

# **Social Sport Competition**

Information & Registration Pack



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At PCYC NSW, we host a variety of sports competitions to encourage kids, teenagers, and adults to get active and engaged in their communities. Whether you or your little one is interested in netball, futsal, basketball, or other sports - PCYC offers plenty of opportunities for the whole family to get involved with sports.

We know you may have plenty of questions about our competitions - you will be able to find all the answers in our member info pack! If you are still unsure, feel free to reach out to our friendly staff to discuss.

# **COMPETITION DATES**

The senior futsal summer season runs  $13^{th}$  October –  $13^{th}$  April. Games are played on Monday Evenings.

There are 19 games, plus 2 weeks of finals.

# **HOW TO REGISTER**

PCYC use SportFix for all competition registrations, game times, fixtures and results. All registrations must be completed prior to the cut-off dates (this is displayed on the registration page)

Simply click the link below which you take you to the FIXI registration page for your PCYC club. Create an account (if you have not already). If you are the team delegate then select register team and complete the form. This will then allow you to send your players a unique code to join your team.

From here, select your desired competition and division to register in and continue through to payment. If your team is already set up, then select join team and enter your unique code. Don't hesitate to reach out to us if you run into any issues!

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# **COMPETITION DETAILS**

All participants must hold a valid PCYC membership in order to play, (\$30pp) which can be completed on our website.

#### **PCYC HORNSBY WEBSITE**

#### **COMPETITION FEES**

**Season Fees:** \$250 per player includes match fees & individual player registration. All fees are due upon registering. Your team will not be added to the draw until there are at least 6 financial players.

PCYC Hornsby recommends registering seven (7) to eight (8) players per team for a season of this length, with a maximum of ten (10) players registered.

Players must be at least 16 years of age to play in senior competitions. Each player must play a minimum of 5 games, and be a registered and paying member of the team to qualify for finals.

\*Please note: No discount on fees will be given if a BYE exists and/or a forfeit occurs in your competition or division.

#### **TEAM DELEGATE**

A team delegate must be nominated in registration with complete contact details. In the event of a forfeit or any correspondence, the team delegate will be contacted by the PCYC. It will be the responsibility of the delegate to pass all correspondence onto their team.

#### **TEAM REGISTRATION**

- Team Nomination Forms including ALL Player details must be completed upon registration for all competitions
- PCYC will NOT roll over nomination forms from previous seasons
- Only players who are listed on the team nomination form, are PCYC members and have registered themselves on SportFix will be eligible to play
- New players may be added to the team at any point during the season, provided they meet the requirements from the point above and is approved by PCYC Management.

PLEASE NOTE: New players accepted to the team by management may also mean regrading of your team if management sees the need

Team delegates are responsible for updating player details throughout the season

#### SIGN ON

- All players must 'sign on' on the score sheet before the start of a game on the score sheet. Late players must sign on before entering the court.
- The score sheet is located at the reception desk before each game, games will not commence without all participating players signed on.
- Borrowed players must sign on and indicate which team they are registered in.
- Each team member must sign on for at least 5 games to be eligible for finals.

#### SUB/BORROWED PLAYERS

A team may only borrow a maximum of 2 registered players under the following circumstances:

- 1. A team can only field 4 players on the court, then 1 registered player maximum can be borrowed making a total of 5 players on the court.
- 2. If a team can only field 3 players on the court, then 2 registered players maximum can be borrowed making a total of 5 players on the court.
- 3. Teams CANNOT borrow other registered players if there are already 5 original players.

#### Other Borrowed Player Rulings:

- Borrowed players must be in either the same division or lower.
- Borrowed players must not be used as substitutes or substitute amongst themselves.
- If a player from the original team is injured, a borrowed player may be used to replace the injured player, however, the injured player cannot go back onto the court for the rest of the game. If three original players are injured and the number of original players drops to less than 3, the game will go down as a forfeit.
- A Goal Keeper may be borrowed for regular round games as long as the other team is happy for that to happen at the start of the game. Borrowed Goal Keeper may not be used for Finals.
- Players can be borrowed any number of times throughout the regular rounds (NOT FINALS)

#### **FORFEITS**

A team that wishes to Forfeit a game MUST have the team delegate contact PCYC by phoning 8998 5400 OR 0468 340 083 and speak to a staff member by at least Midday on the day of competition.

- A \$100 forfeit fee may be applied should the forfeit call be made after this time on more than 3 occasions
- A deduction of 1 point will apply for a late forfeit call.
- If a game is forfeited the opposing team will be notified via a phone call as soon as possible.

- Teams in later time slots may be contacted in relation to moving their game times forward where possible.
- If a team is unable to take the court at the time of their game due to players running late or being away, they will be given 5 minutes after the time the game is meant to commence to find enough players (netball 5 players from the original team) (futsal 3 players from the original team) to start the game. If this cannot be done it will be up to the umpires and officials on whether the game is forfeited.
- There will be no refunds for team fees paid when your team misses a game due to a forfeit. PCYC will do its best to arrange a friendly game for teams forfeited against, however, please note this is not always possible.

# **RESULTS AND FIXTURES**

All PCYC competitions use SportFix online to log all competition game times, results and ladder. Fixtures will be released approximately 2 weeks prior to the strat of the season, though these may be subject to change.

It is recommended that all team members download the app to follow their fixtures, results etc

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#### **GAME DURATION**

Senior games are 2 x 20 minute halves.

NB: Time may be reduced if teams are late which includes late signing onto scoresheet. 1 goal will be awarded to the opposing team every two minutes a team is late. After the first 10 minutes, if the team has still not arrived or they are not ready to play, the game will be deemed as a forfeit.

# NOTICE OF FIXTURE TIME CHANGE REQUESTS

If teams wish to change the time of an upcoming fixture, PCYC must be notified a minimum of 4 weeks prior to that fixture. However, we are not able to promise that fixture time changes will occur as there are many influencing factors. If a time change is requested less than 4 weeks before the fixture, we will not be able to make adjustments.

#### **COMPETITION LATE ENTRY**

Teams entering a competition after the season has commenced may be eligible for competition points and a pro-rata fee structure, depending on the number of rounds missed at the time of registration.

Points Allocation Late-entry teams may be awarded one (1) competition point per

- round missed, in the form of a bye, up to a maximum of six (6) points. These byes are recorded as missed rounds but will contribute to the team's overall points tally.
- Fee Structure: A pro-rata fee will only be applied if more than three (3) rounds have already been played at the time of registration. If three or fewer rounds have passed, the full season fee will apply. The pro-rata fee is calculated based on the number of remaining games, with a maximum adjustment for up to six (6) missed rounds.

For clarification or to confirm eligibility, please contact hornsbycomps@pcycnsw.org.au

#### **COMPETITION POINTS**

Win	Draw	Loss	Вуе	Win By Forfeit	Loss By Forfeit
3	1	0	3	3	0

Forfeits not submitted by 12pm on game day with incur a 1-point loss.

### **FINALS**

- Top 4 teams will play 2 weeks of finals for all competitions (unless otherwise specified/organised)
- Semi Finals will be 1st vs 4th and 2nd vs 3rd. The winners will play each other in the Grand Final (Unless otherwise specified)
- Players cannot be borrowed for finals; only registered players on the nomination form that have met the relevant criteria are eligible for finals.
- A player must have played and signed on for a minimum of FIVE game for their team during the regular season to be eligible to play finals. Attendances only count once a player is listed on the nomination form, is a PCYC Member and has registered on SportFix.

# **GENERAL INFO**

# **Conditions of Entry**

- ALL participants MUST be a current PCYC Member
- NO MEMBERSHIP CARD = NO ENTRY! Recommended taking a photo of the barcode on the card and store in your phone or preferred card storage app. \$5 replacement card.
- You are required to participate in a sportsmanlike manner, with respect for referee and opposition at all times
- Conduct yourself in a responsible manner relating to language, temper and punctuality. Do not use profane language at any time.
- At no time can a player abuse, insult or criticize any referee, opponent or staff

- member
- Staff and officials reserve the right to remove any player/s not abiding by these conditions
- At no time will person/s on the sideline (ie supporters, players on the bench) address the referee or player/s in an unsportsmanlike manner – anyone seen to be abusing players and/or officials on court will be asked to leave the premises immediately.
- Abide by the rules and respect the decision of the referee. Be courteous and use the correct process when seeking a rule clarification.

#### **Uniforms**

- All players in each team must wear matching numbered jerseys. Goal Keepers must wear a different coloured shirt to distinguish them from their team.
- All players must wear shin pads and long socks that cover the entire shin pad.

# **Injuries**

All injuries must be reported to PCYC staff at the time it occurs so we are able to record the injury. If the injury is not reported at the time of the incident, PCYC will not be held liable for the injury.

# **Starting Games**

The game clock will start on time when referees are ready. If one team is not ready, they will be penalized 1 goal for every FULL minute they are late. Maximum 10 goals.

#### **Penalties**

In the event of misconduct, warnings and suspensions will be awarded at the discretion of PCYC staff.

- Straight Red Card (violent or aggressive misconduct) = Minimum 2 week suspension (Pending referee report).
- Referees can eject any player and or spectators acting outside the code of conduct)
- Straight Red Card (non-violent conduct) (e.g. Handball denying obvious goal scoring opportunity) = 1 week suspension (Pending referee report)
- Red Card after two yellow cards = 1 week suspension (pending referee report)
- 5 yellow cards over the season = 1 week suspension
- 8 yellow cards over the season = 2 week suspension
- 2 x Straight Red Card (violent or aggressive misconduct) over one season = Season or indefinite suspension from PCYC competitions (pending severity of referee's report on two offenses).

Suspensions can apply for both on and off court incidents at PCYC Hornsby, you are responsible for your actions and behavior at all times.

# **Disputes**

Any disputes from a team about another team, staff, or match officials, must be made with the competition staff as soon as possible. Any disputes need to be made at the start of the game or during so they can be dealt with and resolved at the time of occurrence if possible

# **Complaints Procedure**

Teams wanting to register a complaint or reportable misconduct about another player, team, match official or PCYC staff member will need to send an email to competition management within 24 hours of the event. PLEASE NOTE: This is the ONLY correct way of registering a complaint. Teams failing to comply with this and confronting match officials, players or staff may receive suspensions or dismissal from the competition.

# **Pregnancy**

Pregnant participants are given the opportunity to decide for herself, in consultation with medical advisers, whether or not to participate in netball whilst pregnant and for how long. The pregnant woman is encouraged to have regular antenatal reviews with her doctor, including ongoing review of her netball participation. It is expected that the pregnant woman should be given the same level of respect and support as any other player. She, along with her doctor, should monitor her ability to play as the pregnancy continues. A pregnant participant cannot instruct other participants to alter their play towards her due to the pregnancy. It is expected that she will remove herself from the competition if she is deemed no longer physically able to play.

# For full T&Cs, please refer to our website

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