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PLEASE READ CAREFULLY. IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE GET IN TOUCH!

TEAM AND PLAYER REGISTRATION

Each team must complete team registration via PlayHQ by 11 October 2025. Please note a minimum of 4 teams is required for a grade to proceed.

Every player must also register online via PlayHQ by completing the ANC Summer Competition player registration form 'Summer 2025/26' under 'Aldinga Netball Club Association' and pay the once-off \$20 player registration fee. Players who see additional Netball SA Fees at the payment stage must contact the ANC Summer Committee for the voucher code to reduce the fees to \$20. Some players may be charged a Netball Australia fee, which the Club will not be responsible for. Players who do not complete player registration will not be able to take court. There will be a penalty for teams who play an unregistered player. These penalties will be loss of goals scored and/or premiership points for that game.

TEAM MANAGER

Each team is to appoint a Team Manager (usually the person who registers the team). The Team Manager is the main contact between the team and our ANC Summer Committee and is responsible for:

- registering the team via PlayHQ and paying the team registration fee
- ensuring all players are correctly registered via PlayHQ and meet all eligibility criteria (age, male player rules and uniform compliance etc)
- collecting and submitting weekly playing fees before the start of the game
- · recording the players taking court on the scoresheet
- arranging a scorer every week.
- · communicating any changes, cancellations, or forfeits to the team promptly
- liaising with the ANC Summer Committee and ensure official communications are relayed to players

PLAYERS

To take to court, all players must be registered and have paid their \$10 playing fee before the start of the game. Payment may be paid in cash (to the Team Manager) or via EFT in the Club Office. No late payments will be accepted. Any players not paying before the start of the game will be unable to play. If players play for more than 1 age group, they are required to pay another \$10 before they can take court for their next game. Players are unable to fill in for another team within the age group they already play. All players must wear their nominated uniform colours.

AGE ELIBILITY

- 9&U players must be 9 years old or under all summer season including finals
- 11&U players must be 11 years old or under all summer season including finals
- 13&U players must be 13 years old or under all summer season including finals
- 17&U players must be 17 years old or under all summer season including finals

The Club may ask for proof of date of birth with student ID's etc to make sure players are eligible to play in their chosen grade.

MALES ON COURT

- 9&U teams play under modified rules and are allowed 3 males on court as long as they are in different thirds.
- 11&U, 13&U, 17&U teams can have 2 males on court as long as they are in different thirds.
- Senior Mixed teams can have 3 males on court as long as they are in different thirds. Senior mixed teams must always have 1 male on court. There are no males in the Ladies competition.

Each third consists of the following positions.

- GS and GA
- . C, WA, and WD
- GK and GD



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UNIFORM

Each team must nominate a team colour that all players wear. Any team with non-matching colours will be penalised 2 goals per player. This must be addressed to the umpires by the opposition no later than half time. Players who are filling-in and are in non-matching colours will only be penalised at the discretion of the Summer Coordinator after the game.

All nails are to be cut short before each game. Gloves may be worn. All jewellery is to be removed or taped. The Aldinga Netball Club will not supply the tape.

FORFEITS AND WITHDRAWALS

The Team Manager must contact the Club via the Summer Comp telephone with any forfeits. The Club will then contact the opposition Team Manager. A forfeit fee of \$70 applies if a team cancels a game. This must be paid before the start of the next weeks' game. If unpaid, all players on the withdrawn team will be marked unfinancial and unable to play for any team until the fee is settled. In addition, a \$70 fee will be added each week until the forfeit fee is paid.

A withdrawal fee of \$250 will apply to any team who withdraws during the 2025/26 season. If this is not paid, all players in the team will be made 'unfinancial' (and cannot take court for any team) until this fee is settled.

FILL IN PLAYERS

Unregistered fill in players may play on a Netball SA Single Game Day Voucher for \$10. They must also pay the weekly \$10 playing fee. Fill in players may play 3 games before having to complete the player registration form via PlayHQ.

FINALS

At the end of the minor rounds, teams will be divided into divisions based on total numbers at the end of the minor rounds. The top 4 (1-4) teams in each division will enter finals. If there are only 3 teams in any of these divisions then they will form a division. Semi Finals - 1 vs 4 and 2 vs 3. Winners will advance to the Grand Final.

In the event of a draw in a finals match, there will be a 2 minute break before the teams then play 2x 3 minute halves with 30 seconds in between to swap ends. If still a draw after that time, play will continue until a team is ahead by 2 goals.

To qualify for finals, a player must play at least 5 games per team they wish to play for in finals. More information will be available as we get closer to finals.

HOT WEATHER

If the Game Day 4.00pm Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) forecast temperature for Aldinga predicts 33°C or higher all junior games (9&U, 11&U, 13&U and 17&U) will be modified. e.g.: shortened quarters and a longer half-time break.

If the Game Day 4.00pm Bureau of Meteorology (BOM) forecast temperature for Aldinga predicts 35°C or higher all games will be cancelled.

All cancellations and updates will be posted on the Aldinga Netball Club Facebook page and Team Mangers will be notified by SMS or email.

CONCUSSION POLICY

Aldinga Netball Club will follow the Netball Australia Guidelines for the management of sports related concussion.

EXPECTED BEHAVIOURS

All players, parents and spectators must follow the Aldinga Netball Club Code of Conduct.

No alcohol or smoking is permitted in or around the netball courts.

No pets, skateboards, roller skates or bikes are allowed inside the court area.

Please remember our Summer Committee and other club committee members are all volunteers.