

# CPSC Competition's Registration Terms & Conditions

Centennial Parklands Sports Centre is managed by Clublinks Management Pty Ltd (Clublinks) under a management agreement with the Centennial Park and Moore Park Trust (the Trust). As part of your Team Registration, you are agreeing you have read and accepted the below Competition Rules.

## Payment

Team registration payment is determined by CPSC competition staff via a standard weekly cost multiplied by the number of weeks within the competition season. Teams will have a **maximum of four weeks to complete** their whole team payment via the registration platform Spawtz. **If teams wish to use the payment method 'Pay My Share', where the registration payment is equally split amongst team-members, the team captain is liable for all payments if they are not complete at the end of the period.** Alternatively, teams can pay in full via credit card via the Spawtz portal. No cash payments are permitted.

# Forfeits and Online Team Roster

Additional players can be added or removed throughout the season providing you do not exceed the maximum players per team (12 for Netball, 10 for 5v5 soccer and 12 for 7 v 7 soccer). It is up to the team captain to manage any reconciles of payments for late entrants to the team.

A completed online team roster is due prior to the first scheduled game. Teams will need to nominate a team captain/organiser. The team captain/organiser will be the first point of contact to pass on any messages to the team.

# If your team is required to forfeit any matches, CPSC must be notified by 12pm the day of the match by calling 9662 7033 or emailing bookings@parklandssports.com.au.

Additionally, the forfeited team will be penalized one point from the league standings and incur a 10-0 loss for the forfeited game (for netball). **Continual / Numerous forfeits could result in your team being removed from the competition with no refund.** 

15,16 & 17-year-olds may play, however if they under the age of 18 they must be accompanied by an adult at all games. You are able to interchange your registered players if you are short on numbers for a match. You may also contact CPSC on 9662 7033 for assistance in finding extra players for you where possible.

If game is forfeited, we will do our best to organise a friendly or the opposing team may utilize the time slot for team training or a game amongst themselves. No refunds are provided in the event of an opposition cancellation.



# **Risk Warning**

Playing sport is subject to risks and players can incur injuries. There are also risks that access to medical assistance, and evacuation might be slow, and of damage to, or loss of, your personal property. Parklands carry Public Liability Insurance. For personal injuries we strongly recommend you join a medical health fund of your choice.

# **Release and Waiver**

If you suffer injury, loss, claims, liability or damage while at Centennial Parklands Sports Centre, to the fullest extent permitted by law, you release the Trust and Clublinks Management Pty Ltd (Clublinks), their employees, officers and contractors from any liability for any loss suffered by you and you release each of the Trust, Clublinks and their employees, officers and contractors from any responsibility or legal liability for death or personal injury associated with your presence at Centennial Parklands Sports Centre and any activities you undertake at Centennial Parklands Sports Centre. Centennial Parkland Sports Centre.

# **Inclement Weather**

<u>Soccer</u>: All competitions are played on our state-of-the-art all-weather fields, no games are called off due to wet weather. Games may only be called off in the event of extreme weather (e.g., localised lightning) or urgent unplanned maintenance. Decisions regarding extreme weather and cancellations are made each day at 5.30 pm. The coordinator will contact the captain of each team to advise of any cancellations. No refunds are provided due to inclement weather.

<u>Netball</u>: In the case of wet weather and the courts are deemed 'unsafe' we will announce via our FACEBOOK PAGE and will be made by 4.30pm (the decision may be made earlier at the discretion of the organiser). The season includes a wet weather contingency round. No refunds are provided due to inclement weather.



# Competition Rules – Soccer

Competition rules are subject to change at the discretion of the Soccer Coordinator at any time during the course of the season.

Games cannot be rescheduled or changed once the league schedule has been posted on the Centennial Parklands Sports Centre website.

Teams are awarded: 3 points for a win, 1 point for a tie, 0 points for a loss.

The competition standings are determined by the following: Total Team Points and then Goal Difference.

## Matches

#### Time

- Game times: Run from 6:20pm, 7pm, 7:40pm, 8:20pm & 9pm on Monday evenings and 6:20pm, 7pm, 7:40pm and 8:20pm on Fridays (depending on number of team registrations).
- Duration: 40 minutes. 2 x 19 minutes halves and 1-minute halftime break
- There is a 1-minute break between games
- Teams coming off must exit the field immediately. Teams coming on must be prepared to start the game immediately (no warm-up time or space designated on the game field)
- No extra time in the case of a draw (during regular season)
- Failure to field a team will result in a team forfeit
- The clock runs from the designated game time, so if you are late to start the game or return from half time, your game time will be reduced as a result
- There are spaces around the game pitches which you can warm up and cool down, please ensure that your warmup/cool down does not affect the running of the competition (e.g., ball rolling onto pitch)
- Please provide your own ball for warm-up as competitions balls are allocated to each pitch

#### Field Play

- No offsides
- No slide tackles (ONLY ALLOWED IN 6 v 6 EXTERNAL TO GOALBOX)
- Mixed teams: 2 Females are always required on the field
- Games will be played with 1-2 match balls

#### Boundaries

- No throw-ins, Balls that go out past sidelines will be played in by a kick-in
- Goalkeeper must throw ball out for goal kicks ensuring the ball bounces/touches first in their half before the oppositions if not, the other team will take a kick-in from the halfway mark
- Both goal kicks and kick-ins must be taken within 5 seconds otherwise the opposition will receive the ball as an indirect free kick from the halfway mark

#### Kick-off

• The ball will be placed in the centre of the field to start games and after goals are scored



• All restarts are indirect (must touch another player on either team for a goal to be scored on restart)

#### Substitutions

- Unlimited substitutions made on the fly (rolling substitutions)
- Substituted players must first come off the field before a new player may enter
- Violation of substitution rule will result in an indirect free kick for the opposing team at the spot of the infraction (where substitute coming on early affects play)
- All substituting players and coaches must remain on the sidelines during the game
- Goalkeepers who are substituted must be differentiated with a different coloured team shirt

#### Playoffs

- If there is a tie in a playoff game, the game will go straight to penalty kicks.
- Ball is placed off the goal box line by 1 step, Penalty is taken with 1 step
- Three players from each team that are on the field at the end of regulation take a kick.
- If score remains tied at the end of three kickers, one player from each team will shoot until a winner is decided

## Fouls & Penalties

#### Cautions

- 1<sup>st</sup> Yellow Card Player sinbin for 2 minutes (referees' discretion for controlling behaviour), can be substituted if there are reserves.
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Yellow Card Player ejected from game (player must report their name to the referee),
- Straight Red Card Player ejected from game and suspended for the following game or more at the discretion of competition management (player must report their name to the referee)
- Failure to report name to official may result in lengthier suspension and/or exclusion from competition altogether

#### Free Kicks

- All free kicks are indirect except for penalty kicks must touch another player on either team for a goal to be scored
- Indirect free kick from the goal box if goalkeeper handles a deliberate pass-back from their teammate
- Indirect free kick if players slide or leave their feet
- Indirect free kick for any foul committed outside of goal box

#### Penalty Kicks

- A penalty kick is awarded against a team that commits a foul inside the goal box
- Ball is placed off the goal box line by 1 step, Penalty is taken with 1 step
- All players, except for the goalkeeper and the penalty taker, must stand behind the penalty taker until the ball is kicked



# Referees

The referees will have sole jurisdiction over the conduct of the game. If a referee terminates a game for any reason, the score at the time of the termination will stand unless mutual unsporting conduct from all players is deemed the means for termination. In this case the result will not count to the standings for either team.

NO PROTESTS directed towards referees or coordinators will be tolerated. If the Competition Rules appear to be violated, the matter may be brought to the attention of the competition coordinator for a final resolution.

# Code of Conduct

#### **Player Rules**

Wear suitable footwear, soccer trainers or moulded cleats/boots, or AstroTurf trainers, are allowed, but no metal studs/soft ground cleats. No jewellery. Shin guards are **advised**. Always show good sportsmanship. Please respect all referees and players. Any disrespect or verbal abuse will not be tolerated. If there is any failure to adhere to these rules, the player or spectator will be asked to leave pitch and area. Players are responsible to clean up any garbage from their team bench. Alcohol and smoking are not permitted on the premises.

#### Team Rules

Where possible, teams should wear the same colour shirts/uniform, if not we will provide you with bibs to use on the night. No foul language, or excessive shouting. Minimum of 3 players are required to start an official game. Less than 3 of your team and the match will result in a 10-0 forfeit win to the opposition.

#### Spectator Rules

Coaches and spectators are always expected to act in good sportsmanship. There will be zero tolerance for abuse (verbal or other) towards referees, players or competition coordinators. Any indication of such behaviour by a spectator, parent, player or coach may result in immediate removal from the competition. We are here to play Football and have fun!

#### There will be Zero Tolerance for:

A player or coach who consistently argues with the referee or league coordinator. A player, coach or parent using abusive language. A parent from a respective team that does not comply with the parent acknowledgement form or argues with a referee and/or competition coordinator. Always treat all players & umpires with respect. Verbal abuse of officials or other players, deliberately fouling or provoking an opponent and throwing/ damaging equipment is not acceptable or permitted.

#### Dismissal from Tournament

The result of a coach, parent, or team fan involved in any type of physical confrontation or extreme verbal confrontation with other spectators, referees and/or competition staff will automatically disqualify their entire team from the tournament with no refund. Centennial Parklands Rangers will be immediately called, as may the police. If not stated within this handbook, FIFA rules will apply to the league. Any questions regarding the rules of the league should be directed to a Centennial Parkland Sports Centre Official.



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