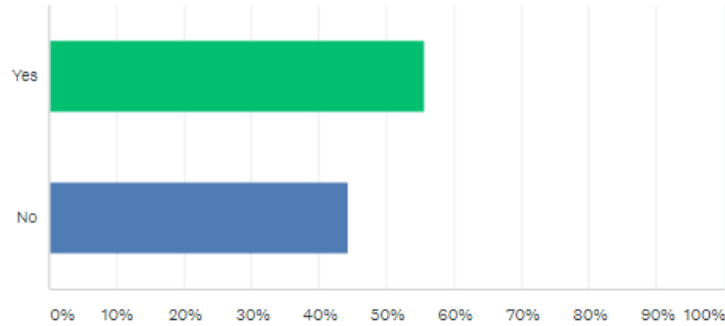
ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
▼ Yes	66.67%	6
▼ No	33.33%	3
TOTAL		9

Note: The following four were changed to a temporary rule change for 2020 season only.

Proposal H – Increases points for Sacks and QB Hits. (Vote Yes or No) - PASS

Award points when the Defense gets pressure on opposing QB's. Increase the points awarded for Sacks to 2 pts per occurrence and award 1 point for every 2 QB hits.

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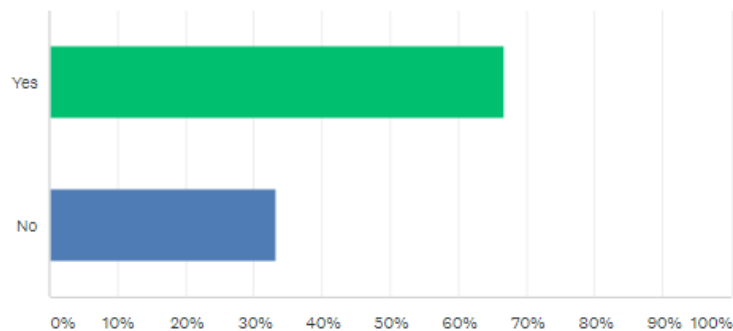


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
▼ Yes	55.56%	5
▼ No	44.44%	4
TOTAL		9

Proposal I – Interceptions (Vote Yes or No)- PASS

Award points for interceptions and for interceptions that get returned for a TD. Increase the number or points per interception to 2 pts per occurrence and award 2 pts for every interception that is returned for a TD.

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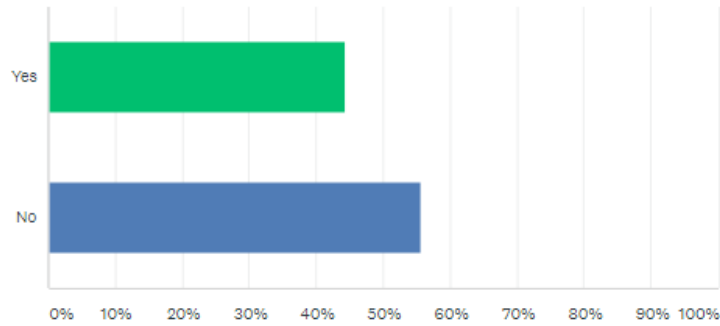


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
▼ Yes	66.67%	6
▼ No	33.33%	3
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Proposal J – Tackles (Vote Yes or No)

Award points for tackles made by the defense. Award 1 point per 3 Tackles. – **DID NOT PASS**

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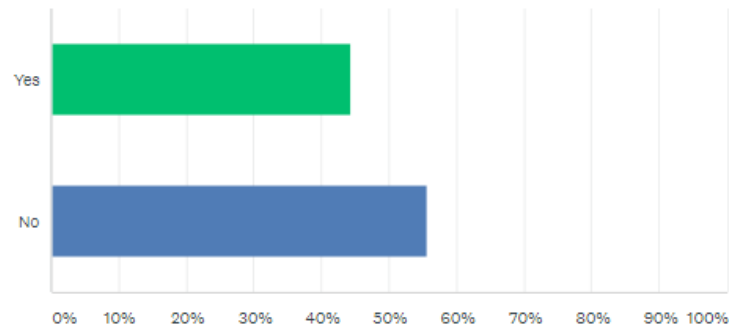


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▼ Yes	44.44%	4
▼ No	55.56%	5
TOTAL		9

Proposal K - Punts inside the 20. (Vote Yes or No) – DID NOT PASS

Award points for punts that go inside the 20 yard line for the Def/Spt. Award 1 point for every 2 punts that go inside the 20 yard line.

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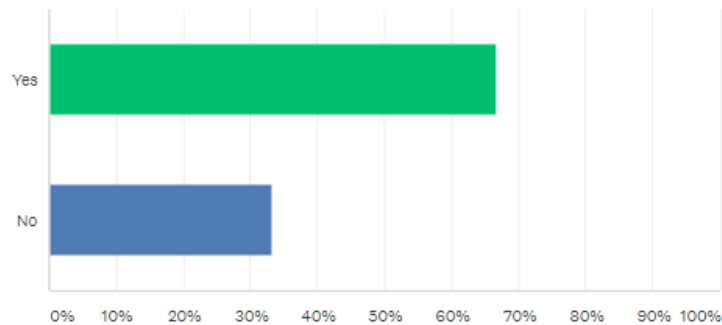
Permanent Rule Changes

The following rules are *permanent* changes to Rules.

Proposal E – First Downs (Vote Yes or No) - PASS

Award points when offensive players get a first down. Award 1 point for every 2 first downs. This does not include QB's and Kickers.

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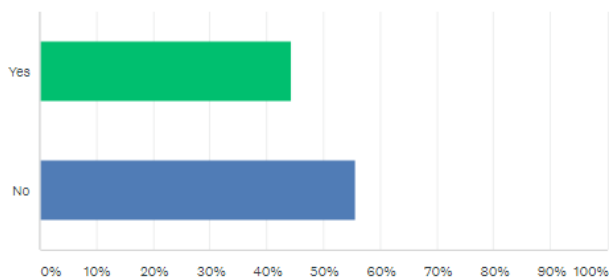
Proposal F – Forced Fumbles (Vote Yes or No) *Due to error in voting form this proposal was not voted on.*

~~Award points when a defense forces a fumble or a turnover. Award 1 point for every forced fumble. Current rules award a point when you recover a fumble. This way awards points for forcing a fumble and in recovering it.~~

Proposal G – Penalties (Vote Yes or No) – DID NOT PASS

Award points when a player commits a penalty. Award a negative point or -1 point for every 2 penalties.

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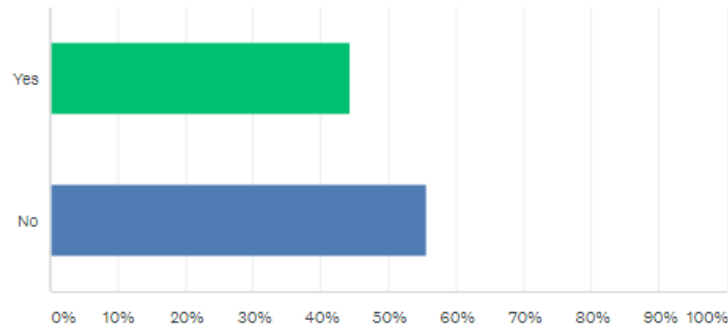
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▼ Yes	44.44%	4
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Proposal L – Defense Allowed Points. (Vote Yes or No)- DID NOT PASS

Take points away from the Defense if they allow more then 17 points. The scoring will be as follows.

- 18 – 19 pts = 0 pts
- 20 – 22 pts = (-1 pt)
- 25 – 23 pts = (-2 pts)
- 28 – 26 pts = (-3 pts)
- 31 – 29 pts = (-4 pts)
- 32 or more = (-5 pts)

Answered: 9 Skipped: 0



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Yes	44.44%	4
No	55.56%	5
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Proposal M – Award Weekly Prize Money to Team with Second Highest Score (Select Yes or No) - PASS

Increase the prize fund to allow the team with the 2nd highest score each week to get some prize money Below is how this would breakdown.

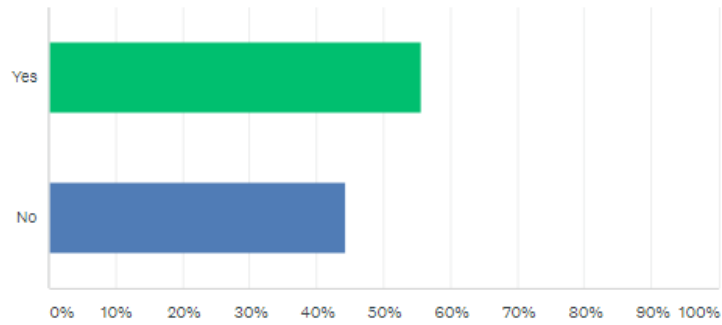
Owners would pay an extra \$7 per year increasing the yearly fee to \$85 per team. This would create a \$56 prize fund for an 8 team league, \$70 prize fund for a Ten Team League, \$77 prize fund for a 11 team league and \$84 prize fund for a 12 team league.

WEEKLY

- Second Highest score for the week = \$5 for 13 weeks = \$65 (Ten teams or more)
- Second Highest score for the week = \$5 for 14 weeks = \$70 (Eight teams)

All extra funds will be given out per Commissioners discretion or put into the general fund for expenses.

Answered: 9 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
Yes	55.56% 5
No	44.44% 4
TOTAL	9

Proposal N – Award Weekly Prize Money (Vote Yes or No) – DID NOT PASS

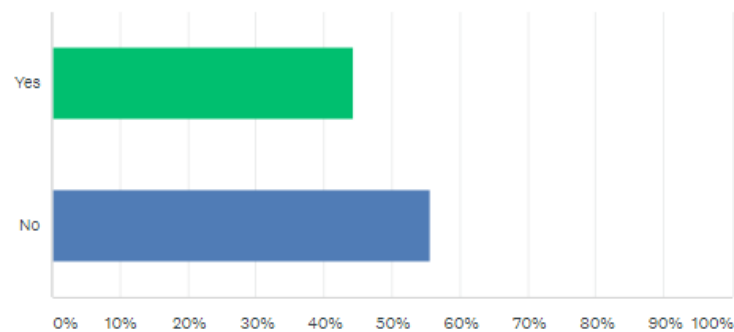
Increase the prize fund to allow awarding weekly money per win. Below is how this would breakdown.

Owners would pay an extra \$7 per year increasing the yearly fee to \$85 per team. This would create a \$56 prize fund for an 8 team league, \$70 prize fund for a Ten Team League, \$77 prize fund for an 11 team league and \$84 prize fund for a 12 team league.

- Eight Team League = Divided by a 56 game season or \$1 per win.
- Ten Team League = Divided by a 65 game season or \$1.07 per win.
- Eleven Team League = Divided by a 78 game season or \$1 per win.
- Twelve Team League = Divided by a 78 game season or \$1.07 per win.

Please Note that if both Proposal M and N pass league fees would go up to \$92 a year per team.

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Yes	44.44% 4
No	55.56% 5
TOTAL	9