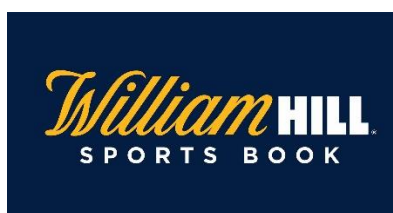




# Player's Manual

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**Thank you for playing Picks for OV: Football Fever!** In this document you will find the rules of play and a brief guide to making your weekly picks. We hope you enjoy your experience competing in Opportunity Village's fall football contest and thank you for your support of people with disabilities!

### **Making your Picks**

The rules of the game are really very simple. Every Wednesday you will receive an email from Opportunity Village with a link to submit your picks. You will need to choose the winner of exactly FIVE (5) games, against the spread (sides only, no totals), which will be indicated on the survey site. Each player must choose the winner of 5 games by the weekly deadline listed in both the email and on the submission site. The deadline for submitting your weekly picks is generally every Sunday by 8:00am unless otherwise noted. If less than five games are chosen by the player, the outstanding games will be automatically generated. If a player makes no picks by the weekly deadline, all five picks will be automatically generated for that player. You will receive a confirmation message after your picks have been submitted.

### **"Betting" Lines**

Opportunity Village uses publicly available "betting" lines released by the program's sponsor, William Hill. These lines will not change after they have been distributed and will be clearly indicated on the picks selection site. **Should lines on a specific game not be available by the time the selection link is distributed, that/those games will not be eligible for play.**

### **Eligible Games**

Picks can be made for games scheduled to be played on Sundays and Mondays. **Thursday evening games will not be listed as options when making your picks.** In the event of a game cancellation or postponement, the game must be played by Tuesday of the following week to be applied toward contest standings or contestant will be awarded zero points for that game. Donation refunds will be available ONLY IF the active National Football League (NFL) season is cut short by more than eight (8) weeks.

### **Contest Timeline**

Picks for OV: Football Fever will follow the regular season of the National Football League (NFL). The contest timeline is subject to change due to game schedule. Participants are encouraged to share their weekly picks online and engage in friendly smack talk on social media, tagging Opportunity Village and using the hashtag #PicksforOV. You can find the Picks for OV: Football Fever leaderboard and all contest news here.

### **Scoring**

The contest is scored based on the number of successful picks (wins) an individual has made. Games that end with a tie when factoring in the spread will be considered a "push" and be used during final scoring in the event of a tie.

### **Questions**

If you have any questions regarding the rules of the game or the selection process, please contact Daryl Sprague at [spragued@opportunityvillage.org](mailto:spragued@opportunityvillage.org) or call (702) 880-4054.