

JOHN MCVEITY CENTRE

FACILITY PLAYING RULES & CONDITIONS, 2023/2024



To ensure each team is aware of the competition rules, regulations and conditions; team contacts are required to read all the information below. See relevant Conditions of Play for more details.

Player Conduct:

- The JMC encourages fair play. Never argue with an official. If you disagree, have your captain approach the official after the completion of the game or during an interval. Abuse of officials and staff will not be tolerated. Refer to JMC Code of Behaviour.
- Feedback and complaints can be sent to jmc@playford.sa.gov.au

Match Fees/Team Sheet:

- The Match Fee must be paid in full (no split payments accepted) and Team Sheet filled in correctly prior to the beginning of every game.
 - Senior Netball Match Fee: \$65.00 over the counter or **\$60.00 with Teampay**
 - Senior Futsal Match Fee \$63.00 over the counter or **\$58.00 with Teampay**
 - Junior Futsal Match Fee \$45.00 over the counter or **\$40.00 with Teampay**
- If you are late to the court, the officials will start the clock and the game will not commence until the Team Sheet is completed and paid for. Late starts will result in score penalties
- All players present must be marked on the Team Sheet before the match commences.

Registration of Players:

- Minimum age for senior competition is 16 years of age irrespective of sporting ability. To apply for an age exemption contact adyer@playford.sa.gov.au.
- All players on the Online Team Registration Form must pay a Player Registration Fee of \$10.00 prior to the commencement of Round 4. Failure to do so may result in loss of points or forfeit.

Fill In Players & Borrowed Players:

- Any additional players or 'fill in players' who you wish to register over the course of a season must ensure that their full details are filled out via the online registration process in order to be registered. These players will need to pay the Player Registration Fee before commencing their 3rd game.
- For assistance registering players and queries contact adyer@playford.sa.gov.au.
- **Borrowed Players (players from other teams):**
- Players wishing to play for another team may do so, given they have followed the procedure below.
 - The Match Fee must still be paid in full.
 - No player may play more than two (2) games per round.
 - No more than two (2) players from one team can play for another team at one time.
 - Borrowed players are not eligible for finals.
 - Borrowed players must fill in the required section on the scoresheet prior to the commencement of the game.
 - Breaching any of the above rules may result in a forfeit or loss of points.
- Players wishing to make a permanent transfer between two teams must gain prior approval from Centre Management. Contact adyer@playford.sa.gov.au.

Scoring Duties:

- Applies to **Netball** only.
 - Each team must supply a competent scorer for each game (12 years and over).
 - Failure to supply a scorer for your team will result in a score penalty (**Netball - 2 Goals**).

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Finals Eligibility:

- All players must play a total of three (3) games to qualify for all finals games.
- Any team that plays a player that has not qualified for finals will result in a forfeit.
- To ensure player eligibility is confirmed – the team sheets must be filled in thoroughly each game (marked off on Team Sheet).
- Please note; Byes do not count towards finals eligibility. There will not be any allowance to this rule.

Uniform Rules:

- Teams are to supply their own uniforms, failure to do so may result in a penalty.
- It is the responsibility of all teams to ensure they have correct uniforms. Teams have a 4 week window from the beginning of each season to have matching tops/shirts/bibs with appropriate number/position.
- Penalties may apply to teams who continuously do not abide by these rules (**Senior Futsal – 1 goal, Netball – 2 Goals**).
- Medic alert bracelets are to be covered with a sweatband or taping.
- Hats/beanies, jewellery, piercings, wristbands and watches are not to be worn during play.

• Futsal only

- All players including goal keepers are required to supply their own shin pads for protection. A player may not enter the field of play without shin pads. Failure to abide by this rule may result in a forfeit.
- Pants cannot be worn by outfield players, goal keepers are permitted to wear pants.

Forfeit Fees:

- All teams must notify the centre as early as possible if your team has to forfeit. Call 8480 0100.
- **Less than 48 hours' notice:**
 - Senior Sports \$50.00 fee
 - Junior Futsal \$40.00 fee
- **No show (no notification):**
 - Senior Sports \$80.00 fee.
 - Junior Futsal \$60.00 fee.

- Forfeit fees must be paid in full before a team's next scheduled game; failure to do so may result in ladder point penalties or removal from competition.

Team Withdrawal:

- On being accepted into any given competition, the team agrees to play and pay for all scheduled matches, including finals. A team withdrawing at any stage after acceptance into the competition or during the season will incur a withdrawal fee, as set by the Centre, payable within 10 working days.

Teams have a choice when withdrawing from a competition:

- Play two matches and then incur no additional withdrawal fees following these two matches or
- Pay an \$80.00 withdrawal fee and be removed from the competition immediately.

- Should your team be contemplating withdrawing from the competition, please contact the Centre on 8480 0100 or email adver@playford.sa.gov.au

Late Team Entry:

- Late teams cannot be guaranteed immediate entry into a competition; entry is subject to capacity and timing of request in all competitions.

Supporting Documents: *(to be amended for 2024)*

- JMC Code of Behaviour; JMC Suspension Guidelines; JMC Netball Conditions of Play, 2021; INF Rules of Netball, 2020; JMC Futsal Conditions of Play, 2022; FIFA Futsal Laws of the Game, 2021/22