



FBU NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

# THE PATH TO NAPLES

## FOOTBALL UNIVERSITY NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP 8U National Championship Overview

### GENERAL

- ❖ Team Format: Open (all-star, travel, etc.)
- ❖ Team Entry Fee: \$2,750
- ❖ Age Cutoff: 8/1/25 – can NOT turn 9 before 8/1/25
- ❖ Team Certification: All Players, Coaches & Staff MUST be verified through NSID
- ❖ Background Check: All Coaches/Staff is required to pass background check
- ❖ Roster Size: 25 Minimum | 40 Maximum
- ❖ Tryouts: Yes – can start as early as 8/1/25

### TOURNAMENT

- ❖ Regional Round: There is NO Regional Round at the 8U Age Group
- ❖ Championship Week: Teams automatically advance to Championship Week in Naples, FL
- ❖ Number of Games: Each Team is **guaranteed** a minimum of 3-4 Games
- ❖ Game Format: Single Elimination – but could change pending number of teams
- ❖ Game Location: Naples, FL – all games played at Paradise Coast Sports Complex
- ❖ Event Lodging: Lodging options will be provided | **Mandatory Stay-To-Play-Policy**
- ❖ Provided: Championship Week Celebration, Battle Jersey, Swag Bag & More!

### KEY DATES

- ❖ 8/1/25: Team Deposit Due – \$1,000
- ❖ 9/1/25: Team Director Background Check Due
- ❖ 11/1/25: Remaining Team Balance Due – \$1,750 due at this time.
- ❖ 11/15/25: Coaching Staff Background Checks Due
- ❖ 12/1/25: Hotel Confirmation Due
- ❖ 12/12/25: National Sports ID Roster Submission Due
- ❖ 12/18/25: Championship Week Kick-Off Event
- ❖ 12/19/25: FBU 8U National Championship Games
- ❖ 12/20/25: FBU 8U National Championship Games & Consolation Games
- ❖ 12/21/25: Futures Showcase & Freshman All-American Bowl
- ❖ 12/22/25: FBU 8U National Championship Games & Consolation Games



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