



ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

2026 INFORMATION

BOOKLET

RESPECT COMMIT PROGRESS ENJOY
ESTABLISHED 1879

A-Grade Premierships since 1908: 1908, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1920, 1925, 1926, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1945, 1955, 1968, 1969, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1977, 1986, 2003.

Reserves (B-Grade) Premierships since 1948: 2017, 2018, 2019.

Under 17 (Senior Colts) Premierships since 1970: 1975, 1979, 1980.

Under 15 (Junior Colts) Premierships since 1970: 1970, 1977, 1978, 2013.

Colts Premiership 1959-1969: 1966.

Female Senior Premiership since 2018: 2018 – Assn. Medallists: 2019 Emma Keys, 2024 Hayley Henke, 2025 Tiarna Groverman.

Female Under 16 Premierships since 2017: 2019, 2020 – Assn. Medallists: 2019 and 2020 Libby Fiebiger.

Female Under 13 Premierships since 2017: 2018, 2021, 2022, 2024 – Assn. Medallists: 2019 Kate Argent-Bowden, 2020 Connie Clarkson, 2021 Miyu Endersby, 2024 Ruby Hughes.

A-Grade Association Medallists: 1926 Ron Trescowthick, 1932 William Tonkin, 1935 Wally Kraehenbuhl, 1938 Lacey Hurn, 1954 John Lange, 1970 Brian Hurn, 1973 Peter Kleinig, 1999 Nick Reimann, 2003 Michael Spanagel, 2010 Craig Harvey, 2020 Marc Borholm, 2025 Tom Corcoran.

Reserves Association Medallists: 1953 Bob Sutton, 1955 Trevor Reu, 1962 Roger Miles, 1965 Errol Schick, 1969/70/72/73/82 Lindsay Stevens, 1991 Clark Thiele, 1992 Mark Seelander, 1997 Roger Linke, 2005 Tyson Thorn, 2012 Chris Jasper, 2017 Brayden Dalby, 2019 Wade Richardson.

Under 17 (Senior Colts) Association Medallists: 1974 Kym Lehmann, 2017 Dylan Tuckwell.

Under 15 (Junior Colts) Association Medallists: 1970 Mark Henschke, 1974 Grant Falkenberg, 1977 William Hurn, 1979 Robert Argent, 1983 Kym Obst, 1999 Brett Burgess, 2001 Shannon Hurn, 2002 Brad Hughes, 2003 Louis Hadden, 2012 Blake Homes, 2014 Ryan Carnelly, 2022 Hayden Henke.

Colts Association Medallist: 1966 Tony Walker.

GAMES PLAYED/WON/LOST/DRAWN

A-GRADE games played since 1908: 1743, won 918, lost 802, drawn 23.

RESERVES games played since 1922: 1365, won 645, lost 710, drawn 10.

UNDER 17 games played since 1970: 844, won 311, lost 527, drawn 6.

UNDER 15 games played since 1970: 897, won 335, lost 554, drawn 8.

COLTS games played 1959-1969: 162, won 63, lost 98, drew 1.

UNDER 13 games played since 2017: 109, won 55, lost 51, drawn 3.

FEMALE SENIOR games played since 2018: 51, won 29, lost 19, drawn 3.

FEMALE UNDER 16 games played since 2017: 84, won 58, lost 26.

FEMALE UNDER 13 games played since 2017: 81, won 58, lost 23.

CLUB OVERALL TOTAL (all grades): (including finals) played 5336, won 2472, lost 2810, drawn 54.

INTRODUCTION

This 14th edition of the Angaston Football Club Information Booklet includes items of interest for everyone associated with the Angaston Football Club for 2025 and beyond.

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2026 MEMBERSHIP FORM

The Angaston Football Club invites you to renew or become a member by remitting the appropriate subscription to the club in person, by mail or deposit straight into the club's bank account which is Bank: ANZ, Branch: *Angaston, BSB: 015-500, Account No.: 6060-17958. Members can also receive regular information about the club via emails. Membership enables you to **attend home games free of charge**, club meetings and discounted clubroom hire.

*Branch is still Angaston even though it is no longer open.

****All players must pay online through the PlayHQ registration system – not with this form or via BSB.**

Proposed members who cannot pay online can fill out the form below and hand to Anthony Schubert or at the club bar on home games. To pay online go to <https://angastonfootballclub.com.au>

2026 Membership Subscriptions:

☐ Double \$85 ☐ Single \$50 ☐ Pensioners \$20

Name.....

Address.....

Phone..... Email.....



Angaston Football Club Strategic Plan 2025 - 2030

Vision: To be a family oriented Australian Rules Football club that strives to succeed and provide a successful, healthy and enjoyable environment.

Mission statement:

1. To create an environment where success is gained by developing required skills both on the field and off, fostering an appreciation and involvement with the game. Where a person's individual goals are compatible with the club's goals.
2. To have an inclusive culture which allows everybody to achieve regardless of age, gender, cultural background, class or ability.
3. To develop healthy group interaction, enjoyment and achievement with all members across the spectrum.
4. To engage and welcome the local community to give the club and the game a positive profile.
5. To ensure coaches and administrators provide the platform for each player and member to gain self-confidence, appreciate good sportsmanship and respect all those who participate in any football environment including opponents.

CLUB VALUES

- RESPECT - Appreciate individual roles. Recognise and respect history. Accept and celebrate difference.
- COMMIT - Commit to our success and sustainability. Commit to our assigned roles. Proactively uphold our vision and values.
- PROGRESS - Explore and create avenues to evolve. Help others with their individual development. Seek to continually challenge the norm.
- ENJOY - Encourage an atmosphere of mateship. Foster an inclusive and caring environment. Share credit, celebrate difference.

Goals

1. To work as a group in improving infrastructure and facilities with the aim of providing the best possible venue to further the success of the club and the comfort of members. To garner support from relevant authorities and the community to help achieve this end.
2. To ensure the Angaston Football Club will become a facility for the whole community to fostering the growth, success and involvement of other Angaston organisations.
3. To grow membership, volunteers and especially encourage family involvement.
4. To provide strategic and business plans to the Annual General Meeting at regular predetermined intervals to generate the whole club's support of our goals and objectives.

Objectives

1. In 2025 a general review of the constitution and committee structure to be completed.
2. To enhance the 2021 upgrade and plan further developments such as behind the goal nets, improved carpark, northern verandah/beer garden and more all-weather shelter. To work with other Angas Recreation Park stakeholders to replace the Show Hall with a multi-purpose facility.
3. To continue the Angaston A Team concept of promoting health and wellbeing.
To develop strategies to improve the health and wellbeing of the Angaston football club stakeholders.
4. To increase the number of volunteers across the club's various sectors.
5. To continue supporting the transition of players up the grades in year level and provide pathways for players to higher levels.
6. Maintain and improve our status with relevant groups (eg Good Sports), the Barossa Light and Gawler FA, other kindred Angaston organisations, other clubs in the Barossa, Light & Gawler FA and any other affiliated bodies.
7. Support and promote a healthy family sporting environment by working across cultures within the Angaston and Barossa areas.
8. Provide facilities for the members for playing football or any other games or pastime approved by the General Committee.
9. Maintain a close working relationship with all the stakeholders using the Angas Recreation Park, The Barossa Council, State Government and non-Government bodies.
10. Do all things which the Club or General Committee may think necessary or desirable for promoting the recreation, accommodation and comfort of its members and for the preservation, upkeep and improvement of the Club's property and any other objects and purposes which the Club may decide from time to time.

11. Promote the game of football as played according to the rules of the Australian Football League and the South Australian National Football League Limited or to whatever senior body we may or may not be affiliated to.
12. Promote and strive for long term successful outcomes for the Angaston Football Club playing group specifically and its members generally.
13. Be an inclusive and fair organisation, who will promote the ambitions of players and members no matter their individual ability. To reward and acknowledge those persons, where appropriate and possible, who contribute to the success of the Club.
14. Be cautious and transparent as far as possible in all dealings with an underlying continuous goal of maintaining the club's continued prosperity. To continuously review our methods and practices to achieve maximum efficiencies.
15. Look after the interests of all giving them an equal opportunity to compete and to provide a safe and non-discriminatory environment for all players to develop to their full potential.

Key Performance Indicators

1. Numbers of teams, players, volunteers and members
2. Teams playing finals football
3. Financial viability of the Angaston Football club
4. Transition rate of players to higher grades especially to senior grades
5. Marketing and promotion of the Angaston Football Club
6. Number of functions in the clubrooms
7. Satisfaction with infrastructure at the Angas Recreation Park
8. Education and Club development, reviews of structure.
9. Ongoing development and growth of Australian Rules Football.
10. Develop and maintain ongoing community relationships
11. Ability to adapt to changing circumstances
12. Succession planning performance.
13. Number of health and wellness activities
14. Social opportunities for players and members

Environment

The Club's activities are pursued in the Angas Recreation Park under a lease/licence agreement with The Barossa Council. The original 21 acres of land was gifted to the town of Angaston by George Fife Angas in 1876 for use by the people of the Angaston District.

The Angaston Football Club was established in 1879 and is one of 9 clubs fielding teams in the Barossa, Light & Gawler Australian Rules Football Association in country South Australia. The Angaston Football Club fields Auskick, 2 Under 9 teams, 2 Under 11 teams, an Under 13, an Under 15, an Under 17, Reserve grade and A-Grade teams and more recently 4 female teams. The Club is zoned to the Central District Football Club in the South Australian National Football League. The clubrooms were extended (2021) and the number of changerooms has been doubled to four (4) Further a sheltered outside area has been created improving the ability to cater for the number of teams, players, families and supporters. The upgrade of the canteen was completed in March 2024. A second oval has been constructed allowing the Angaston Football Club to play all of its home matches on the one day. Other club facilities targeted for improvement include oval(s) lighting, more all-weather shelter, Scoreboard, Goal Nets and Toilets. The Angas Recreation Park is shared with the Angaston Cricket Club, the Angaston Show Society, Angaston Netball Club, Angaston Tennis Club and Kangas Softball Club. The Angaston Football Club is a member of the Angas Recreation Park Committee which is an advisory body to The Barossa Council.

The Club owns a 9.5 acre vineyard which it leases to Hentley Farm Wines for an agreed amount and some target benefits.

Gap Analysis

Although the club has had some recent on-field success and a big improvement in facilities It still needs to continue improvement to keep pace with the bigger population clubs. The structure of the administration of the AFC committee with portfolios is under review. At the moment all positions on the committee and coaching are filled. Financially the club is reasonably well placed and has had its profile enhanced by increased community use of the facilities, holding an AFL National Carnival and the 2023 SANFL zone carnival. Opportunities for more events are being canvassed, but other local oval and park upgrades make this a tight market. The Football Club, along with other stakeholders, need to continue to raise money to be eligible for any future grant applications and currently have a 20 year loan for \$330,000 with the Barossa Council which funded our contribution to the Angas Recreation Park Upgrade. The Club has spent some \$280,000 at the same period on equipment and other improvements.

Develop and maintain adequate portfolios for successful club management

The current committee is stretched with the tasks of running 14 teams, 300 players and 150 members. The Club established a portfolio system and it has had mixed success. The Portfolios and position descriptions need to be rewritten. Several portfolios have been added and it is hard to get persons to take on some of the bigger ones, such as Fundraising.

The following positions make up the General Committee (2025 season)

Executive

<u>Position</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Portfolios</u>
1. President	Keith Jamieson	Infrastructure, Bar, Canteen, Regulation
2. V/President	Bruce Evans	Sponsorship
3. Secretary	Anthony Schubert	Administration
4. Treasurer	Lynda Willshire	Finance

Committee

<u>Name</u>	<u>Portfolios</u>
1. Nick Lamont	Junior Football
2. Kylie Willshire	Female Football, Catering
3. Craig Harvey	Senior Football
4. ???	????
5. Shannon Kruschel	Match Day, Social Media
6. Tracey Noack	Volunteers, Trainers
7. Kelly Ryder	Social Media & Communications
8. ?????	Fundraising

Vacant Portfolios

Social Committee
A Team
Marketing

Portfolios (Holders)

Jo Harvey	Merchandise
Mel Gore	Child Safety Officer
Matthew Doecke	Grants
Ryan Noack	Event Co-ordinator

Not Required Panther Estate Vineyard

Appointed Club Positions

Auditor	Tax Matters (Trevor Bromley)
Bookkeeper	Leanne Christensen
Bar	Ryan Noack
Canteen Manager	John Radzevicius
Head Trainer	Dale Waechter
250 Club/Raffles	Peter Pech
Wine Sales	Peter Morgan
Club Cleaner	Heather Thompson
Changeroom Cleaner	Ruth Waechter

Coaches (2026 Season)

A Grade	Stephen Carr	Senior Female	Brett Burgess
Reserves	Matthew Doecke	Under 16 Female	Bruce Evans
Senior Colts	Ben Burgess	Under 13 Female	Tim Gransbury
Junior Colts	Tyrell Burgess	Under 10 Female	Sarah Briones
Under 13 Male	Ashley Clarke		
Under 11 Blue	Jarred Rathjen		
Under 11 White	Paul Hampton		
Under 9 Blue	Josh Grieger		
Under 9 White	Tom Feist		
Auskick	Andreas Henschke		

Angaston Football Club Contact Information

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WEBSITE: <http://angastonfootballclub.com.au> or google angaston football club

JUNIOR APP: <https://angastonfootballclub.teamapp.com> **FACEBOOK:** Angaston Football Club

OVAL DIMENSIONS: 152 metres long, 116 metres wide. Junior Oval 112 m. long, 81 m. wide with 3 m. run-off.

COLOURS: Royal blue guernsey, white AFC logo on middle front with white vertical stripes above, royal blue shorts (home games) or white shorts (away games), royal blue socks with white top.

Away Guernsey: AFC logo similar to South Adelaide (SANFL) with navy blue instead of the home royal blue.

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Chris King -

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CLUB DOCTOR: None appointed.

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Under 13, Tim Gransbury

Under 10 Sarah Briones

A-GRADE / RESERVES / UNDER 17 / UNDER 15 / UNDER 13 - 2026 PROGRAMME

BLGFA 2026 PROGRAM

Rnd 1 – 18 April

Nuriootpa v South Gawler
Gawler Central v Tanunda
Kapunda v Barossa District
Willaston v Freeling
Bye v Angaston

Rnd 2 – Anzac Round

25 April

South Gawler v Willaston
Freeling v Kapunda
Tanunda v Barossa District
Angaston v Nuriootpa
Bye v Gawler Central

Rnd 3 – 2 May

Gawler Central v Barossa District
Willaston v Angaston (NIGHT)
South Gawler v Kapunda
Freeling v Tanunda
Bye v Nuriootpa

Rnd 4 – 9 May

Angaston v Freeling
Willaston v Gawler Central
Nuriootpa v Barossa District
Kapunda v Tanunda
Bye v South Gawler

Rnd 5 - 16 May

Gawler Central v South Gawler
Barossa District v Freeling
Tanunda v Angaston
Kapunda v Nuriootpa
Bye v Willaston

Rnd 6 – 23 May

Angaston v Gawler Central
Willaston v Kapunda
South Gawler v Barossa District
Nuriootpa v Tanunda
Bye v Freeling

Rnd 7 – 30 May

Freeling v South Gawler
Tanunda v Willaston
Nuriootpa v Gawler Central
Barossa District v Angaston
Bye v Kapunda

6 Jun - Long Weekend – Bye Riverland Interleague

Rnd 8 – 13 June

Freeling v Nuriootpa
Willaston v Barossa District
South Gawler v Angaston
Gawler Central v Kapunda
Bye v Tanunda

Rnd 9 - 20 June

Gawler Central v Freeling
South Gawler v Tanunda
Nuriootpa v Willaston
Angaston v Kapunda
Bye v Barossa District

Rnd 10 – 27 June

Barossa District v Kapunda
Freeling v Willaston
Tanunda v Gawler Central
South Gawler v Nuriootpa
Bye v Angaston

Rnd 11 – 4 July

Willaston v South Gawler
Nuriootpa v Angaston
Kapunda v Freeling
Barossa District v Tanunda
Bye v Gawler Central

11 -12 July – SANFL Country Championships Barossa Park

Rnd 12 - 18 July

Barossa District v Gawler Central
Tanunda v Freeling
Kapunda v South Gawler
Angaston v Willaston
Bye v Nuriootpa

Rnd 13 – 25 July

SA Country v WA Country
Barossa District v Nuriootpa
Tanunda v Kapunda
Gawler Central v Willaston
Freeling v Angaston
Bye v South Gawler

Rnd 14 – 1 August

Angaston v Tanunda
Freeling v Barossa District
South Gawler v Gawler Central
Nuriootpa v Kapunda
Bye v Willaston

Rnd 15 – 8 August

Kapunda v Willaston
Tanunda v Nuriootpa
Gawler Central v Angaston
Barossa District v South Gawler
Bye v Freeling

Rnd 16 - 15 August

Angaston v Barossa District
South Gawler v Freeling
Gawler Central v Nuriootpa
Willaston v Tanunda
Bye v Kapunda

Rnd 17 – 22 August

Nuriootpa v Freeling
Kapunda v Gawler Central
Barossa District v Willaston
Angaston v South Gawler
Bye v Tanunda

Rnd 18 – 29 August

Kapunda v Angaston
Willaston v Nuriootpa
Tanunda v South Gawler
Freeling v Gawler Central
Bye v Barossa District

2026 Finals Venues:

Saturday 5 September

Second Semi Final – Angaston

Sunday 6 September

First Semi Final – Gawler Central

Saturday 12 September

Preliminary Final – Freeling

Saturday 19 September

Grand Final – Willaston

* **PECH CUP/KLEINIG MEDAL** * Angaston v. Tanunda - Tanunda won 16, Angaston 3. Not held 2020 due to Covid. Began at Angaston in 2005. Prior to 2017 it was known as the Heidenreich Cup/Kleinig Medal. Kleinig Medal – 2015 Andrew Pech, 2022 Steven Summerton and 2024 Jay Shannon.

* **BLUE & WHITE CUP/McGRATH MEDAL** * Angaston v. South Gawler - Angaston won 10, South Gawler 9. Not held 2020 due to Covid. First held at South Gawler in 2005. McGrath Medal - David Green 2005, Stewart White 2008, Matt Duldig 2010, Andrew Pech 2011, Greg Bain 2014, Andrew Pech 2015, Tom Ryan 2016 and 2017, Ryan Carnelly 2019.

* **ROSENBERG/SCHUBERT CUP** * Angaston v. Nuriootpa (Centenary Cup prior to 2012). Angaston won 6, Nuriootpa 10. Not held 2020 due to Covid. First held at Nuriootpa, Anzac Day, Friday, April 25, 2008 - held over four grades - 3 points win A-Grade, 2 points Reserves, Under 17 and Under 15 1 point.

BL&GFA Under 11 - 2025

1	5-Apr	Sat	10:30	Willaston Blue	v	South White	Princes Pk	10	27-Jun	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Willaston Red		
		Sat	11:30	Willaston Red	v	South Blue				Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Willaston Blue		
		Sat	10:30	Kapunda Black	v	Angaston White				28-Jun	Sat	9:30	Angaston Blue	v		Kapunda Red
		Sat	11:30	Kapunda Red	v	Angaston Blue				Sat	10:30	Angaston White	v	Kapunda Blue		
		Sat	10:30	Central Gold	v	Tanunda				Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	Central Black		
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Barossa White				Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black		
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Barossa Blue				Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Nuriootpa Gold		
BYE = Freeling & Central Black								BYE = Freeling & Central Gold								
2	25-Apr	Fri	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Angaston Blue	Princes Pk Princes Pk	11	4-Jul	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Central Gold		
		Fri	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Angaston White				Fri	18:30	South White	v	Central Black		
		Fri	10:30	Kapunda Red	v	Freeling Red				5-Jul	Sat	9:30	Freeling Red	v		Kapunda Black
		Fri	11:30	Kapunda Black	v	Freeling Blue				Sat	10:30	Freeling Blue	v	Kapunda Red		
	26-Apr	Fri	12:30	Tanunda	v	Barossa White			Sat	10:30	Angaston White	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	10:30	Central Black	v	South Blue			Sat	11:30	Angaston Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		Sat	11:30	Central Gold	v	South White			Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Tanunda			
BYE = Willaston & Barossa Blue								BYE = Willaston & Barossa White								
3	2-May	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Kapunda Black	Princes Pk Princes Pk	12	18-Jul	Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Freeling Blue		
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Kapunda Red				Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Freeling Red		
	3-May	Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	Nuriootpa Black			19-Jul	Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Tanunda		
		Sat	10:30	Angaston Blue	v	Central Black			Sat	10:30	Central Black	v	Angaston White			
		Sat	11:30	Angaston White	v	Central Gold			Sat	11:30	Central Gold	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Freeling Red	v	Willaston Blue			Sat	10:30	Kapunda Red	v	South Blue			
		Sat	11:30	Freeling Blue	v	Willaston Red			Sat	11:30	Kapunda Black	v	South White			
BYE = Barossa & Nuriootpa Gold								BYE = Barossa & Nuriootpa Black								
4	10-May	Sat	10:30	Central Gold	v	Willaston Red	Princes Pk Princes Pk	13	25-Jul	Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Central Black		
		Sat	11:30	Central Black	v	Willaston Blue				Fri	18:30	Willaston Blue	v	Central Gold		
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Freeling Blue				Fri	17:30	South White	v	Barossa White		
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Freeling Red				Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Barossa Blue		
		Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	South Blue				26-Jul	Sat	10:30	Freeling Red	v		Nuriootpa Black
		Sat	9:30	Barossa Blue	v	South White				Sat	11:30	Freeling Blue	v	Nuriootpa Gold		
		Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	Angaston White				Sat	10:30	Angaston Blue	v	Tanunda		
BYE = Kapunda & Angaston Blue								BYE = Kapunda & Angaston White								
5	16-May	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Tanunda	Princes Pk Princes Pk	14	2-Aug	Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	South White		
		Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Nuriootpa Gold				Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Freeling Blue		
	17-May	Fri	18:30	Willaston Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black			Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Freeling Red			
		Sat	10:30	Freeling Blue	v	Barossa White			Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	11:30	Freeling Red	v	Barossa Blue			Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Kapunda Red	v	Central Gold			Sat	9:30	Central Gold	v	Kapunda Black			
		Sat	11:30	Kapunda Black	v	Central Black			Sat	10:30	Central Black	v	Kapunda Red			
BYE = Angaston & South White								BYE = Angaston & South Blue								
6	23-May	Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Barossa White		15	8-Aug	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Angaston White		
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Barossa Blue				Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Angaston Blue		
	24-May	Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Kapunda Red			9-Aug	Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	Willaston Red		
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Kapunda Black			Sat	9:30	Barossa Blue	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Freeling Red	v	Tanunda			Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	Freeling Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Angaston White	v	South Blue			Sat	10:30	Kapunda Black	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	11:30	Angaston Blue	v	South White			Sat	11:30	Kapunda Red	v	Nuriootpa Black			
BYE = Gawler Central & Freeling Blue								BYE = Gawler Central & Freeling Red								
7	30-May	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Freeling Red	Princes Pk Princes Pk	16	15-Aug	Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Angaston White		
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Freeling Blue				Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Angaston Blue		
	31-May	Sat	9:30	Tanunda	v	Kapunda Black			16-Aug	Sat	10:30	Central Black	v	Barossa White		
		Sat	10:30	Angaston Blue	v	Willaston Blue			Sat	11:30	Central Gold	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	11:30	Angaston White	v	Willaston Red			Sat	10:30	Kapunda Red	v	Tanunda			
		Sat	10:30	Barossa Blue	v	Central Black			Sat	10:30	Freeling Blue	v	South Blue			
		Sat	11:30	Barossa White	v	Central Gold			Sat	11:30	Freeling Red	v	South White			
BYE = Nuriootpa & Kapunda Red								BYE = Nuriootpa & Kapunda Black								
8	13-Jun	Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Tanunda	Princes Pk Princes Pk	17	23-Aug	Sat	10:30	Angaston White	v	Freeling Blue		
		Sat	10:30	Freeling Blue	v	Angaston Blue				Sat	11:30	Angaston Blue	v	Freeling Red		
	14-Jun	Sat	11:30	Freeling Red	v	Angaston White			Sat	10:30	Tanunda	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Kapunda Black	v	Barossa Blue			Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Kapunda Red			
		Sat	11:30	Kapunda Red	v	Barossa White			Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Kapunda Black			
		Sat	10:30	Central Black	v	Nuriootpa Black			Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Central Black			
		Sat	11:30	Central Gold	v	Nuriootpa Gold			Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Central Gold			
BYE = South Gawler & Willaston Blue								BYE = South Gawler & Willaston Red								
9	21-Jun	Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	Angaston White	Princes Pk Princes Pk	18	29-Aug	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Nuriootpa Black		
		Sat	9:30	Barossa Blue	v	Angaston Blue				Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Nuriootpa Gold		
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	South Blue				Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Kapunda Red		
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	South White				Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Kapunda Black		
		Sat	10:30	Central Gold	v	Freeling Red				30-Aug	Sat	10:30	Angaston Blue	v		Barossa White
		Sat	11:30	Central Black	v	Freeling Blue				Sat	11:30	Angaston White	v	Barossa Blue		
		Sat	10:30	Kapunda Red	v	Willaston Red				Sat	10:30	Freeling Red	v	Central Black		
Sat	11:30	Kapunda Black	v	Willaston Blue	Sat	11:30	Freeling Blue	v	Central Gold							
BYE = Tanunda								BYE = Tanunda								
Sunday - Carnival @ Nuriootpa - 17/8/2025																
Please note:																
Games held at the Club listed on the left unless otherwise stated																

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1	5-Apr	Sat	10:30	Willaston Red	v	South Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	11:30	Willaston Blue	v	South White			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Central Gold	v	Tanunda White			
		Sat	9:30	Central Black	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Barossa White			
		BYE = Freeeling & Angaston White							
10	27-Jun	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Willaston Blue		BYE = Freeeling & Angaston Blue	
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston White	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda Black	v	Central Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda White	v	Central Black			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Barossa Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		BYE = Freeeling & Angaston Blue							
2	25-Apr	Fri	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Angaston White		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Angaston Blue			
		Fri	9:30	Kapunda	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Fri	10:30	Tanunda Black	v	Barossa White			
		Fri	11:30	Tanunda White	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Central Black	v	South White			
		Sat	9:30	Central Gold	v	South Blue			
		BYE = Willaston & Freeeling Red							
3	2-May	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Kapunda		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda White	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda Black	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston Blue	v	Central Black			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston White	v	Central Gold			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Red	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Willaston Red			
		BYE = Barossa & South Blue							
4	10-May	Sat	8:30	Central Gold	v	Willaston Red		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	9:30	Central Black	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	South Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	South White			
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda Black	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda White	v	Angaston White			
BYE = Kapunda									
5	16-May	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Tanunda White		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Tanunda Black			
		Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Barossa White			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Red	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Central Black			
		BYE = Angaston & Central Gold							
6	23-May	Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Barossa Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Blue	v	Barossa White			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Red	v	Tanunda White			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston White	v	South White			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston Blue	v	South Blue			
		BYE = Gawler Central & Nuriootpa Gold							
7	30-May	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Freeeling Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda White	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston Blue	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston White	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Barossa White	v	Central Gold			
		Sat	11:30	Barossa Blue	v	Central Black			
		BYE = Nuriootpa & Tanunda Black							
8	13-Jun	Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Tanunda Black		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Tanunda White			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Angaston White			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Red	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Central Black	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Central Gold	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		BYE = South Gawler & Barossa White							
9	21-Jun	Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Angaston Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Angaston White			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	South Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	South White			
		Sat	8:30	Central Gold	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	9:30	Central Black	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Willaston Blue			
		BYE = Tanunda & Willaston Red							
11	4-Jul	Fri	17:30	South White	v	Central Gold		BYE = Willaston & Freeeling Blue	
		Fri	18:30	South Blue	v	Central Black			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Red	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston White	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Tanunda White			
		BYE = Willaston & Freeeling Blue							
12	18-Jul	Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Freeeling Red		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Blue	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Tanunda White			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	8:30	Central Black	v	Angaston White			
		Sat	9:30	Central Gold	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	South Blue			
		BYE = Barossa & South White							
13	25-Jul	Fri	17:30	Willaston Blue	v	Central Gold		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Red	v	Central Black			
		Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Barossa White			
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Red	v	Nuriootpa Black			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston White	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston Blue	v	Tanunda White			
BYE = Kapunda									
14	2-Aug	Sat	8:30	Tanunda White	v	South Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda Black	v	South White			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	9:30	Barossa Blue	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	8:30	Central Gold	v	Kapunda			
		BYE = Angaston & Central Black							
15	8-Aug	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Angaston White		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa Blue	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Barossa White	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda Black	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda White	v	Freeeling Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		BYE = Gawler Central & Nuriootpa Black							
16	15-Aug	Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Angaston White		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	Willaston Blue	v	Angaston Blue			
		Sat	8:30	Central Black	v	Barossa White			
		Sat	9:30	Central Gold	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Kapunda	v	Tanunda Black			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Red	v	South White			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Blue	v	South Blue			
		BYE = Nuriootpa & Tanunda White							
17	23-Aug	Sat	8:30	Angaston Blue	v	Freeeling Blue		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Sat	9:30	Angaston White	v	Freeeling Red			
		Sat	8:30	Tanunda White	v	Willaston Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Tanunda Black	v	Willaston Red			
		Sat	8:30	Barossa White	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	9:30	Nuriootpa Black	v	Central Black			
		Sat	10:30	Nuriootpa Gold	v	Central Gold			
		BYE = South Gawler & Barossa Blue							
18	29-Aug	Fri	17:30	South Blue	v	Nuriootpa Black		Princes Pk	Princes Pk
		Fri	18:30	South White	v	Nuriootpa Gold			
		Fri	17:30	Willaston Red	v	Kapunda			
		Sat	8:30	Angaston White	v	Barossa Blue			
		Sat	9:30	Angaston Blue	v	Barossa White			
		Sat	8:30	Freeeling Blue	v	Central Gold			
		Sat	9:30	Freeeling Red	v	Central Black			
		BYE = Tanunda & Willaston Blue							

Sunday - Carnival @ Nuriootpa - 17/8/2025



BLGW 2026 FIXTURE

Rnd 1 – 26 April

Angaston V Nuriootpa
Willaston V Barossa District
Gawler Central V Light
South Gawler V Tanunda

7 June – Long Weekend - BYE

Rnd 11 – 19 July

Angaston V Barossa District
Gawler Central V South Gawler
Light V Willaston
Nuriootpa V Tanunda

Rnd 2 – 3 May

Tanunda V Light
Willaston V Angaston
South Gawler V Barossa District
Nuriootpa V Gawler Central

Pride Round

Rnd 7 – 14 June

Barossa District V Light
Angaston V Gawler Central
Tanunda V Willaston
South Gawler V Nuriootpa

Rnd 12 – 26 July

Willaston V Nuriootpa
Tanunda V Angaston
Barossa District V Gawler Central
South Gawler V Light

Rnd 3 – 10 May

Tanunda V Barossa District
Angaston V South Gawler
Gawler Central V Willaston
Light V Nuriootpa

Rnd 8 – 21 June

Barossa District V Willaston
Light V Gawler Central
Tanunda V South Gawler
Nuriootpa V Angaston

Rnd 13 – 2 August

Tanunda V Gawler Central
South Gawler V Willaston
Angaston V Light
Barossa District V Nuriootpa

Rnd 4 – 17 May

Barossa District V Angaston
South Gawler V Gawler Central
Tanunda V Nuriootpa
Willaston V Light

Rnd 9 – 28 June

Gawler Central V Nuriootpa
Angaston V Willaston
Light V Tanunda
Barossa District V South Gawler

Rnd 14 – 9 August

Willaston V Tanunda
Light V Barossa District
Nuriootpa V South Gawler
Gawler Central V Angaston

Rnd 5 – 24 May

Nuriootpa V Willaston
Angaston V Tanunda
Gawler Central V Barossa District
Light V South Gawler

Rnd 10 – 4 July

Barossa District V Tanunda (Night Match)
5 July
Willaston V Gawler central
South Gawler V Angaston
Nuriootpa V Light

2026 Finals Venues:

Sunday 16 August

Semi Final – Barossa District

Sunday 23 August

Preliminary Final – South Gawler

Sunday 30 August

Grand Final - Nuriootpa

Rnd 6 – 31 May

Light V Angaston
Willaston V South Gawler
Gawler Central V Tanunda
Nuriootpa V Barossa District

12 July – Zone Championship – BYE

Barossa District
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ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB INCORPORATED - CONSTITUTION AND RULES

Registration Number A2097
(As adopted 26/11/2020)

1. NAME

The name of the Club shall be the "Angaston Football Club Incorporated" and shall consist of members as hereinafter provided.

2. OBJECT AND PURPOSE

- To promote the game of Australian Football as played according to the AFL Laws of the Game as determined from time to time.
- To provide facilities for the members for playing football or any other games or pastimes approved by the General Committee.
- To do all things which the Club or General Committee may think necessary or desirable for promoting the recreation, accommodation and comfort of its members and for the preservation, upkeep and improvement of the Club's property. (The Club as an association under the Act shall have all the powers conferred by section 25 of the Act).

3. MEMBERSHIP

3.1 Any person desirous of becoming a member of the Angaston Football Club Inc. shall pay a Membership Subscription as determined at the Annual General Meeting. The Annual General meeting will also determine the various categories of membership available. Only adult persons who qualify for one of those categories shall be entitled to vote at general meetings of the Club. Non Members may attend and speak at meetings at the discretion and with the permission of the meeting Chairperson

3.2. Categories at the adoption of this constitution are

- Life members
- Adult non playing members who have paid a full adult membership fee
- Adult concession
- Adult male playing
- Junior male playing
- Adult female playing
- Junior female playing.
- Honorary member as determined by the General Committee

3.3 The General Committee, without giving any reason, may refuse any person as a member and may at its discretion return any subscription paid, but is not obliged to do so.

3.4 Likewise the General Committee may terminate the membership of a current Member, however without any liability to refund the subscription.

3.5 An up to date record of the names and addresses of all natural persons who are members of the Club shall be kept by the Secretary of the Club. Each Member is to be issued a hard copy receipt (if requested), membership card and number when paying their membership subscription.

3.6 All members of the General Committee are expected to be full adult members of the Club for the length of their term.

Other than Life Members, all membership subscriptions as determined by the Club shall be due on the 1st of April each year.

3.7 The General Committee may create any person a life member of the Club in recognition of services rendered, but shall not create any more than three life members in any one year.

3.8 A Member may not receive payment from the Club's income or capital except in instances of reasonable remuneration or payments which are incidental to activities carried on by the Club in accordance or consistent with its objects.

4. AFFILIATION AND DELEGATES

4.1 The Club shall affiliate with the Barossa, Light & Gawler Football Association Inc. unless otherwise directed by vote of Members at the Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting called for that purpose.

4.2 Delegates to the relevant affiliated body are to be appointed by election at the Annual General Meeting and drawn from members of the General Committee. At time of adoption of these rules that body was the Barossa, Light & Gawler Football Association Inc.

5. MANAGEMENT AND VOTING

Any matter of whatever kind or nature so-ever, not herein dealt with or provided for shall be dealt with in such manner as the General Committee in its absolute discretion shall think fit. All voting at any meeting of any recognised committee of the Angaston Football Club shall be by show of hands unless there is a noted request for a secret ballot, except however for the election of members of the General Committee at the Annual General Meeting where a secret ballot will be conducted where there is more than one nomination for a position.

The Chairperson of any meeting will have a casting vote only.
Voting by proxy at any meeting of the Club conducted under these rules is not allowed.

6. COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

- 6.1. The Committee of Management shall be known as the General Committee and shall comprise the officers of the Club; President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Junior Football Committee Chairperson (as per clause 7.3) Female Football Committee Chairperson (as per clause 8.3) and six other members. All positions shall be elected for two year terms. The President, Female Football Chairperson Treasurer and 3 Committee shall be elected in an even calendar year, and the Vice President, Secretary, Junior Football Committee Chairperson and three Committee shall be elected in an odd calendar year. At least two of the six Committee shall be non-playing. (Reference clause 25, ADOPTION)
- 6.2. The President and Treasurer shall also have joint management and control of the funds and other property of the Club.
- 6.3. The General Committee shall have power to make resolutions by majority support for the governance of the Club. Such resolution shall on adoption be effective until rescinded by the General Committee or at a General Meeting of the Club Members.
- 6.4. The General Committee may delegate any of its powers to Sub-Committees in such way as it thinks fit, and may recall such powers without explanation and revoke any appointment so made. Any such Sub-Committee shall at all times remain answerable and subject to the General Committee.
- 6.5. All nominations for Committee of Management must be in writing, signed by the candidate and two members of the Club, and must be delivered to the Secretary at least seven days before the Annual General Meeting. The Committee of Management shall appoint a Returning Officer and Deputy Returning Officer, to conduct the Annual Elections. In the event of two or more candidates having an equal number votes, the Returning Officer shall have a casting vote.
- 6.6. The General Committee shall meet on such days as they shall appoint for the transaction of ordinary business. Meetings of the General Committee shall be held at least once a month and minutes of all resolutions and proceedings of such Committee shall be recorded in a medium kept for that purpose.

7. JUNIOR FOOTBALL COMMITTEE

- 7.1. The Junior Football Committee of the Angaston Football Club shall consist of the following members; Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary and a representative from each team fielded by the club in a particular season. A member of the General Committee shall attend meetings in a liaison capacity. The Junior Football Committee will be responsible for coordinating and promoting under age football in the Angaston Football Club.
- 7.2. The Junior Football Committee will convene an Annual General Meeting at least 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting of the Club. Attendance is open to all members of the Club and direct caregivers of any underage players. The meeting will be chaired by either the Club President or Vice President. 15 appropriate persons will be considered a quorum.
- 7.3. At such meeting the appropriate officers shall be elected after nomination from the floor. Each elected officer shall serve a 2 year term, with the Chairperson elected in the odd calendar years, and the Vice Chairperson and Secretary in even calendar years. The Chairman will serve on the General Committee as per clause 6.1
- 7.4. The other members of the committee shall be drawn from the attendees at the Annual General Meeting by consensus or subsequently enlisted by the Junior Football Committee as they deem appropriate. The size of the committee is not fixed, however every endeavor must be made to ensure that each grade or team or grouping is represented.
- 7.5. There is no requirement for discussion items to be officially lodged beforehand or motions to be decided; however general discussion points and issues relating to junior football should be canvassed.

8. FEMALE FOOTBALL COMMITTEE-

- 8.1. The Female Football Committee of the Angaston Football Club shall consist of the following members; Chairperson, Vice Chairperson, Secretary and a representative from each team fielded by the club in a particular season. A member of the General Committee shall attend meetings in a liaison capacity. The Female Football Committee will be responsible for coordinating and promoting female football in the Angaston Football Club.
- 8.2. The Female Football Committee will convene an Annual General Meeting at least 14 days prior to the Annual General Meeting of the Club. Attendance is open to all members of the Club, adult registered players and direct caregivers of any underage players. The meeting will be chaired by either the Club President or Vice President. Ten (10) appropriate persons will be considered a quorum.
- 8.3. At such meeting the appropriate officers shall be elected after nomination from the floor. Each elected officer shall serve a 2 year term, with the Chairperson elected in the even calendar years, and the Vice Chairman and Secretary in odd calendar years. The Chairperson will serve on the General Committee as per clause 6.1
- 8.4. The other members of the committee shall be drawn from the attendees at the Annual General Meeting by consensus or subsequently enlisted by the Female Football Committee as they deem

appropriate. The size of the committee is not fixed, however every endeavor must be made to ensure that each grade or team or grouping is represented.

8.5. There is no requirement for discussion items to be officially lodged beforehand or motions to be decided; however general discussion points and issues relating to female football should be canvassed.

9. COACHES

The General Committee may call for applications for Coaches prior to the Annual General Meeting. The Coaches to be appointed at least two months before the first official Association match. Any Coaches so appointed shall, subject to the terms of their contract with the Club, be subject at all times to the rulings and directions of the General Committee

10. SELECTION OF PLAYERS

10.1. No person shall be selected to play in any match unless that person is a Member of the Club and registered with the appropriate controlling body.

10.2. The General Committee may at its discretion appoint a Selection Committee for all or any Grades comprised of persons the Committee think suitable for the role. Any vacancies occurring would be replaced at the discretion of the General Committee.

11. DETERMINATION OF LEADERSHIP GROUP

The Captains, Vice-Captains, Deputy Vice Captains etc. or leadership group of each team shall be confirmed by the General Committee in consultation with the team coach prior to the first Competition Match each year, and shall hold such office only at the pleasure of the General Committee. Any vacancies occurring in any of the positions of Captain or Vice-Captain or Deputy Vice-Captain shall be filled by consensus of the General Committee and the coach of that grade as soon as possible after the vacancy occurring.

12. CASUAL VACANCY IN COMMITTEE

Any casual vacancy occurring in the General Committee can be filled and confirmed by the General Committee at any committee meeting. Any such person so appointed shall hold office until the next Annual General Meeting of the Club. If the vacancy occurs because a position is not filled at the Annual General Meeting or in the first year of a two year term an election for that vacancy will be included at the next Annual General Meeting, but will be for one year. If the vacancy occurs in the second year of the term the election for that vacancy will be the normal two year term.

13. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

13.1 The Annual General Meeting of the Club shall be held in November in each year at with the following agenda;

1. Declaration of Quorum, Apologies and Minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting.
2. President's Report
3. Financial Report
4. Other Reports as submitted
5. Amendments to the Constitution (if submitted and notified, as per rule 21)
6. Election of Patrons.
7. Election of Officers and Members of the Committee of Management as required in Rules 4 and 6 hereof.
8. Election of Club Delegates (as per rule 4)
9. Annual Membership Subscriptions
10. General Business (specific items which have been received in writing prior to the meeting will take precedence). The Chair may not accept any item of business not deemed of import.
11. Meeting Close

13.2. A notice by advertisement in "The Leader" or other appropriate media which shall specify the time and place of such Annual General Meeting shall be published for the benefit of all members of the Club. Such notice shall be published at least fourteen days prior to the holding of the Annual General Meeting and will also advise of proposed amendments to the Rules of the Constitution. The General Committee at their first meeting following the Annual General Meeting shall read, confirm and sign the Minutes of the Annual General Meeting.

14. SPECIAL MEETINGS

Special General Meetings of the Club shall be called by the Secretary whenever directed by the General Committee or whenever one-tenth of the members of the Club shall by writing request him to do so. The direction or request shall set out the business to be discussed at such meeting. The Meeting shall not consider any other business. The Secretary shall give the members of the Club 14 days' notice by advertisement in "The Leader" or other appropriate media. If such a meeting fails to gain a quorum within thirty (30) minutes of the advertised starting time the proposed business shall lapse and the meeting will be abandoned.

15. QUORUM

At all Annual General or Special Meetings of the Club 20 members shall constitute a quorum. At meetings of all other committees or an endorsed subcommittee (e.g. selection committee) a majority of its members shall form a quorum. If at any meeting, except Special Meetings as per Rule 14, of the Club the quorum

has not been obtained within thirty (30) minutes of the advertised or agreed starting time the meeting will be transferred at the discretion of the Committee concerned to another date and time.

16. CLUB COLOURS

The colours of the Club shall be Blue (Royal) and White in any combination or design as approved by the General Committee, however any changes are to be circulated for comments.

17. CODE OF CONDUCT

Any member guilty of conduct either on or off the Football Ground which may be deemed derogatory to the interest of the Club may be penalised appropriately, suspended or expelled by the General Committee. Any member so scrutinized shall have the right to state their case To the General Committee except where the incident is an offence under the provisions of the 1997 Liquor Act (as amended)

18. NON-ATTENDANCE AT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Any Member of the General Committee failing to attend without a valid excuse, two consecutive General Committee Meetings, having been previously informed by the Secretary that the meeting had been convened, shall be liable to forfeit their position on the Committee.

19. BANKING AND FINANCE

19.1. Such Accounts as required shall be opened with one or more financial institutions to be selected by the General Committee. Such accounts to be operated by the co-authorizations of the President, Secretary, Treasurer and any appointed financial employee. An authorizing officer shall satisfy themselves that the payment will meet the approval of the General Committee and the objects of the club.

19.2. A correct accounting shall be kept showing the financial affairs of the Club and any particulars shall be shown in the books of account or of a like nature such as computerized financial platforms.

19.3 From the adoption of this Constitution the Financial Year of the Angaston Football Club will be 1st of October to 30th September each year. An audited annual financial report shall be submitted to the Annual General Meeting.

19.4 The General Committee will appoint an Auditor from time to time as they deem it is required.

20. DISSOLUTION OF CLUB

The Club shall not be dissolved or its name changed, or the General Committee removed from office except by a Resolution passed by five sixths of the members being present at a Special General Meeting called for that purpose. At least 21 days written notice specifying the intention to propose the Resolution as a special resolution shall have been given to all qualified members as per Clause 3.1. In the event of a Resolution being carried for the dissolution of the Club any real or personal property remaining after payment of all debts and legal liabilities shall be transferred to a Club having objects similar to the objects of the Club or to such charitable organisation as the meeting at which the motion for dissolution was carried shall approve.

21. AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES OF THE CONSTITUTION

No existing rules shall be repealed or altered, nor shall any of them be added to, or no new rule added, except at an Annual General Meeting or a Special General Meeting called for that purpose. Such Meetings will be conducted as directed in Rules 13 & 14. Rule 20 shall not be altered. The General Committee will authorise a review of the Rules of the Constitution at least every five (5) years or as it deems necessary.

22. PUBLIC OFFICER

The Club shall appoint a Public Officer in accordance with the provisions of the Associations Incorporation Act (as amended) who shall hold office during the pleasure of the Club. The Public Officer, on the production of a signed minute of resolution of the General Committee shall comply therewith and affix the Seal of the Club to any document which may be necessary for carrying the same into effect.

23. LICENSING ACT PROVISIONS

23.1. (a) The Club shall adhere to all the relevant regulations governing the sale of Alcohol as provided in the Liquor Licensing Act 1997 (as amended) of South Australia and as directed by the relevant authority.

(b) The Club may apply for such trading licenses as it deems suitable under the Liquor Licensing Act 1997 (as amended) provided however that any proceeds from holding such a Licence shall only be used to meet the objects of the Club.

(c) The Club may apply for a Producers Licence under the Liquor Licensing Act 1997 (as amended) to enable it to both sell and produce wine provided however that the proceeds from the sale of the wine so produced shall only be used to meet the objects of the Club.

(d) Notwithstanding Rule 26 (a) the Club shall adhere to the following policies in relation to any Licence(s) it may hold;

(1) No person under the age of 18 years shall serve liquor, purchase liquor or consume liquor in the Club premises.

(2) No person under 18 years of age shall be employed in the premises of the club, except those employed as food waiters or other staff. No person under 18 years of age shall be allowed to serve in controlled areas.

23.2 The Club shall make all members and guests aware of the Club's Code of Conduct and any guidelines on appropriate conduct as described by the Liquor Commissioner from time to time.

23.3 No payment or part payment of any Secretary/Manager or other Officer or Servant of the Club shall be made by way of commission or allowances from or upon the receipts of the Club for liquor supplied.

23.4 The books of account, minute books and other records of the Club and of all Committee thereof, the register of members and all other books relating to the transactions, business, rules and management of the Club, shall be in the English language.

24. INCOME TAX ASSESSMENT ACT PROVISION

The income and property of the Club whence so ever derived shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the objectives of the Club and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of dividend, bonus or otherwise howsoever by way of profit to the members or relatives of members of the Club provided that nothing therein shall prevent the payment in good faith or remuneration to any officer or servant of the Club or to any member of the Club in return for any services actually rendered to the Club or reasonable and proper rent for premises let by any member to the Club.

25. ADOPTION

25.1 This Constitution and Rules of the Angaston Football Club Incorporated was adopted at the Annual General Meeting of Members of the Club, held in Angaston Football Clubrooms, on Thursday, 26th November 2020. Where relevant any former or existing Constitution Rules, Regulations or Precedents are therefore repealed and declared null and void.

25.2 To bring the terms of General Committee in line with the new provisions of clauses 6 & 8 if they are adopted the election for the following positions will take place at the 2020 AGM; President, Treasurer, 3 committee (2 year) and 1 committee (1 year). To bring the General Committee to the proposed 12 members for 2021 the new member will be elected for a 1 year term at this Annual General Meeting. Their terms will be for the prescribed 2 years (except the new position) and this grouping will also include the Chairperson of the Female Football Committee. Therefore at the 2021 AGM the elections for the following positions will be held: Vice-President, Secretary and 3 committee (includes the 1 year term committee member elected at the 2020 Annual General Meeting) and this grouping will include the Chairperson of the Junior Football Committee.

25.3 Due to the date change in the Financial Year from 1st November - 31st October to 1st October – 30th September the First such Financial Year will be of 11 months duration i.e. 1st November – 30th September.

HOW TO REGISTER TO PLAY FOR ANGASTON

Registrations for Angaston Football Club's 2025 season are now open for **PLAYERS, VOLUNTEERS AND TEAM MANAGERS**.

Here is the link

<https://www.playhq.com/afl/register/d37b87>

Before registering it may be worth reading below and when registering click on the correct category – Player – Team Manager or Volunteer.

\$\$\$ PRICING \$\$\$

Season registration consists of Senior Players over 17.5 years - \$230 - Registration includes insurance.

Under 17.5-15-13-11-9 - \$130 regardless of gender in Under 11 and 9 Mixed grades.

Females who play mixed comp with Under 9 and Under 11 boys click on this registration.

Female Senior, Under 16, Under 13, Under 10 - \$100 due to shorter season than male competitions. Females who only play female grades click on this registration.

Team Managers and Volunteers are FREE – Team Managers / Volunteers must register so that they can be put on team sheet.

FEMALE REGISTRATIONS

Female games are on Sundays and those who play mixed Under 9/Under 11 on Saturdays will need to register in that MIXED \$130 category as above.

Those who only play Sunday girls competition need to click on \$100 category as above. If playing Mixed and Female, click on the MIXED category.

AGE GROUPS ARE

U9 01/01/2016 - 31/12/2018

U11 01/01/2014 - 31/12/2015

U13 01/01/2012 - 31/12/2013

U15 01/01/2010 - 31/12/2011

U17 01/07/2007 - 31/12/2009

Senior 01/01/1965 - 30/06/2007

A compulsory SANFL registration fee of \$22.50 (junior) - \$27.50 (senior) is required. This will appear when registering.

\$100 OFF YOUR REGISTRATION FEE IF BORN BETWEEN 2009 TO 2019

\$100 Sports Vouchers are available to children from Reception to Year 9 (born between 2010 to 2020)

Each eligible child can claim 1 voucher. Make sure to click on the Sports Voucher before paying right at the end, otherwise it will charge you the full fee instead of taking \$100 off.

ALL FEES MUST BE PAID UPON REGISTERING and registering for everyone ends on June 30 every year.

Junior grades play Saturday mornings and some Under 9-11 games are Friday nights at venues with no second oval or lights - eg Willaston/South Gawler.

AUSKICK – BOYS AND GIRLS

Children can start Auskick in the calendar they turn 5!

Link is below and click on green register button top side.

After that type in Angaston on left hand side where it says find suburb or club.

And then click on ANGASTON FC AUSKICK CENTRE.

And then down bottom is register button.

https://play.afl/play/auskick?gad_source=1&gclid=CjwKCAiA6KWvBhAREiwAFPZM7iVSiXw0_FCWD5aZ0TMyC2Pj4RFUQ69rueN2vOpRpOI-R_9dIj59hxoCctQQAvD_BwE

Cost is free if you click on the bit of \$100.

HOW TO REGISTER TO BE A COACH

No coach can coach unless registered which is free and regardless of whether they coached last year or have been accredited for ten years. Coaches must register at least two days before their first official coaching game of the season.

They must register to be put on the team sheet.

Accreditation process for 2025 will mirror previous years with coaches needing to complete the following 3-step process:

1. Fill out the Coaching Profile and add their club coaching role/s

2. Agree to the Codes of Conduct
3. Complete their required learning:
 - Returning Coaches will complete the brand-new online Concussion Management module
 - New Coaches will complete the relevant Foundation Level Course + Concussion & Safeguarding

Click on the link below which will take you to the Coach AFL homepage.

<https://play.afl/coach>

Any questions or need any assistance, feel free to contact Rian Nelson at rian.nelson@sanfl.com.au

2025 COACH ACCREDITATION

ALL coaches will register to their community club/s via Coach Learning Platform. Coaches must select the club/team (in the correct league) they are coaching in their Coaching Profile to be linked to their community club. *Coaches MUST complete all steps in the registration and accreditation workflow. Coaches will only show as registered and available for team selection in PlayHQ when their coaching role has been selected and their accreditation course for 2025 has been completed.

REGISTER AT PLAY.AFL/COACH

NEW COACHES

Create a Coach Learning Platform account, navigate to the 'Coach Hub' Register for 2025 section and:

1. Complete the Coaching Profile
2. Complete the 2025 Welcome Package (including the Coaches Code of Conduct)
3. Complete the online Essentials Module relevant to the playing age group of their team (Junior, Youth or Senior)

RENEWING COACHES

Login to existing account and:

1. Update their Coaching Profile
2. Complete the 2025 Welcome Package (including the Coaches Code of Conduct)
3. Complete the online renewal module, 2025 Coach Renewal Concussion Management

PLAYER INSURANCE

The Club has taken out insurance to give players some cover whilst involved in any Club activity. This insurance covers 50% of medical expenses incurred within twelve months of you sustaining an injury including medical supplies and ambulance up to a maximum of \$2000 for any one claim.

An injury is covered is it occurred whilst you are:

- Playing in Club or representative games, competitions or performances organised by the Club.
- Participating in training or practice sessions or official functions arranged by the Club.
- Travelling directly to or from club or representative games, competitions or performances, training or practice sessions or official functions organised by the Club.
- Engaged in organised social or administration activities of the Club.

Please note 50% of the cost of ambulance transport is covered under this insurance. The Club strongly recommends that you take out separate ambulance cover to ensure you are fully covered. Ambulance costs are not covered by Medicare and even if you or your family do have private health insurance your policy may not cover the cost of an ambulance. Club recommends that you check with your private health insurance provider to find out if you are covered for ambulance transport. **THE CLUB WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE TO PAY FOR AMBULANCE TRANSPORT ON BEHALF OF ANY PLAYER.** Cost for an individual to be covered for ambulance transport is \$71 per year.

Please also note that there is provision to claim loss of income under this insurance.

Please contact Keith Jamieson 0414 714 074 if you have any queries regarding this insurance.

Please keep in mind

Personal Injury cover is a policy for injuries occurring due to an accident. It is not a sickness or illness policy.

Personal Injury cover can pay for Non-Medicare Medical Expenses. These include physio, chiro, dental, ambulance transport and private hospital accommodation.

Personal Injury cover is not Private Health Insurance or Life Insurance.

CLUB SONG

Sung to the North Melbourne Kangaroos tune

Panthers Panthers brave and bold

Oughtabe oughtabe dipped in gold
So out we come, out we come, out we come to play
Lots of run, heaps of fun, enjoy yourself today
Angaston boys (girls) are hard to beat when they come out to play

So join in the chorus and sing it one and all
Join in the chorus Ango's on the ball
Good old Panthers they're champions you'll agree
The Panthers will be premiers just you wait and see.

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB Inc.

CLUBROOM HIRE RATES & CONDITIONS

\$80 per hour with one bar staff. If extra bar staff are required then the rate increases \$40 per extra bar staff.

Capacity of Club is 200. As a guide 150 guests would in most circumstances require 3 bar staff. Time taken for setting up and cleaning not included, but an extra hour will be added to staff's wages to cover the 'close'

A Bond of \$200 will be required to be paid in advance.

Financial Angaston Football Club Members receive a 25% discount on rates of hire except the Bond.

Angaston Football Club is a venue with a Club Licence under the Liquor Act and as such has to maintain the following requirements amongst others;

- No Alcohol to be brought onto or taken off the premises except as controlled BYO
- Service of alcohol to Minors strictly prohibited
- No Smoking inside club building
- Responsible service of Alcohol

If Hirer wishes to hire club with bar open, normal bar prices will apply. Corkage may be charged on any BYO alcohol as accepted and determined by the Bar Manager. Generally any BYO alcohol in this circumstance would be product either **not accessible** to the AFC or in their normal product range. Spirits and fortified products will be not included in corkage due to the Club's Responsible Service of Alcohol policy.

If Hirer wishes to supply guests at own expense or run a Bar Tab the Hirer can negotiate a pricing structure re full kegs and whole cartons with the Bar Manager or a cash limit. However there are no refunds and it is advisable that any amount or product type so arranged is not excessive.

The Club is available for hire as a non-alcohol venue e.g.; conferences, meetings, training, however under no circumstances is alcohol to be consumed or brought onto the premises for these events.

Hirer can decorate club as they wish, but are asked to return it to original condition and to not use confetti or glitter.

Hirers are expected to clean and tidy club after event removing excessive rubbish making it cleaner 'friendly'.

However if they wish to vacate immediately on function end, then a cleaning fee of \$35 per hour will be deducted from the bond. If any cleaning is not done to a satisfactory level then the same deduction from the bond may be exacted. Hirers are expected to pay for any damage, missing fixtures or furnishings. If cleaning costs or damages etc. amounts exceeds the bond then Hirer expected to pay the difference. Cleaning costs are calculated at \$35 per hour.

Hirers are expected to help ensure that the event doesn't breach legal or liquor act guidelines as per our Liquor Licence. Where security may be an issue Hirer is expected to organise and cover the costs. Any security employed must be licenced in regard to Liquor Licensing regulations and made known to the Bar Manager or their deputy.

If Hirers wish to have catering and use of kitchen the Angaston Football Club caterers are to be used unless some other arrangement is agreed or they are not available. In circumstance where the hirer or other caterer provides food and uses kitchen there will be an additional \$20 to the hire rate under the same conditions.

Bookings and enquiries are to be made through the Venue Manager – Ryan Noack on 0473 039 897 Email Ryannoack06@gmail.com or by post to PO Box 166 Angaston, SA, 5353 addressed to the Venue Manager.

Bookings are approved on a first come, first served basis and an invoice will be issued ASAP after the event.

Seven day payment on receipt of invoice would be appreciated. Direct Deposit details are as follows: ANZ Bank - BSB 015-500 A/c 606017958. Payment advice email: Leanne Christensen abcbas.bookkeeping@gmail.com.

March 2022

TERMS & CONDITIONS ACCEPTED :.....(signature)

PRINTED NAME:.....DATE OF EVENT...../...../.....

DESIGNATED MEMBER.....(Must be one of organisers) \$200 Bond Paid.....Y/N

HIRE FEE HOURS.....to..... = ...(+ 1 hour for close) @.....per hour.....+ \$200 Bond.....Total

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB 2025 SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES

A dedicated team of supporters are working on building sponsor partnerships with the club with the following categories available to businesses and individuals:

MAJOR/PLATINUM to be negotiated

GOLD SPONSOR \$2,500

SILVER SPONSOR \$1,750

BRONZE SPONSOR \$850

OVAL SIGN SPONSORSHIP

3 Season Agreement - 2024/25/26 seasons.

Initial Season - \$1,000 single, \$1,250 double / 2nd Season - \$750 single, \$1,000 double
/ 3rd Season - \$750 single, \$750 double

* All additional seasons - \$750

(AFC to provide new sign after five seasons)

FEMALE SPONSORSHIP Amount to be negotiated

PANTHER PARTNER \$425

All players and supporters are encouraged to introduce new sponsors to the club at any level.

Please support those businesses which already support the club!

NEED MORE INFORMATION?

Bruce Evans Ph: 0418 842 924 Email: bruce_evans@outlook.com

**ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB IS PROUD TO BE
ASSOCIATED WITH THEIR MAJOR SPONSORS IN 2025**



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ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY AND MEMBER PROTECTION POLICY

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ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB CHILD SAFE ENVIRONMENT POLICY and MEMBER PROTECTION POLICY

1. Introduction

The Angaston Football Club is committed to providing an environment safe for children that is free from harassment, discrimination and harm for everyone, and promotes respectful and positive behaviour and values.

This policy provides a code of behaviour forming the basis of appropriate and ethical conduct which everyone must abide by.

The Angaston Football Club is committed to ensuring that everyone associated with the Angaston Football Club complies with the policy.

2. Purpose of Our Policy

The main objective of our Member Protection Policy is to maintain responsible behaviour and ethical and informed decision-making by participants in this club. This policy outlines our commitment to a person's right to be treated with respect and dignity, and to be safe and protected from harm. Our policy informs everyone involved in our club of his or her legal and ethical rights and responsibilities and the standards of behaviour that are required. It also covers the care and protection of children participating in our club's activities.

3. Who Our Policy Applies To

Our policy applies to everyone involved in the club including members, committee members, administrators, coaches, officials, volunteers, players, parents and spectators.

4. Extent of Our Policy

Our policy covers unfair decisions (e.g. team selection), breaches of our code of behaviour and inappropriate behavior that occurs at practice, at meetings, in the clubrooms, at social events organised or sanctioned by the club (or our district, regional, state or national body), on away and overnight trips and any behaviour that brings or is likely to bring our club or sport into disrepute. It also covers behaviour where there is suspicion of harm towards a child or young person.

5. Club Responsibilities

We will:

- make any necessary amendments to our Constitution, rules or other policies to enable this policy to be enforceable;
 - implement and comply with our policy;
 - promote our policy to everyone involved in our club;
 - promote and model appropriate standards of behaviour at all times;
 - respond to breaches or complaints made under our policy promptly, fairly, and confidentially;
 - review this policy every 12 months; and
 - seek advice from, and if necessary or appropriate, refer serious issues to the Barossa Light & Gawler Football Association.
- Serious issues include unlawful behaviour that involves or could lead to significant harm and includes criminal behavior (e.g. physical assault, sexual assault, child harm) and any other issues that our state or national body request to be referred to them (e.g. conflict of interest).

6. Individual Responsibilities

Everyone associated with our club must:

- comply with the standards of behaviour outlined in our policy;
- treat others with respect;
- always place the safety and welfare of children above other considerations;
- be responsible and accountable for their behaviour;
- follow the guidelines outlined in this policy if they wish to make a complaint or report a concern about possible child abuse, discrimination, harassment or other inappropriate behaviour.

7. Protection of Children

7.1 Child Protection

The Angaston Football Club is committed to the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people accessing our service. We support the rights of the child and will act without hesitation to ensure a child safe environment is maintained at all times. We also support the rights and wellbeing of our staff and volunteers and encourage their active participation in building and maintaining a secure environment for all participants.

The Angaston Football Club acknowledges that our staff, members and volunteers provide a valuable contribution to the positive experiences of children involved in our sport. The Angaston Football Club aims to continue this and to take measures to protect the safety and welfare of children participating in our sport by:

7.1.1 Identify and Analyse Risk of Harm

The Angaston Football Club has developed and implemented a risk management strategy, which includes a review of existing child protection practices, to determine how child-safe and child-friendly the organisation is and to determine what additional strategies are required to minimise and prevent risk of harm to children.

7.1.2 Develop Codes of Conduct for Adults and Children

The Angaston Football Club has ensured it has codes of conduct that specify standards of conduct and care when dealing and interacting with children, particularly those in the organisation's care. The club has implemented a code of conduct to address appropriate behaviour for adults and children.

The code(s) of conduct will set out professional boundaries, ethical behaviour and unacceptable behaviour. (See Section 11)

7.1.3 Choose Suitable Employees and Volunteers

The Angaston Football Club ensures it takes all reasonable steps to ensure that it engages the most suitable and appropriate people to work with children (in prescribed positions).

This may be achieved using a range of screening measures. Such measures will aim to minimise the likelihood of engaging (or retaining) people who are unsuitable to work with children.

Our organisation will take all appropriate steps to ensure that it employs the most suitable people to work with children and young people. We undertake a range of screening measures including interviews and referee checks.

Our screening measures are required for anyone within our organisation that provides a service or undertakes child-related work as defined by the *Child Safety (Prohibited Persons) Act 2016*.

We will obtain working with children check (WWCC) information issued by the Screening Unit, DHS, as required by the *Child Safety (Prohibited Persons) Act 2016*. We will obtain from the person their full name, address, DOB and unique identifier and:

- a. Verify a working with children check has been conducted in relation to the person within the preceding 5 years
- b. The person is not prohibited from working with children
- c. Provide the screening unit, DHS the name, address, telephone number and email address of the business at which the person is to be employed, and
- d. The name and contact details of the person who verified the matters referred to in points (a) and (b) above.

If a criminal history report is obtained as part of their screening process, the Angaston Football Club will ensure that the criminal history information is dealt with in accordance with the Child Safe Environments Principles of Good Practice (2012, updated 2019) developed by the Chief Executive, Department of Human Services at https://dhs.sa.gov.au/_data/assets/pdf_file/0011/82658/cse-principles-of-good-practice-2019-dhs-update.pdf.¹ (See Section 12).

7.1.4 Support, Train, Supervise and Enhance Performance

The Angaston Football Club will ensure that volunteers and employees who work with children or their records have ongoing supervision, support and training such that their performance is developed and enhanced to promote the establishment and maintenance of a child-safe environment.

7.1.5 Empower and Promote the Participation of Children In Decision-Making And Service Development

The Angaston Football Club will promote the involvement and participation of children and young people in developing and maintaining child-safe environments.

¹ Department of Human Services (2012, updated 2019) *Child Safe Environments: Principles of Good Practice*, Adelaide.

7.1.6 Report and Respond Appropriately to Suspected Abuse and Neglect

The Angaston Football Club will ensure that volunteers and employees are able to identify and respond to children at risk of harm.

The Angaston Football Club will make all volunteers and employees aware of their responsibilities under the *Child Safety (Prohibited Persons) Act 2016* and the *Children and Young People (Safety) Act 2017* if they have suspicion on reasonable grounds that a child has been or is at risk of harm.

The Angaston Football Club expects that all people involved in the organisation will report suspicion that a child or young person is at risk to the Child Abuse Report Line (CARL) on 13 14 78.

If any person feels another person or organisation bound by this policy is acting inappropriately towards a child or is breaching the code(s) of practice set out they may make a internal complaint. Please refer to our complaints procedure outlined in this policy. This will explain what to do about the behaviour and how the Angaston Football Club will deal with the problem.

7.2 Supervision

Members under the age of 18 must be supervised at all times by a responsible adult. Our club will provide a level of supervision adequate and relative to the members' age, maturity, capabilities, level of experience, nature of activity and nature of venue. If a member finds a member under the age of 18 is unsupervised, they should assume responsibility for the member's safety until the parent/guardian or supervisor can be found.

7.3 Transportation

Parents/guardians are responsible for transporting their children to and from club activities (e.g. practice and games). Where our club makes arrangements for the transportation of children (e.g. for away or over night trips), we will conduct a risk assessment that includes ensuring vehicles are adequately insured, the driver has a current and appropriate licence for the vehicle being used and appropriate safety measures are available (e.g. fitted working seatbelts).

7.4 Taking Images of Children

The Angaston Football Club acknowledges that in South Australia under the Summary Offences Act 1953 a person must not engage in indecent filming. Images of children and adults should not be used inappropriately or illegally.

Our club requires that members, wherever possible, obtain permission from a child's parent/guardian before taking an image of a child that is not their own and ensure that the parent knows the way the image will be used. Our club also requires the privacy of others to be respected and disallows the use of camera phones, videos and cameras inside changing areas, showers and toilets.

If the club uses an image of a child it will avoid naming or identifying the child or it will, wherever possible, avoid using both the first name and surname. We will not display personal information such as residential address, email address or telephone numbers without gaining consent from the parent/guardian. We will not display information about hobbies, likes/dislikes, school, etc as this information can be used as grooming tools by pedophiles or other persons. We will only use appropriate images of a child, relevant to our sport and ensure that the child is suitably clothed in a manner that promotes the sport, displays its successes, etc.

8. Anti-harassment, Discrimination and Bullying

Our club opposes all forms of harassment, discrimination and bullying. This includes treating or proposing to treat someone less favourably because of a particular characteristic; imposing or intending to impose an unreasonable requirement, condition or practice which has an unequal or disproportionate effect on people with a particular characteristic; or any behaviour that is offensive, abusive, belittling, intimidating or threatening – whether this is face-to-face, indirectly or via communication technologies such as mobile phone and computers. Some forms of harassment, discrimination and bullying are against the law and are based on particular characteristics such as age, disability, gender, sexual orientation, pregnancy, political or religious beliefs, race, and marital status.

Our club takes all claims of harassment, discrimination, bullying and cyber bullying seriously. We encourage anyone who believes they have been harassed, discriminated against or bullied to raise the issue with the club (see Section 10, Responding to Complaints).

9. Inclusive practices.

Our club is welcoming and we will seek to include members from all areas of our community.

9.1 People with a disability

Where possible we will include people with a disability in our teams and club. We will make reasonable adaptations (e.g. modifications to equipment and rules) to enable participation.

9.2 People from diverse cultures

We will support and respect people from diverse cultures and religions to participate in our club and where possible will accommodate requests for flexibility (e.g. modifications to uniforms).

9.3 Sexual & Gender Identity

All people, regardless of their sexuality, are welcome at our club. We strive to provide a safe environment for participation and will take action over any homophobic behaviour.

9.4 Pregnancy

Pregnant women should be aware that their own health and wellbeing, and that of their unborn children, should be of utmost importance in their decision making about the way they participate in our sport. We recommend pregnant women to consult with their medical advisers, make themselves aware of the facts about pregnancy in sport, and ensure that they make informed decisions about participation.

9.5 Girls playing in boys teams

If there is not a separate sex competition, our club will support girls playing in boys teams up until the age of 12 years (when federal sex discrimination law says if differences in strength, stamina and physique are relevant, then single sex competition is required).

After this age our club will consider each request on an individual basis including looking at the nature of our sport and other opportunities to compete.

10. Responding to Complaints

10.1 Complaints

Our club takes all complaints about on and off-field behaviour seriously. Our club will handle complaints based on the principles of procedural fairness (natural justice), that is:

- all complaints will be taken seriously;
- both the person making the complaint (complainant) and the person the complaint is against (respondent) will be given full details of what is being said against them and have the opportunity to respond (give their side of the story);
- irrelevant matters will not be taken into account;
- decisions will be unbiased and fair; and
- any penalties imposed will be fair and reasonable.

More serious complaints may be escalated to the Member Protection Information Officer (MPIO) of the Barossa Light & Gawler Football Association.

If the complaint relates to suspected child abuse, sexual assault or other criminal activity, then our club will need to report the behaviour to the police and/or relevant government authority and our state/national body.

10.2 Complaint Handling Process

When a complaint is received by our club, the person receiving the complaint (e.g. President, Complaints Officer) will:

- listen carefully and ask questions to understand the nature and extent of the problem;
 - ask what the complainant would like to happen;
 - explain the different options available to help resolve the problem;
 - take notes; utilizing Attachment 5 and maintain confidentiality but not necessarily anonymity.
- Once the complainant decides on their preferred option for resolution, the club will assist, where appropriate and necessary, with the resolution process. This may involve:
- supporting the person complaining to talk to the person being complained about
 - bringing all the people involved in the complaint together to talk objectively through the problem (this could include external mediation);
 - gathering more information (e.g. from other people that may have seen the behaviour);
 - seeking advice from our district, regional, state and/or national body or from an external agency (e.g. Office for Recreation and Sport, and Play By The Rules.);
 - referring the complaint to our Barossa Light and Gawler Football Association; and/or
 - referring the complainant to an external agency such as a community mediation centre, police or anti-discrimination agency.
- In situations where a complaint is referred to the Barossa Light and Gawler Football Association and an inquiry is conducted, the club will:
- co-operate fully;
 - ensure the complainant and respondent are not victimised;
 - where applicable, ensure the complainant is not placed in an unsupervised situation with the respondent(s); and
 - act on the Barossa Light and Gawler Football Association recommendations.

At any stage of the process, a person can seek advice from or lodge a complaint with an anti-discrimination commission or other external agency.

10.3 Disciplinary Measures

Our club will take disciplinary action against anyone found to have breached our policy or made false and malicious allegations. Any disciplinary measure imposed under our policy must:

- Be applied consistent with any contractual and employment rules and requirements;
- Be fair and reasonable;
- Be based on the evidence and information presented and the seriousness of the breach;
- Be determined by our Constitution, By Laws and the rules of the game.

Possible measures that may be taken include:

- verbal and/or written apology;
- counselling to address behaviour;
- withdrawal of any awards, placings, records, achievements bestowed in any tournaments, activities or events held or sanctioned by our club;
- suspension or termination of membership, participation or engagement in a role or activity;
- de-registration of accreditation for a period of time or permanently;
- a fine; or
- any other form of discipline that our club considers reasonable and appropriate.

10.4 Appeals

The complainant or respondent can lodge one appeal against decisions or disciplinary measures imposed by our club to Barossa Light and Gawler Football Association. Appeals must be based on either a denial of natural justice, because of unjust or unreasonable disciplinary measure(s) being imposed, or on the grounds that the decision was not supported by the information/evidence presented and available to the decision maker/club.

11 CODE OF CONDUCT

The Codes of Behaviour outlined below have been derived from the AFL Next Generation Junior Match Policy.

Players

- Play by the rules: they are there for the good of all.
- Never argue with an official: if you disagree, discuss the matter with your coach or teacher after the game.
- Control your temper: verbal abuse, racial or religious vilification of other players, and provoking an opponent or the other team are never appropriate.
- Be a good sport: applaud all good plays by your team, opponent or the opposition team.
- Treat all players fairly: treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player.
- Cooperate willingly: cooperate with your coach, teammates and opponents. Without them there would be no game.
- Play for fun: Play for the 'fun of it' and not just to please parents and coaches.

Coaches' Code of Conduct (as signed by accredited coaches)

- I will respect the rights, dignity and worth of all individuals within the context of my involvement in Australian Football, including refraining from any discriminatory practices on the basis of race, religion, gender, ethnic background or special ability/disability.
 - I will abide by and teach the AFL Laws of the Game and the rules of my club and league/association.
 - I will be reasonable in the demands I make on the time commitments of the players in my care, having due consideration for their health and well-being.
 - I will be supportive at all times and I will refrain from any form of personal or physical abuse or unnecessary physical contact with the players in my care.
 - I will have due consideration for the varying maturity and ability levels of my players when designing practice schedules, practice activities and involvement in competition.
 - Where I am responsible for players in the 5-18-year-old age group, I will strive to ensure that all players gain equal playing time. I will avoid overplaying the talented players, aiming to maximise participation, learning and enjoyment for all players regardless of ability.
 - I will stress and monitor safety always.
 - In recognising the significance of injury and sickness, I will seek and follow the physician's advice concerning the return of injured or ill players to training.
 - I will endeavour to keep informed regarding sound principles of coaching and skill development, and of factors relating to the welfare of my players.
 - I will at all times display and teach appropriate sporting behaviour, ensuring that players understand and practice fair play.
 - I will display and foster respect for umpires, opponents, coaches, administrators, other officials, parents and spectators.
 - I will ensure that players are involved in a positive environment where skill learning and development are priorities and not overshadowed by a desire to win.
 - I reject the use of performance-enhancing substances in sport and will abide by the guidelines set forth in the AFL Anti-Doping and Illicit Drugs policies.
- I agree to the following terms:**
- I agree to abide by the AFL Coaches' Code of Conduct.
 - I acknowledge that the AFL, or a body affiliated with the AFL, may take disciplinary action against me if I breach the code of conduct. I understand that the AFL, or a body affiliated with the AFL, is required to implement a complaints handling procedure in accordance with the principles of natural justice in the event of an allegation against me.
 - I acknowledge that disciplinary action against me may include de-registration from the AFL National Coaching Accreditation Scheme.
 - Note: The Coaches' Code of Conduct is to be signed and followed as part of the accreditation requirements of the AFL. Coaches should be aware that, in addition to the Code, they may be obliged to sign a further code of conduct/ethics with their club and/or league.

Parents/Spectators

- Remember children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
- Encourage children to participate, do not force participation upon them.
- Focus on your children's efforts and self-esteem rather than whether they win or lose
- Encourage children to always participate according to the rules.
- Never ridicule or yell at children for making a mistake or if their team loses a game.
- Remember children learn best by example – applaud the efforts of all players in both teams.
- Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- Show appreciation of volunteer coaches, officials and administrators – without whom your child could not participate.
- Respect umpires' decisions and teach children to do likewise.
- Remember smoking and the consumption of alcohol is unacceptable at junior sport

Administration/Officials

- Ensure equal participation for all: provide equal opportunities for all regardless of ability, size, shape, sex, age, disability or ethnic origin.
- Suitability of program: ensure that the rules, equipment, length of games and training schedules take into consideration the age, ability and maturity level of the participants.
- Ensure adequate supervision: adequate supervision must be provided by qualified and competent coaches and officials capable of developing appropriate sports behaviour and skills.
- Stress enjoyment: remember children participate for enjoyment. Play down the importance of rewards.
- Arrange adult education: develop improved standards of coaching and officiating with an emphasis on appropriate behaviour and skills.
- Promote fair play: ensure parents, coaches, officials, sponsors, physicians and participants understand their responsibilities regarding fair play.
- Modify to suit various levels: modify rules and regulations to match the skill level of participants and their needs.

- Promote respect for opponents: condemn unsporting behaviour.
- Maximise enjoyment: publicly encourage rule changes that will reinforce the principle of participating for fun and enjoyment.
- Keep up to date: make a personal commitment to keep informed of the sound principles of administering recommended football programs for junior players.
- Schedule practice activities and involvement in competition.
- Where I am responsible for players in the 5-18 year old age group, I will strive to ensure that all players gain equal playing time. I will avoid overplaying the talented players, aiming to maximise participation, learning and enjoyment for all players regardless of ability.
- I will stress and monitor safety always.
- In recognising the significance of injury and sickness, I will seek and follow the physician's advice concerning the return of injured or ill players to training.
- I will endeavour to keep informed regarding sound principles of coaching and skill development, and of factors relating to the welfare of my players.
- I will at all times display and teach appropriate sporting behaviour, ensuring that players understand and practice fair play.
- I will display and foster respect for umpires, opponents, coaches, administrators, other officials, parents and spectators.
- I will ensure that players are involved in a positive environment where skill learning and development are priorities and not overshadowed by a desire to win.
- I reject the use of performance-enhancing substances in sport and will abide by the guidelines set forth in the AFL Anti-Doping and Illicit Drugs policies. Further information available through AFL Kids First program, at the following: www.aflcommunityclub.com.au and www.playbytherules.net.au

12 WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECKS - SCREENING REQUIREMENTS

Child safety is an important issue for all people associated with the Angaston football Club. Over the last 12 months the Child Safe Environments landscape has had several key changes. The Angaston Football Club requires a working with children checks through the Screening Unit, for an assessment and clearance: <https://www.dcsiscreening.sa.gov.au/>

This will be done online as from 1st July 2019. The former check "the police check" is no longer considered adequate.

The Angaston Football Club undertakes to follow the standards issued by the Department of Human Services/DHS when conducting assessments.

It is also a requirement of the AFC that the child protection online "play by the rules" is completed by the same people requiring the Working With Children Check. <https://www.playbytherules.net.au/online-courses>. The certificate then needs to be given or emailed to the child safety officer - Bill Gransbury at billgransbury1@gmail.com

2.1 – Identifying affected positions

The Angaston Football Club will conduct an assessment of every person who is, or will be, engaged to work with children in this organisation, and its affiliated associations.

As a first step, the Angaston Football Club has identified all individuals and positions within the organisation that involve working with children.

These positions are: • All coaches • Assistant coaches • Team managers, • Trainers • Junior Committee members • and any other Match Day Official (committee members, child safety officers) who fit one or more of the criteria as outlined. If you know you are or will be in this position please contact the child safety officer Bill Gransbury 0438 083 559.

2.2 – Procedures

In the context of football, the meaning of child-related work and work with children is:

- Services or activities provided in the course of the operation of clubs and associations with a significant membership of, or involvement by, children;
- Coaching or tuition services for children;
- This includes those aged 14 years and over. It will no longer be from age 18.
- Screening checks for volunteers is now free.

If a person requiring the WWCC has been obtained elsewhere it is accepted by AFC but the details need to be confirmed with the child safety officer

2.3 – For Volunteers once a WWCC has been requested you are required to follow the steps in the email and complete the application form online with a 100 point check. If you are unable to do it on-line please explain your circumstances to the child safety officer. Once approved this is adequate for 5 years.

An application will require you to verify your identity on-line by providing details of your driver's licence and passport (or full birth certificate registration number). If you do not have on-line access you will be required to print and post the application to DHS Screening Unit.

2.4 – Once the application is finalised you will be required to advise the child safety officer of the Angaston Football Club.

The club will be required to maintain a record of all volunteer details and clearance information. The collection and storage of personal details must be secure and compliant with Australian Privacy Laws.

****If you have a clearance from another organisation or different sporting organisation, eg. Cricket, Hockey, Netball, etc. you will only have to provide proof of that clearance – it is not necessary to apply for another clearance to be part of the Angaston Football Club.***

13 Process for dealing with members charged with, or under investigations for, a criminal offence

This process sets out the procedure that Angaston Football Club will follow in the event that it becomes aware that a member has been charged with, or is being investigated for, a relevant criminal offence.

Guiding Principle

The paramount consideration is the rights, interests and wellbeing of children and their protection from harm.

Procedure

Risk Assessment

In the event that Angaston Football Club becomes aware that a member has been charged with, or is being investigated for, a relevant criminal offence, the managing authority of Angaston Football Club or senior appointed officers shall make a risk assessment of the risk of harm to children and consider taking protective action.

The risk assessment will:

Be conducted in accordance with the guidelines and principles set out under Standard 5 of the Child Safe Environments:

Standards for dealing with information obtained about the criminal history of employees and volunteers who work with children;

Recognise that an investigation or charge does not mean that the person is guilty and that the matter needs to be resolved through proper legal avenues;

Consider all matters on an individual basis and include an assessment of all relevant circumstances;

Provide the member an opportunity to make submissions on whether he or she had been charged with an offence warranting some action, and what action should be taken;

Be made in accordance with the principles of natural justice and procedural fairness. Assessment procedures will be transparent, documented and consistently applied;

Not compromise any police investigations or evidence.

Outcome

Where the outcome of the risk assessment is that protective action is necessary, the Angaston Football Club may:

- Control or supervise contact between the member and children
- Prevent contact between the member and children
- Remove the member from duties until the outcome of the investigation or charge is known;
- Take any other action that is necessary and reasonable in the circumstances.

Voluntary removal of member pending outcome of charge or investigation

Where the risk assessment determines that protective action is necessary against a member to safeguard and protect children, Angaston Football Club will give the member the opportunity to voluntarily remove him or herself from activities until the outcome of the charge or investigation is known.

Resolution to suspend or remove member

In the event that the member will not voluntarily remove him or herself from activities until the outcome of the charge or investigation is known, the Angaston Football Club will put forward a resolution to the committee to suspend or temporarily remove the member.

The outcome of the resolution will be recorded in the committee's minutes and then implemented.

The outcome recorded in the committee minutes will not contain unnecessary information relating to the investigation or charge or identify (directly or indirectly) any junior members.

Glossary

Relevant criminal offence: means an offence that indicates a prima-facie risk of harm or that potentially indicates unsuitability to work with children.

Natural justice: means observing the following principles:

- people are entitled to be informed of allegations made against them
- all persons affected by a decision should be given the relevant information to enable an informed submission to be made to the decision-maker or person subsequently reviewing a decision
- during the review of a decision, all persons affected by a decision should have an opportunity to put their case, relevant arguments should be heard, and relevant information should be accessible to all parties
- decision-makers act fairly and impartially.

Offence that indicates a prima-facie risk of harm: has the same meaning as described under Standard 5 of the Child Safe Environments: Standards for dealing with information obtained about the criminal history of employees and volunteers who work with children.

Offence that potentially indicates unsuitability to work with children: Has the same meaning as described under Standard 5 of the Child Safe Environments: Standards for dealing with information obtained about the criminal history of employees and volunteers who work with children.

Member: means a member of the Angaston Football Club.

Risk assessment in the context of child protection 'refers to a process of evaluating the information received to reach a decision about the risk of harm a person may pose to children'. (Child Safe Environments: Standards for dealing with information obtained about the criminal history of employees and volunteers who work with children).

14 COMPLAINT REPORTING FORM

RECORD OF COMPLAINT

Name of person receiving complaint

Date: / /

Complainant's Name

☐ Over 18

☐ Under 18

Complainant's contact details

Phone:

Email:

Complainant's role/status in Club

☐ Administrator (volunteer)

☐ Parent

☐ Athlete/player

☐ Spectator

☐ Coach/Assistant Coach

☐ Support Personnel

☐ Employee (paid)

☐ Other

☐ Official

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Name of person complained about

☐ Over 18

☐ Under 18

Person complained about role/status in Club

☐ Administrator (volunteer) ☐ Parent

☐ Athlete/player

☐ Spectator

☐ Coach/Assistant Coach

☐ Support Personnel

☐ Employee (paid)

☐ Other

☐ Official

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Location/event of alleged issue

Description of alleged issue

Nature of complaint

☐ Harassment or ☐ Discrimination

☐ Sexual/sexist

☐ Selection dispute

☐ Coaching methods

(category/basis/grounds)

☐ Sexuality

☐ Personality clash

☐ Verbal abuse

Can tick more than one box

☐ Race

☐ Bullying

☐ Physical abuse

☐ Religion

☐ Disability

☐ Victimisation

☐ Pregnancy

☐ Child Abuse

☐ Unfair decision

☐ Other

What they want to happen to fix issue

Information provided to them

Resolution and/or action taken

Follow-up action

Central District Football Club

UNDERAGE PLAYER POLICY

“The BLGFA and CDFC continue to enjoy a great relationship working together to enable a strong pathway for developing young players to play football at the highest level. CDFC and the BLGFA have an agreed policy that exist to ensure that the players are afforded the best opportunity to develop their skills and continue their association with their originating Clubs whilst ensuring their welfare. This policy can be found in the 2023 BLGFA handbook Section 5.

As a result of recent changes to the SANFL program and in discussions with the BLGFA Board, a few adjustments to the policy have been made.

Firstly, now that the CDFC underage training is on Mondays and Wednesdays, CDFC listed players are being encouraged to train with their originating club for up to an hour on a Thursday night. This will be beneficial to the player retaining their ties with their originating club, whilst giving them more fitness and skills training. This is not compulsory, just encouraged.

*Secondly, on weekends of CDFC programmed byes, the BLGFA players are permitted to return to play for their originating Club, but they must only play for the Junior or Senior Colts team (not the senior teams). **The Central District Football Club reserves the right to not allow a player to play depending on the circumstances eg injury, work load or any reason they feel is necessary for the well-being of the player.***

And lastly, with respect to players participating in the SANFL Championships Carnival, the current rule is that these players will not play for their club side in the preceding weekend, however the CDFC understand that in some cases, this could significantly impact the ability of Clubs to field an Under 15 team. Therefore, any Club that feels that they need the player(s) to play for their club, can contact the CDFC development manager, Scott Stevens to discuss the situation and permission may be granted in exceptional circumstances.

Section 5 from the BLG Handbook - CDFC Underage Player Policy

Now that the CDFC underage training is on Mondays and Wednesdays, CDFC listed players are being encouraged to train with their originating club for up to an hour on a Thursday night. This will be beneficial to the player retaining their ties with their originating club, whilst giving them more fitness and skills training. This is not compulsory, just encouraged.

Secondly, on weekends of CDFC programmed byes, and subject to CDFC giving permission, the BLGFA players are permitted to return to play for their originating Club. However, the CDFC may revoke this permission depending on circumstances such as injury, work load or any other factor relating to the well-being of the player.

And lastly, with respect to players participating in the SANFL Championships Carnival, the current rule is that these players will not play for their club side in the preceding weekend, however the CDFC understand that in some cases, this could significantly impact the ability of Clubs to field an Under Age team. Therefore, any Club that feels that they need the player(s) to play for their club, can contact the CDFC development manager, Scott Stevens to discuss the situation and permission may be granted in exceptional circumstances.

6.7. PLAYING FOR SANFL LEAGUE CLUBS OR STATE REPRESENTATIVE PROGRAMS

6.7.1. A player who is playing in a SANFL League Competition or playing in Trial Games for State Representative Teams, shall play only one (1) match in any 72-hour period.

6.7.2. A player listed as an emergency for their SANFL League Club who takes no part in the game is not considered to have represented that club and therefore is available for selection at their community club.

6.7.3. Prior to the 72-hour period elapsing, any player who has played for a SANFL club or representative team shall be deemed ineligible.

This applies to all affiliated SANFL competition clubs.

(Ruling made at BLG Delegates Meeting on June 7, 2022)

If a SANFL club has a Bye, due to the schedule, a split round, or a state game –

and the player has played Senior SANFL Football the previous week –

The club that wishes for the player to play in BL&G, must seek approval from the SANFL Club in writing and send the response to ZOK & also copy in Secretary@blgfa.com.au who will advise the opposition club.

CYBERSAFETY POLICY

Creating a Cybersmart Environment

Social networking sites like Facebook, MySpace, Twitter and YouTube can be a great way for clubs to provide information, promote their sport, their activities and successes.

As with off-line communities, some social media users can act anti-socially and show disrespect for their online community with little consideration of the social and potentially legal implications. Issues like bullying and harassment, unwanted or inappropriate contact, uploading of inappropriate or offensive content can cause issues for individual club members or the club involved.

In the club environment you may choose to promote **cybersafety** by recommending to your members to

- Use the privacy settings
- Keep your private information private.
- Think before you post any content, video, images or text, online. You can put it up, but you can't necessarily take it down. Ask before posting images or stories about others. What you see as harmless fun may be embarrassing and humiliating for them and create a poor club image.
- Don't project an undesirable self-image of yourself or the club.
- Choose your online friends wisely. Others' inappropriate views can reflect badly on you and the club.
- Communicate with others as you would do offline, with courtesy and respect.
- If you think someone is being bullied or harassed online, speak out.

If club members are involved speak with your coach or club official. The club will not tolerate this behaviour

Rationale

The SA Community Football League (SACFL) has an obligation to maintain a safe physical and emotional environment for league officials, staff, registered players, umpires, coaches, club members, parents, spectators and sponsors. This responsibility is increasingly being linked to the use of the Internet and Information & Communication Technologies (ICT), and has seen the emergence of a number of related Cybersafety issues. The Internet and ICT devices/equipment bring great benefits to all users and to the effective operation of the SACFL, individual leagues and clubs.

The SACFL places a high priority on the acceptable use of ICT devices/equipment which will benefit members however; it recognises that the presence in the sporting arena of these technologies can also facilitate anti-social, inappropriate, and even illegal behaviour and activities.

The SACFL aims, therefore, to maximise the benefits of these technologies, while at the same time to minimise the dangers and manage the risks.

Policy

The SACFL and its member clubs encourage effective and safe Cybersafety practices which aim to maximise the benefits of the Internet and ICT and allow for the effective operation of the SACFL and member leagues and clubs, whilst minimising and managing any risks.

The SACFL takes seriously its responsibility in providing robust policy and guidelines for its members in relation to what is deemed acceptable and appropriate online behaviours. The League and/or club name, motto, crest, logo and/or uniform must not be used which would have a negative impact for the league or club and its members.

Members of the SACFL and its clubs have a responsibility to ensure that all online communications are in keeping with the expectations in relation to appropriate and respectful interactions with officials, coaches, umpires, players, parents, spectators and sponsors. Players will not post inappropriate comments about individual SACFL or club members which it said in person during the playing of a game would result in disciplinary action being taken.

Images of Children

In South Australia under the Summary Offences Act 1953 a person must not engage in indecent filming.

Images of children and adults should not be used inappropriately or illegally.

Wherever possible, obtain permission from a child's parent/guardian before taking an image of a child that is not their own and ensure that the parent knows the way the image will be used. The privacy of others needs to be respected and clubs should disallow the use of camera phones, videos and cameras inside changing areas, showers and toilets.

Clubs or Associations displaying an image of a child should avoid naming or identifying the child or, wherever possible, avoid using both the first name and surname.

Do not display personal information such as residential address, email address or telephone numbers without gaining consent from the parent/guardian.

Additional information such as hobbies, likes/dislikes, school, etc. should not be included as this information can be used as grooming tools by pedophiles or other persons.

It is the responsibility of the organisation to only use appropriate images relevant to sport and ensure that the child is suitably clothed in a manner that promotes sport.

Cyberbullying

"Cyberbullying is a way of delivering covert psychological bullying. It uses communication technologies and information to support deliberate, repeated and hostile behaviour, by an individual or group that is intended to harm others." (Belsey 2007) Cyberbullying includes, but is not limited to, the following misuses of technology: harassing, teasing, intimidating, racially vilifying or threatening another person by sending or posting inappropriate and hurtful e-mails, instant messages, text messages, phone messages, digital pictures or images or Website postings (including social network sites eg. Facebook or blogs) and the sending, receiving and/or possession of naked or sexually explicit images of a person. Club members must also be aware that postings from their individual accounts, whether done by themselves or another person will remain the responsibility of the account owner.

All members of the SACFL and individual clubs must be aware that in certain circumstances where a crime has been committed, they may also be subjected to a criminal investigation by Police over which the league and/or

club will have no control. This particularly applies to 'sexting' where the image is of a person under the age of 18 years whereby Police will be informed immediately a club becomes aware of the situation.

Procedure

SACFL and/or club officials or members who feel that they have been the victims of such misuses of technology should save and store the offending material on their computer, mobile phone or other device. They should then print a copy of the material and immediately report the incident to the relevant club/league representative.

All reports of cyberbullying and other technology misuses will be investigated fully in accordance with SACFL Regulation 5.0 and may result in a notification to Police where the SACFL, league or club is legally obliged to do so.

If the SACFL and/or individual League's executive receives a complaint about an online issue, the allegations will be forwarded to the relevant League Investigation Officer.

If there is evidence, charges will be laid and the complaint will proceed to the league's Independent Tribunal, the same as if the investigation relates to physical violence or other reportable offences.

Penalties

Any proven charges will automatically lead to a minimum of a two (2) match suspension for a registered player. In deciding the final penalty, consideration will be given to the seriousness of the act, the impact on the victim, the impact on the club/league/ SACFL and the prior good history or otherwise of the player. Players charged with these types of offences for a second or subsequent time and where a suspension has been previously imposed will face deregistration.

Any player presented before the tribunal for the first or subsequent time on a cyberbullying offence must be aware that the penalties available to the tribunal members will cover the complete range including deregistration. In the case of a club member being proved to have engaged in harassment or bullying, the club employing, engaging or otherwise associated with the person at the time of the conduct shall be deemed to be vicariously liable for the conduct of the person and shall pay to the League a penalty to be determined by the league.

Important terms used in this document:

(a) The abbreviation 'ICT' in this document refers to the term 'Information and Communication **'Cybersafety'** refers to the safe and responsible use of the Internet and ICT equipment/devices, including mobile phones

(c) The term **'ICT equipment/devices'** used in this document, includes but is not limited to, computers (such as desktops, laptops, PDAs), storage devices (such as USB and flash memory devices, CDs, DVDs, floppy disks, iPods, MP3 players), cameras (such as video, digital, webcams), all types of mobile phones, video and audio players/receivers (such as portable CD and DVD players), Gaming Consoles, and any other, similar, technologies as they come into use.

BL&GFA UNDER 15 – UNDER 17½ GRADE COACHES CODE OF ETHICS

Coaches are required to:

1. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every human being.
2. That the player's time with the coach is a positive experience.
3. Treat each player as an individual.
4. Act professionally and accept responsibility for their actions to provide:
 - A quality service for the players
 - An operating environment within rules and spirit of the Game.
 - A positive role for Australian Football and players
5. Ensure physical contact is:
 - Appropriate to the situation
 - Necessary for the player's skill development
6. Refrain from any form of personal abuse and harassment toward the players, umpires, officials and patrons.
7. Provide a safe environment for training and competition.
8. Show care and concern towards sick and injured players.
9. Encourage interaction with public.
10. Promote player progress.
11. Coaches at all times must ensure that their level of 'competence' is maintained.

The Board requires individual Clubs to respond to any notified breaches of this Code of Ethics in the first instance.

The Junior Development Coordinator (JDC) must be notified and the 'Resolution' must be to the satisfaction of the Board.

Any subsequent breach of this Code by a coach must be brought to the Board/Tribunal for resolution.

ANGASTON UNDER 9 AND 11 COACHING ADVICE

Organising teams

If there are enough players for 2 teams (e.g. Angaston White and Angaston Blue) then communicate with the coach of the other team to form team lists.

Aim to create 2 fair/even teams.

Things to consider:

- Mixture of kids – e.g. bigger/smaller; older/younger; ability
- Spreading out players that might not work together very well

Note: A good starting point is to look at the teams' players were in the previous year (e.g. Blue or White) and then try to top up numbers as required.

Assistants

Ask specific parents from your team to take on the following roles:

- Team manager: Record player jumper numbers, create duty rosters, general communication with the team at Angaston Junior Football Committee meetings if you do not wish to do this.
- Assistant coach(es): Assist at training and on game day.
- First Aid person: For game day (they should have completed a Senior First Aid course).
- Yellow vest person: Responsible person to communicate with opposition 'yellow vest' person about any issues on game day (e.g., rough play, poor supporter behaviour, etc).

Doing this at the start of the season will alleviate a lot of pressure on you and allow you to focus on organising trainings and coaching the team on game days.

Your team manager can then create a roster for other game day duties e.g., Goal umpire

Communication

The club recommends using the "Stack team app" for communication with your team. Once the teams are chosen, please email your team list to the AFC junior committee secretary. The secretary will add the relevant team members to the app and advise you when it is done so that you can communicate with your team. Using the stack team app is recommended instead of Facebook messenger or "What's app" as it allows messages to be seen by all junior coaches, so that all coaches can be informed about decisions. e.g., cancelling training due to poor weather.

Questions and support

If you have any questions across the season or need support/assistance speak to the following people:

- Junior Football Club president
- Junior Football Club committee members
- Fellow Junior Coaches

Training

Ideally training will be:

- 1 x per week
- 1 hour

Training nights should be negotiated by coaches and the junior committee before the start of the season (as there are many teams, both junior and senior, to accommodate).

Previously U9 and U11 teams have trained 5-6pm on Wednesday nights.

Training activities:

- Have a purpose for each training. e.g., Something you want to focus on or improve.
- This will give you a focus for your activities at each training.

There are lots of activities and ideas available at the AFL's online resource: coach.afl

This is a really good resource that all coaches should access for training ideas.

A general guide for a training session would be:

SECTIONS	DESCRIPTION
1. Warm-up	A short activity to get kids moving. Could involve footy skills. For example: - 3 v 1 handball challenge - Small-sided tag game
2. Skill development	1-2 activities that focus on some skill development. For example: - Kicking - Handball - Marking - Tackling
3. Game style	1-2 activities that focus on specific aspects of playing the game. For example: - Kick in's - Passing the ball to teammates - Defending
4. Finishing activity	Something fun to finish the training session. E.g. Goal kicking challenge

Game day

- Aim to meet approx. 20-30 minutes before game starts.
- Delegate someone to get the goal protectors at home games if you are the first team to play
- Use your coaches board to organise the team.
- Appoint a captain for each round (ensure all kids are captain at least once).
- Talk with the other teams coach to check player numbers.

- Rotate players through each zone across each game.
- The coach should endeavour to provide all players with equal game time. Keeping a record of players time off is a great idea.
- At the end of the game:
 - All players sing the club song.
 - Give out the weekly awards (canteen vouchers supplied by the club). Keep a record of the awards to ensure that all players get an award(s) across the season.

Junior Development – Core Focus of a team Coach at each level (Put together by A-Grade Coach, Craig Hadden)

UNDER 9:

Focus at this level must be on teaching competent skill technique (kicking, marking, handballing and gathering), on both sides of the body. In addition, the introduction and teaching of game-sense factors such as:

- Getting back off the mark quickly to take your kick
- Being first to the ball
- Keeping your feet

UNDER 11:

Add to the above:

- Do not kick into the middle of the ground in defence
- Tackling technique
- Manning up (accountability for an opponent)
- Playing in front

UNDER 13:

Add to the above:

- Getting front and centre and numbers at contests
- Positional kicking
- Leading to space – in line with positional kicking
- Mark when in front/punch from behind – all positions

JUNIOR COLTS:

Add to the above:

- Set ups for kick- ins (ours and theirs)
- On ball rotations/on baller's responsibilities
- Switch play in back half/run off/two-way running
- Basic ruck set ups

SENIOR COLTS:

Add to the above:

- Advanced ruck set ups
- Positional roles (more specific)
- Game sense (point in time – what do we do?)
- Other more complex decision-making concept.

Through all of the above there must be opportunities created during training sessions for constant improvement of the basics:

- Kicking
- Handballing
- Tackling
- Marking
- Spoiling
- Gathering
- Blocking/shepherding
- Using the non-preferred side of the body

SUMMARY

1. Through the age groups and as skill competency is achieved, coaches should be looking to structure training sessions that challenge players by:
 - a. Reducing the available time to execute the skill
 - b. Reducing the available space to execute the skill
 - c. Increasing the pressure applied while executing the skill

However, there should always be ample opportunity for players to practice pure skills, using both sides of their body.

2. Coaches should always be looking to provide positive feedback and should understand the teaching opportunities that training sessions and games present.
Coaches must be able to adapt training sessions to cater for a wide range of player skill-levels and abilities to absorb more complex ideas.
Coaches (especially at the younger levels) should never single out players for mistakes made – or if they do, should convert it into a positive learning experience for the player and the group.
Coaches need to understand their role for the greater good of the players and the club. They must show patience and persistence and adhere to their rules and processes, with the emphasis on player development and enjoyment.

BL&GFA JUNIOR FOOTBALL CODES OF CONDUCT

(Applies to all junior football below Under 15 level) – JMC Charter Appendix D

1. Code of Conduct

- 1.1. Remember that children participate for fun and enjoyment and that winning is only part of their motivation.
- 1.2. Remember that you are a role model for a large number of impressionable children.
- 1.3. Be reasonable in your demands on young players' time, energy and enthusiasm.
- 1.4. Teach your players that the rules of sport are mutual agreements that no one should evade or break.
- 1.5. Avoid overplaying the talented players. The "just average" players need and deserve equal time.
- 1.6. Never ridicule or yell at children for making mistakes, encourage them. The Club needs as many players as possible, consequently additional effort is sometimes required for the ones that are not as skilled or motivated.
- 1.7. Ensure the equipment and facilities meet safety standards and are appropriate to the age and ability of the players.
- 1.8. The scheduling and length of practice times and competitions should take into consideration the maturity level of the children.
- 1.9. Encourage children to develop basic skills and discourage specialising in any one playing position.
- 1.10. Encourage children to participate in all aspects of the game and the Club.
- 1.11. Develop team respect for the ability of opponents as well as for the judgement of officials and opposing coaches. Encourage umpires as without them players cannot play.
- 1.12. Ensure the players take into account the standard of umpiring available and do not get distracted by umpiring decisions.
- 1.13. Following the advice of a physician when determining an injured player is ready to recommence training or competition.
- 1.14. Keep up to date with the latest coaching practices and the principles of growth and development of children.

2. Players Code of Conduct

- 2.1. Learn the rules of the game and play by them at all times.
- 2.2. Work equally hard for yourself and your team. Its performance will benefit and so will you.
- 2.3. Be a good sport. Applaud all players for good plays whether they are on your team or the other team.
- 2.4. Never argue with an official. If you disagree, discuss the matter with your coach and ask him to address the issues through appropriate channels. Do not be distracted by umpiring decisions, get on with the game.
- 2.5. Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials or other players, deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent and any form of violence is neither acceptable nor permitted in any sport.
- 2.6. Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by not using foul language, spitting, etc.
- 2.7. Do not vilify other players, especially in relation to their sex, race, culture or appearance.
- 2.8. Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player.
- 2.9. Co-operate with your coach, team-mates and opponents.
- 2.10. Play for the fun of it, and not just to please parents and coaches.

3. Parents and Spectators Code of Conduct

- 3.1. Remember children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
- 3.2. Encourage children to participate, do not force them.
- 3.3. Focus on the child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing.
- 3.4. Encourage children to always participate according to the rules.
- 3.5. Remember that children learn best by example. Applaud good plays by all teams.
- 3.6. Condemn the use of violence in any form, be it by spectators, officials, coaches or players.
- 3.7. Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake.
- 3.8. Respect officials' decisions and teach children to do likewise. If you disagree with an official, raise the issue through the appropriate channels rather than question the officials' judgement and honesty in public.
- 3.9. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
- 3.10. Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by not using foul language, harassing players, coaches or officials.
- 3.11. Recognise the value and importance of volunteer coaches and other officials, and better still be involved yourself. Without these volunteers your child could not participate.

(fold and tear off here and return the below portion to the team manager or coach)

I have read and agree to abide by the above BL&GFA Junior Football Codes of Conduct:

Player's name _____ Player's signature _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____ Date _____

The Association has released their NO ALCOHOL and this is supported by the Angaston Football Club.

PURPOSE:

This policy outlines the JMC's position for a balanced and responsible approach to forego the service, supply and consumption of alcohol at Friday night junior football and the end of season junior carnival.

It represents the JMC's commitment to all our clubs' members, volunteers, spectators and visitors, acknowledging the role that our association and all its clubs play in building strong and healthy communities.

OBJECTIVE:

This policy is to ensure that all clubs

- Meet their duty of care in relation to the health and safety of all junior members, volunteers, spectators and visitors who attend Friday night junior football and the end of season junior carnival.
- Understand the risks associated with alcohol misuse and our role in minimising this risk.

POLICY:

- NO ALCOHOL will be served at Friday night junior football or the end of season junior carnival
- Alcohol is not to be consumed at any Friday night junior matches or the end of season junior carnival by any club officials, juniors, parents, spectators or visitors.
- Alcohol will not be used for prizes or awards.

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB CODE OF CONDUCT

The Angaston Football Club is a community organisation and expects that everybody associated with the club will strive;

- Conduct themselves in a manner which is not detrimental to the Club's reputation and ambitions.
- Conduct themselves in a manner which shows respect, tolerance and goodwill to other members, players, supporters and the broader community including opposition Clubs, and their members.
- Support fully and wholeheartedly encourage the right of all to participate and develop to their full potential.
- Support fully the club's resolve to provide a safe and inclusive environment for all associated with the Club and eliminate all forms of unacceptable behaviour.
- Support fully the Club's resolve to handle any issue fairly and without prejudice to all parties, allowing it to come to solutions which are in the best possible interest of the Club and the individual.

Angaston Football Club
Feb 2011

Angaston A Team Mission & Values Statement

The Angaston Team is committed to the continued and positive Mental Health & Wellbeing of the players; supporters; coaches; parents; caregivers; grandparents; committee members and significant others of the Angaston Football Club and the Angaston Netball Club.

Through implementations, monitoring, feedback and continued follow up personal interactions, the Angaston A Team Committee will endeavor and strive to provide positive ongoing professional support and confidentiality (within confidentiality limitations) to all individuals seeking assistance, guidance or help, in a safe and friendly environment at all times.

The Angaston A Team values you as an individual, values your rights, your culture, religious beliefs and sexuality without judgment or discrimination. We value understanding and empathy, to help create a true sense of belonging and friendship.

Good Sports Policy

Prepared for Angaston Football Club

Purpose

This policy outlines our procedures for a balanced and responsible approach to the service, supply, consumption and promotion of alcohol at club games, special events, functions and other club-related activities. It represents our club's commitment to its members, volunteers and visitors, acknowledging the role that sporting clubs and associations play in building healthy communities.

This policy will help to ensure our club is:

Meets its duty of care in relation to the health and safety of our members, volunteers and visitors who attend any club games, special events, functions and other activities where alcohol may be consumed.

. Upholds the reputation of our club, our sponsors and partners.

. Understands the risks associated with alcohol misuse and our role in minimising this risk.

. Comply with a valid liquor licence and associated terms and conditions where appropriate.

More information about how to implement this policy and why it's important can be found at <https://portal.goodsports.com.au/app/policy/>.

General Principles

A risk management approach will be taken in planning events and activities involving the sale, supply or consumption of alcohol. Such events and activities will be conducted and managed in a manner consistent with liquor licensing legislation and this policy.

Alcohol use can lead to risk taking, unsafe, unacceptable and/or illegal behaviour. Excessive consumption of alcohol will not be an excuse for unacceptable behaviour, particularly behaviour that endangers others or breaches the law, this policy or any other policy of the club.

Policy Review

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains relevant to club operations and reflects both community expectations and legal requirements.

Visit: www.goodsports.com.au for information regarding the Good Sports program.

A person is defined as in a state of intoxication if their speech, balance, co-ordination or behaviour is noticeably affected and there are reasonable grounds for believing that this is the result of the consumption of alcohol.

Alcohol

- Our club will ensure that servers of alcohol will not consume alcohol when on duty.
- Our club recognises that not all club members may drink alcohol. Our club will ensure that water is provided free of charge.
- Our club actively encourages the sale of alternative products to that of alcohol and will ensure that at least four non-alcoholic drinks and one low-alcoholic drink option are always available and priced at least 10% cheaper than the cheapest drink. Healthy drink options will be provided, where possible.
- Excessive or rapid consumption of alcohol is not encouraged. This means we do not conduct happy hours, cheap drink promotions or drinking competitions.
- Our club will encourage safe celebrations and events by not conducting functions.
- The service of double measures of spirits is discouraged.
- Substantial food (requiring preparation and/or heating) will be available when alcohol is available for more than 90 minutes and more than 15 people are present. Healthy food options will be where possible.

Drugs

- The club provides an opportunity for coaches, officials, members and volunteers to be educated about the harms of illegal drugs in a club setting.
- Our club clearly sets out the responsibilities the club committee and individuals have for handling illegal drugs in the club setting.

Education

- Our club will provide an opportunity for coaches, officials, members and volunteers to be educated about the risks and harms associated with alcohol.
- The club provides an opportunity for coaches, officials, members and volunteers to be educated about mental health in a club setting.
- Our club clearly displays the contact information for the ADF Drug Information Line. Our club will also promote additional services that are available to members to deal with drug-related issues (e.g. local community health provider such as GPs).
- Our club will promote mental health materials from reputable mental health organisations within the club.

Leading by example

- Our club will avoid providing awards (e.g. at end of season presentations) and fundraising prizes that have an emphasis on alcohol as a reward.
- Our club does not permit alcohol drinking in the club changing rooms when people under the age of 18 are present, including underage players in senior teams.

• Our club is committed to creating a safe, respectful and positive club environment where players, officials, members and families can thrive. Accordingly, all parents of junior players and visitors are required to:

- Respect the referee's decisions – don't complain or argue about decisions during or after a game.
- Encourage players to play by the rules and to respect opposition players and officials
- Never ridicule or scorn a player for making a mistake – respect their efforts
- Condemn all violent or illegal acts, whether by players, coaches, officials, parents or spectators
- Understand that sport is part of a total life experience, and the benefits of involvement go far beyond the final score of a game
- Participate in positive cheering that encourages the players in the team you are supporting; not engaging in any cheering that taunts or intimidates opponents, their fans or officials
- Remember that children participate for their own enjoyment, not yours
- Follow the directions of the Ground Manager and/or other duty officials at all times
- Never arrive at a game under the influence of alcohol
- Not use unsportsmanlike language, harass others or behave aggressively
- Parents, associate members or others who have agreed to abide by our club's Code of Conduct and policies, including this Policy, who have behaved inappropriately, may face disciplinary action.
- Whilst engaging in club activities, members, volunteers and visitors will not post images on social media of themselves or others drinking alcohol irresponsibly at club-related activities.
- Our club does not advertise, promote, serve or consume alcohol at junior games, events, functions or activities.
- Our club does not permit drinking alcohol in the club change rooms when members of junior teams are present.
- Alcohol brands and products will not be advertised by the junior club and will not be placed on junior apparel.
- When promoting events the club will adopt the practices of safe celebrations by:
 - Not overemphasising the availability of alcohol or referring to the amount of alcohol available
 - Not encouraging rapid drinking or excessive drinking
 - Giving equal reference to the availability of non-alcoholic drinks
 - Displaying a clear start and finish time for the function
 - Including a safe transport message, where possible and relevant.
- Our club recognises that driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs is hazardous to individuals and the wider community. Accordingly, we ask that all attendees at our functions plan their transport requirements to ensure they arrive home safely and prevent driving under the influence of alcohol.
- Our club will monitor and ensure any club trips, particularly end of season player trips, strictly adhere to responsible behaviour and alcohol consumption in accordance with the principles of this policy and the values of the club.

Licencing requirements

- Our club will ensure that a current and appropriate liquor licence is maintained and will comply with our Liquor licence requirements and all applicable local by-laws.
- The club will comply with its' liquor licence requirements and all applicable local by-laws.
- Our club will ensure that alcohol is only served during the times specified in our liquor licence.
- Our club will ensure that only people aged 18 years or older serve alcohol.
- Alcohol will not be served to persons aged under 18 years.

Bar servers and committee members will ask for proof of age for anyone who looks 25 years old or younger. Only photo ID's will be accepted as 'proof of age'.

- Intoxicated people will not be permitted to enter our club premises.
- Servers will follow Responsible Service of Alcohol training procedures when refusing service to an intoxicated person.
- If a person becomes intoxicated (and is not putting other people at risk with their behaviour) the person will not be served alcohol but will be provided with water and options for safe transport home from our club, where it is available.

If a person becomes intoxicated (and is putting other people at risk due to their behaviour) the person will be asked to leave our club premises immediately and offered safe transport options, where available. Police may also be contacted to remove the person, if required.

- Our club will ensure an incident register will be maintained (at the bar/canteen) and any alcohol-related incidents will be recorded on the register.
- Our club will ensure only the Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) trained bar servers with current accreditations will serve alcohol.

Process

- Whilst engaging in club activities, members, volunteers and visitors:
 - Will accept responsibility for their own behaviour, and take a responsible approach and use good judgment when alcohol is available
 - Will encourage and assist others to use good judgment when alcohol is available
 - Will not compete, train, coach or officiate if affected by alcohol
 - Will not provide, encourage or allow people aged under 18 years to consume alcohol
 - Will not participate, pressure anyone or encourage excessive or rapid consumption of alcohol (including drinking competitions)

- Will not provide alcohol only as an award to a player or official for any reason
- Will not post images on social media of themselves or others drinking alcohol irresponsibly at club-related activities.
- Club committee members will uphold this policy and any non-compliance, particularly in regard to Licensing Laws, will be handled according to the following process:
- Explanation of the policy to the person/people concerned, including identification of the section of policy not being complied with
- Continued non-compliance with the policy should be handled by at least two committee members who will use their discretion as to the action taken, which may include asking the person/ people to leave the facilities or function.
- All contact with the media related to an alcohol or drug-related allegation or incident within its jurisdiction will be managed by the club's official spokesperson.
- Our club has an action plan/incident management process in place that covers our reaction and response to alcohol related incidents, illegal drugs found on club premises and mental health incidents.

Promotion & perception

- Our club will:
 - Ensure this policy is easily accessible and will promote it via [our website, newsletters, social media, announcements during events and functions].
 - Educate members, volunteers and visitors about our policy and the benefits of having such a policy.
 - Pursue non-alcohol sponsorship and revenue sources.
 - Actively demonstrate its attitude relating to the responsible use of alcohol and other drugs and promote positive messages through its social media platforms.
- Actively participate in the Alcohol and Drug Foundation's Good Sports program with an ongoing priority to [achieve/maintain] the highest Good Sports accreditation.
- Our club will ensure this policy is easily accessible and will promote it via our website, newsletters, social media during events and functions.
 - Our club will hold at least one Good Sports themed event or round each year.
 - Our club will ensure Good Sports merchandise is on display at our club.
 - Whilst engaging in club activities, members, volunteers and visitors will not compete, train, coach or officiate if affected by alcohol.

Tobacco

- Our club requires the following areas of the club's [facility/sporting ground] to be smoke-free:
 - All indoor areas
 - All outdoor playing/training areas
 - All spectator areas (standing and seated, covered and uncovered)
 - All canteen, catering, eating and drinking areas
 - Smoke-free areas will be signed (where possible) and promoted in club materials. A designated smoking permitted area is available.
 - Cigarettes, e-cigarettes and any other tobacco products will not be sold, including from vending machines, at any time at or by our club.
 - Many young people hold parents, teammates and coaches in high esteem and smoking around them sends the message that smoking is okay. We expect that coaches, players, officials and volunteers will refrain from smoking while involved in an official capacity for the club, on and off the field.
- To foster our club's reputation as a healthy environment, no images of club volunteers, members, officials, coaches and players smoking at club-related activities will be placed on social media.
- Our club will promote resources for members wishing to quit, including the national Quitline (13 78 48, quitnow.gov.au), where appropriate.

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Angaston Football Club Safe Transport Policy

Introduction

Angaston Football Club recognises that:

- It has a duty of care to all members and visitors involved in club-related activities.
- Mixing drugs (including prescription medication) with other drugs or alcohol can seriously affect the ability to drive safely.
- Driving under the influence of alcohol/drugs is illegal and hazardous to individuals and wider community.
- Drink driving is one of the main causes of road deaths in Australia
- It takes one hour for each standard drink of alcohol consumed to be broken down by the liver no matter what other food or drink you have (except more alcohol!)
- It takes considerable time (about 0.01 per hour) until a person can legally and safely drive home if they have consumed over the recommended levels of alcohol.
- Accordingly, the following safe transport policy shall apply for all functions undertaken by the club that involve the serving and/or consumption of alcohol.
- In the interest of the club has procured an alcohol meter (breathalyser) that can be used on request

General

- Taxi vouchers (if available) and non-alcoholic drinks will be considered as part of raffle prizes and awards.
- Where possible, the club will display standard drink posters/cards to help patrons recognize what standard drinks are and the implications on drink driving.
- Telephone calls will be made free of charge to arrange a taxi (where available) or to call a sober person to provide transport from the club or club event.
- Contact telephone numbers for taxi services (where available) will be clearly displayed in the club.

Bar Staff/ Servers of alcohol

Bar staff/servers of alcohol shall:

- Encourage members and visitors to make alternate safe transport arrangements if they are considered or found to be intoxicated or at risk of exceeding 0.05 blood alcohol concentration (e.g. free call to a taxi/friend/family)
- Promote low alcohol and non-alcoholic drinks to consumers
- Be provided non-alcoholic drinks and bar food free of charge.

Committee Members, Members, Players and Officials

Those attending club activities where they are planning on drinking alcohol are encouraged to:

- Make alternative transport arrangements to get to and from the activity safely
- Plan ahead and arrange overnight accommodation.
- Share a taxi (where available) with friends.
- Catch public transport (where available).
- Ride with a driver who hasn't been drinking alcohol or taking drugs.

Functions

The club will provide transport to and from functions where available and possible (e.g. using club bus or contacting local bus services such as council, school or tourist buses).

- The bus or transport provided will be an alcohol-free zone (i.e. no loading up the bus with alcohol or consuming alcohol on the bus).
- Bus is not to be used to transport members between licensed venues (i.e. not to be used for a pub crawl).
- People who have alcohol consumed are to make alternative safe transport arrangements to get from the drop-off bus to home.
- The committee will pre-order taxis (where available) to arrive at the venue at the conclusion of the function.
- In specific cases, where a designated driver nominated by the club has accepted the responsibility to drive others home safely, the club will provide non-alcoholic drinks and/or bar food free of charge (or passengers will be encouraged to pay for these for their driver).
- For selected functions, the club will provide designated sleeping areas on site (where safe, possible and legal to do so) for members to use at the conclusion of the night. Members will need to bring a swag/sleeping bag.
- For selected functions held at a hotel or similar, the club will arrange for reduced-rate rooms for members to encourage them to stay over rather than drive while potentially intoxicated. Taxi companies (where available) will be provided with club function details for potential business on the night.
- Taxi company phone number(s) (where available) will be printed on the function invitation / flyers.
- The MC for the function/committee will advise attendees that the club is a Good Sport accredited club, communicate the safe transport options and regularly remind attendees to drink and behave responsibly.

Policy Promotion

The club will promote the safe transport policy regularly by:

- Putting a copy of the policy in club newsletters and printed member/player information and on the website.
- Displaying a copy of the policy in the club social rooms.
- Periodic announcements to members at functions.

Policy Review

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains relevant to club operations and reflects both community expectations and legal requirements.

Signed: Signed:

Keith Jamieson (president)

Anthony Schubert (secretary)

Dated:

Date of review:

HEAT MANAGEMENT POLICY

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB

SANFL HEAT POLICIES

This policy is intended for use only by clubs responsible for the conduct of football programs.

As a responsible organisation, the SANFL recognises that on occasion it will be necessary to modify training and /or playing conditions to minimise the risk of heat related stress or illness.

The following recommendations have been adapted from Sports Medicine Australia Guidelines. They are not binding, but the SANFL reminds all parties that they must act responsibly. A common sense approach is encouraged, in conjunction with utilising the most accurate and up to date information available when making decisions to protect the well-being of participants and officials.

Community Club - Junior and Youth Training (5 -18 years)

Clubs and/or participating parties shall check the forecast temperature on the day prior to training session. Information should be obtained from the Australian Bureau of Meteorology (www.bom.gov.au). In the instance of conflicting information, information obtained directly from www.bom.gov.au will be considered the most accurate.

Based on the forecast temperatures, the following action is recommended;

Ambient Temperature	Risk of Heat Illness	Recommended Action
26° – 30°C	Moderate	Modify early pre-season training. Reduce intensity and duration of session. Increase frequency and length of breaks. Ensure adequate water supplies are available.
31° – 35°C	High – Very high	Limit intensity. Maximum duration of 60min. Increase frequency and length of breaks. Ensure adequate water supplies are available.
36°C and above	Extreme	Postpone until conditions cool. Cancel if necessary.

On the day, the coach or organiser may obtain more recent information from www.bom.gov.au and modify the session accordingly.

Example:

A Coach checks the forecast 24hrs prior to a 4:30pm training session and sees a predicted temperature of 38°C, with a cool change expected in the afternoon/evening.

On the day of training, the Coach checks www.bom.gov.au at 3:30pm and temperature has dropped to 32°C. The training session may take place, modified in accordance with table above.

If no information is available to indicate that the temperature has decreased from the forecast 38°C, the training session should be postponed until further information is obtained, or cancelled.

Additional Notes

- Young children are especially at risk in the heat.
- Although children can acclimatise to exercise in the heat, they take longer to do so than adults.
- Coaches should be aware of this and limit training for non-acclimatised children during exposure to hot environments.
- Children tend to have a more 'common sense' approach to heat illness than adults. They 'listen to their bodies' more and will usually slow down or stop playing if they feel distressed or unwell.
- **On no account should children be forced to continue if they appear distressed or unwell.**

Senior Training (Community Club & SANFL including SANFL U16 & U18)

A commonsense approach should be taken when conducting training in the heat. Training intensity and activities should be appropriately modified to ensure the safety and well-being of participants. *For elite youth training sessions, the information detailed in Community Club - Junior & Youth Training should be considered.*

In moderate risk conditions players should be rested for at least 10 minutes per hour. In conditions players should be rested for at least 15 minutes in an hour.

The benefits of rest breaks should be maximised by:

- Reducing clothing and resting in shade provided by trees, buildings or portable structures
- Assisting evaporative cooling with fans; wetting the skin, applying ice packs to groin and armpits
- Drinking cool water or sports drinks
- Withdrawing players who feel unusually fatigued or who appear distressed from the activity.

Where practical training could be moved to the beach or local pool. In extreme heat, postponement or cancellation should also be considered.

Matches

The individual league/association heat policy will apply to the conduct of matches. These should be developed with consideration for the above guidelines.

SANFL facilitated competitions are detailed overleaf.

More information

The full SMA Guidelines document is available [here](#), or within the “Resources & Advice” section of the SMA website sma.org.au

Smartplay “Drink Up” brochure for avoiding dehydration (www.smartplay.com.au)

SANFL STATE LEAGUE COMPETITION (MENS & WOMENS)

6.5.5. Modifications to match conditions as set out in this Regulation 6.5.5 and determined by the League (‘the Heat Policy’) will apply when the estimated temperature or forecast temperature of a day of competition made at 2.00pm on the previous day, is 32 degrees Celsius or above.

6.5.5.1. If the Heat Policy is to be invoked the League will advise the General Managers of the Participating Clubs and Umpires as soon as possible after obtaining the forecast which leads to the decision that the Heat Policy will operate for the following round of matches.

6.5.6. The League may make the following modifications to match conditions for League, Reserves, U18 and U16 Matches:

6.5.6.1. increase the length of intervals to enable teams to leave the field for the shade of the rooms;

6.5.6.2. reduce length of quarters;

6.5.6.3. increase the Interchange Rotation;

6.5.6.4. consider postponing or rescheduling games.

6.5.7. Other:

6.5.7.1. Players will be encouraged to use sunscreen on days when the Heat Policy is invoked

6.5.7.2. Players will be encouraged to keep fluid intake at a high level.

6.5.7.3. Clubs will be encouraged to provide extra water carriers, fans, additional shade, air conditioning and emergency medical facilities.

SANFL JUNIORS

Matches, including pre-season trial matches, shall be cancelled if the temperature on the Bureau of Meteorology website www.bom.gov.au is 34°C or greater one hour before training is proposed to occur or the match is proposed to be played.

Coaches and team managers shall provide additional drinks breaks during trial matches and minor round matches and actively encourage junior players to remain hydrated when the temperature is forecast above 25°C. If in their opinion of the field umpire(s) the temperature and humidity conditions have become unsafe, they shall advise both team managers that they consider the conditions unsuitable for play and shall terminate the match.

Inclement weather requirements include:

The field umpire(s) shall stop the match and order the players from the field if inclement weather conditions which they consider poses a safety risk to players and officials develop during the match.

The match shall restart when the field umpire(s) deem conditions to be safe to do so. The match shall be shortened to comply with rule Game times 9.16 (refer to Abandonment of matches 9.13)

ALCOHOL MANAGEMENT POLICY

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB

1. PURPOSE

This policy outlines the club's commitment to a balanced and responsible approach to the service, supply, consumption and promotion of alcohol at club games, special events, functions and other club-related activities. It represents our club's commitment to its members, volunteers and visitors, acknowledging the role that sporting clubs and associations play in building healthy communities.

The policy of the club is that it:

- Meets its duty of care in relation to the health and safety of our members, volunteers and visitors who attend any club games, special events, functions and other activities where alcohol may be consumed.
- Upholds the reputation of our club, our sponsors and partners.
- Understands the risks associated with alcohol misuse and our role in minimising this risk.
- Complies with the requirements of the Liquor Licensing Act (SA), associated terms and conditions.
- Ensures Committee members and relevant personnel will keep up to date with any changes in the Liquor Licensing Act which relate to the operations of the Angaston Football Club.

2. RATIONALE

Angaston Football Club has always recognized the legal responsibilities and the financial and social benefits of holding and/or operating a liquor license in the community. Level 3 Accreditation under the *Good Sports* program requires us to implement practices and policies regarding the responsible management of alcohol. As such, we will continue to adhere to liquor licensing laws and embrace the criteria of the *Good Sports* program.

3. GENERAL PRINCIPLES

- A risk management approach as directed by the Act will be taken in planning events and activities involving the sale, supply or consumption of alcohol. Such events and activities will be conducted and managed in a manner consistent with liquor licensing legislation and this policy.
- Alcohol misuse can lead to unsafe, unacceptable and/or illegal behaviour. Excessive consumption of alcohol will not be an excuse for unacceptable behaviour, particularly behaviour that endangers others or breaches the law, this policy or any other policy of the club or endangers the successful operation of the club.

4. CONDUCT EXPECTATIONS

Whilst engaging in club activities committee, members, volunteers and visitors:

- Will abide by the directions of the Club Bar Manager, their appointed nominee or their staff.
- Will accept responsibility for their own behaviour, take a responsible approach and use good judgment when alcohol is available.
- Will encourage and assist others to use good judgment when alcohol is available.
- Will not compete, train, coach or officiate if affected by alcohol.
- Will not provide, encourage or allow people aged under 18 years to consume alcohol.
- Will not participate, pressure anyone or encourage excessive or rapid consumption of alcohol (including drinking competitions).
- Will not provide alcohol only as an award to a player or official for any reason.
- Will not post images on social media of themselves or others drinking alcohol irresponsibly at club-related activities.

5. ALCOHOL MANAGEMENT

Our club will ensure that as per the guidelines of the Act that:

- A current and appropriate liquor licence is maintained.
- The club's liquor licence is displayed as near as practical to the entrance of the clubroom and anywhere else that it is deemed necessary.
- All mandatory liquor licence signage will be displayed in every required area covered by the club licence.
- The names of Responsible Service of Alcohol (RSA) trained personnel will be displayed on their badges at the bar
- No alcohol for consumption is brought on the premises **at any time** even if the bar is not open.
- Servers of alcohol will not consume alcohol when on duty.
- Information posters about '[Standard Drink measures](#)' will be displayed prominently near where alcohol is served.
- An Incident Register will be maintained (at the bar/canteen) and any alcohol-related incident will be recorded on the register.

5.1 Service of Alcohol

Alcohol will be served according to the club's liquor license with the safety and well-being of members and visitors the priority. Our club will ensure:

- Only RSA trained bar servers with current qualifications will serve alcohol.
- Standard drink measures are used for alcohol (e.g. drinks in glasses), where possible.
- Servers are aware of standard drink sizes and are competent in measuring standard drinks.
- The service of drinks with excessive alcohol levels is discouraged. e.g. double or triple shots, shooters, oversize glasses.
- People aged under 18 years do not serve alcohol
- Excessive or rapid consumption of alcohol is not encouraged. This means we do not conduct excessive happy hours, cheap drink promotions or drinking competitions.
- The bar manager will keep a copy accessible to all staff of the alcohol management policy and promote it and give regular feedback to the committee via the portfolio nominee.

5.2 Intoxicated People

For the purposes of this policy, a person is defined as in a **state of intoxication** if his or her speech, balance, co-ordination or behaviour is noticeably affected and there are reasonable grounds for believing that this is the result of the consumption of alcohol.

- Intoxicated people will not be permitted to enter our club premises.
- Alcohol will not be served to any person who is or appears intoxicated.
- Servers will follow RSA training procedures when refusing service to an intoxicated person.
- If a person becomes intoxicated (and is **not** putting other people at risk with their behaviour) the person will not be served alcohol but will be provided with water and options for safe transport home from our club, where available.
- If a person becomes intoxicated (and **is** putting other people at risk due to their behaviour) the person will be asked to leave our club premises immediately and offered safe transport options, where available. Police may also be contacted to remove the person, if required.
- Any alcohol-related incident and any action taken will be recorded in our club's incident register.

5.3 Underage Drinking

- Alcohol will not be served to persons aged under 18 years.
- Bar servers and committee members will ask for proof of age whenever the age of a person requesting alcohol is in doubt.
- Only photo ID's will be accepted as 'proof of age'.
- Our club will not encourage the drinking of alcohol in the club to reduce the risk of minors being served alcohol illegally.

5.4 Availability of Non-Alcoholic and Low Alcohol Drinks

Our club recognises that not all club members may drink and alcohol is not the only revenue stream available. Our club actively encourages the sale of alternative products to that of alcohol and will ensure that:

- Water is provided free of charge (where available).
- At least four non-alcoholic drinks and one low-alcoholic drink option are always available and priced at least 10% cheaper than the cheapest drink. Healthy drink options will be provided, where possible.
- Non-alcoholic drinks are clearly visible and adequate in variety and supply.
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6. FUNCTIONS

Our club will encourage safe celebrations and events by:

- Not conducting functions where a minimum amount of liquor sales is required.
- Controlling alcohol inclusive functions through the supply of food.
- Not providing alcohol-only drink vouchers for functions.
- Limiting the number of drinks included in the price of function tickets to a maximum of four, as recommended by the Australian Health and Medical Research Council.

Advertisements for functions will promote safe celebrations by:

- Not over-emphasising the availability of alcohol or referring to the amount of alcohol available.
- Not encouraging rapid drinking or excessive drinking.
- Giving equal reference to the availability of non-alcoholic drinks.
- Displaying a clear start and finish time for the function.
- Including a safe transport message, where possible and relevant.
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7. SAFE TRANSPORT

Our club recognises that driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs is hazardous to individuals and the wider community. Accordingly, our club has implemented a Safe Transport Policy that is reviewed regularly in conjunction with this Alcohol Management Policy. We ask that all attendees at our functions plan their transport requirements to ensure they arrive home safely and prevent driving under the influence of alcohol. A breathalyzer is available at the bar and at club functions to check that a driver is under the legal limit before getting behind the wheel. This service is promoted.

8. CLUB TRIPS

Our club will monitor and ensure any club trips, particularly player trips, strictly adhere to responsible behaviour and alcohol consumption in accordance with the principles of this policy and the values of the club.

9. AWARDS/PRIZES

Our club will avoid providing [awards](#) (e.g. at end of season presentations) and fundraising prizes that have an emphasis on alcohol as a reward.

10. PROMOTING THIS POLICY AND RESPONSIBLE USE OF ALCOHOL

Our club will:

- Educate committee, players, members, volunteers and visitors about our policy and the benefits of having such a policy.
- Ensure this policy is easily accessible and will promote it via **our website, newsletters, social media during events and functions**.
- Actively demonstrate its attitude relating to the responsible use of alcohol and promote positive messages through its social media platforms.
- Pursue non-alcohol sponsorship and revenue sources.
- Actively participate in the Alcohol and Drug Foundation's *Good Sports* program with an ongoing priority to **achieve/maintain** the highest Good Sports accreditation.

11. NON-COMPLIANCE

Club committee members will uphold this policy and any non-compliance, particularly in regard to Licensing Laws, will be handled according to the following process:

- The Bar Manager or their nominee can ask a person to remove themselves from the premises with the aid of police if necessary if they are intoxicated or are behaving in a manner that they believe is inconsistent with the operation of the club. Any such incident is to be noted in the incident register.
- As per the Act the Club Manager has the authority to issue a barring order where necessary. The barring order is to be noted in the incident and advised to the Police and the Committee.
- Explanation of the policy to the person/people concerned, including identification of the section of policy not being complied with.
- Members of the Committee are expected to support the Bar Manager and staff where they need to act on any continued non-compliance by a member, supporter, volunteer or visitor.

12. POLICY MANAGEMENT

The presence of a **bar manager and person(s) who have current RSA (badged) qualifications** whenever our **bar is open/canteen/kiosk is selling alcohol**, is essential to ensure compliance with this policy and liquor licensing laws.

13. POLICY REVIEW

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains relevant to club operations and reflects both community expectations and legal requirements.

SIGNATURES:

Signed: _____
Club President

Signed: _____
Club Secretary

Date: _____

Date: _____

Established 1st October 2019, Next policy review date is October 2020

ENQUIRIES REGARDING OUR POLICY:

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Visit: www.goodsports.com.au for information regarding the Good Sports program.

ILLEGAL DRUGS POLICY

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB

Introduction

Angaston Football Club does not allow the use, distribution or selling of illegal drugs by any club member or any visitors within our club's jurisdiction. This policy reflects our club's commitment to protecting the health, safety and wellbeing of all persons associated with the club and all persons in attendance at club activities.

Purpose of this policy

The purpose of this policy is to ensure the club committee and club members understand the club's position regarding illegal drugs and how it will respond to a drug-related incident within its jurisdiction.

Extent of this policy

This policy refers to illegal drugs only, which is defined as "a substance that is not permitted to be taken or used according to state or national laws such as cannabis (marijuana), amphetamines (speed and "ice"), ecstasy, cocaine, heroin and a range of new psycho-active substances known as synthetic drugs."

This policy does not apply to pharmaceutical drugs or performance enhancing drugs (unless they are captured in the above definition).

This policy should be read and understood in conjunction with the club's code of conduct.

When does this policy apply?

This policy applies whenever the individual is taking part in activities under the club's jurisdiction. This includes our club's facilities, games, matches, training, events and trips organised by the club.

Private behaviour of members is not included in this policy as the club cannot be responsible for the behaviour of its members outside our club's jurisdiction; however, this policy will apply whenever an individual is wearing a part of the official club uniform which would identify them as being a representative of the club.

Who does this policy apply to?

All club members and visitors to our club.

Responsibilities

Our club will:

- Activate and comply with the policy.
- Promote the policy to everyone within our club.
- Promote and role model expected standards of behaviour at all times.
- Appoint and support appropriate persons such as mentors to lead the initial response, investigation and action for all illegal drug-related incidents.
- Respond to breaches of this policy discreetly and in a timely manner.
- Investigate all apparent, or alleged, breaches of this policy and take action after all relevant facts and circumstances are known.
- Ensure all responses reflect the club's duty of care to members and visitors.
- Review this policy every year.
- Educate members on illegal drugs.
- Have a list of health service providers in our area who would be able to support an individual with a drug and/or alcohol-related issue.

Individuals will:

- Comply with the policy.
- Promote and role model expected standards of behaviour at all times.
- Be responsible and accountable for their behaviour.
- Alert club officials with any concern about illegal drug use within the club.
- Honour our commitment to the health, safety and welfare of all of our members.

Responding to illegal drugs

Privacy

Where possible, the investigation of illegal drug-related concerns or incidents will remain confidential in line with our club's privacy policy.

The Privacy Policy of the Angaston Football Club is as follows:

- The Angaston Football Club will always act with discretion.
- Subject to its right to contact if necessary, the Angaston Football Club will maintain the privacy of those involved as far as possible.
- Club members will be informed about the incident on a need-to-know basis only.

Investigating the concern or incident

The committee will investigate all illegal drug-related concerns or incidents in a timely and discreet manner.

Once all relevant facts and circumstances are known, the president will recommend appropriate approaches and/or disciplinary measures to the club committee based on the guiding principles outlined in this policy.

Response

When responding to an illegal drug-related concern or incident, the responses by the club will focus on the safety and welfare of those directly and indirectly involved. All responses will reflect the club's duty of care to members and visitors.

All illegal drug-related concerns or incidents should be discussed with the club's president as soon as possible. The president will document the issue using the incident register and investigate the concern/incident further. In the event that the president is not available, another club official may substitute for them.

If illegal drugs are being distributed or sold on the club's premises by a member or visitor of any age, the President will contact the local police to seek their advice.

If illegal drugs are found within the club's jurisdiction the President will contact local police to seek their advice and expertise on how they can be disposed of safely.

Illegal drug use by a member under 18 years

Where the club identifies that a person under the age of 18 years is involved in illegal drug the Angaston Football Club will:

- Inform the individual that the president or relevant committee member may contact the parent or guardian to discuss the incident if it is appropriate and safe to do so.
- Contact the parent or guardian to discuss, unless, informing the parent or guardian would put the individual at risk of greater harm.
- In the case of a visitor in this instance, the Angaston Football Club will inform the visiting club.

Non-compliance with policy

Our club will respond to all breaches of this policy. Any disciplinary measures imposed under our policy must:

- Be fair and reasonable and will focus on the safety and welfare of those directly and indirectly involved.
- Be based on the evidence and information gathered and the impact on the club, other members, players, patrons, visitors and the community.
- Take into account the age and personal circumstances of the people involved.
- Take into account whether the incident involved personal use of an illegal drug and/or the supply of an illegal drug to other people.

Examples of breaches of policy:

1. If a member **sells or distributes illegal drugs** in the club's jurisdiction, the following will occur:
 - The Angaston Football Club will contact the local police to seek their advice.
 - Consequences for the individual (s) will depend on the circumstances or severity.
 - Where applicable, the individual (s) may be referred to a local health service provider.
 - The club will appoint a senior person to act as a mentor for a nominated period of time and to assist them to reintegrate with the club, if applicable.
 - If the concerned is/are under 18, their parent or guardian would be informed immediately of the incident and of the consequences, unless informing the parent or guardian would put the individual at risk of greater harm.
 - In the case of a visitor, the Angaston Football Club will inform the visiting club.
2. If a member is found **in possession of an illegal drug**, the following will occur:
 - The individual (s) will be asked to hand-over the substance and the club will follow the procedures for handling illegal drugs in its jurisdiction.
 - The Angaston Football Club will contact the local police to seek their advice.
 - Consequences for the individual (s) will depend on the circumstances or severity.
 - Where applicable, the individual (s) may be referred to a local health service provider.
 - The club will appoint a senior person to act as a mentor to a suspended individual(s) for a nominated period of time and to assist them to reintegrate with the club, if applicable.
 - If the individual(s) concerned is/are under 18, their parent or guardian would be informed immediately of the incident and of the consequences, unless informing the parent or guardian would put the individual at risk of greater harm.
 - In the case of a visitor, the Angaston Football Club will inform the visiting club.
3. If a member is found **using drugs, or is affected by the use of illegal drugs** under the club's jurisdiction:
 - The Angaston Football Club would ensure the safety and wellbeing of the individual is the first priority.
 - Seek out medical assistance, if required.
 - If required, contact next of kin.
 - If the individual (s) concerned is/are under 18, their parent or guardian would be informed immediately of the incident and of the consequences, unless informing the parent or guardian would put the individual at risk of greater harm.
 - Ensure individual is safely transported to their home.
 - When the individual's health has returned to a normal state, the club president/committee members may investigate and take appropriate action.
 - Where applicable, the individual (s) may be referred to a local health service provider.
 - In the case of a visitor, the Angaston Football Club will inform the visiting club.

Managing media

All contact with the media related to a drug-related allegation or incident within its jurisdiction will be managed by the club's official spokesperson.

Policy activated

Signed: _____
Club President

Signed: _____
Club Secretary

Date: _____

Date: _____

Next policy review date is.....

CONCUSSION POLICY

ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB

Senior players: Diagnosed or suspected concussion. Minimum 21 days no play. Do not return to play **without** a doctor's clearance,

Under 18 players: Diagnosed or suspected concussion. Minimum 21 days no play. Do not return to play **without** a doctor's clearance.

If medical staff or any responsible person or associates suspect a concussion it is to be reported and player advised.

Chart of possible symptoms to be clearly displayed in changerooms, etc.

Emphasis on mates keeping an eye on each other.

CONCUSSION

For trainers, first-aid providers, coaches, club officials and parents

Summary - Head impacts can be associated with serious and potentially fatal brain injuries.

In the early stages of injury, it is often not clear whether you are dealing with a concussion or there is a more severe underlying structural head injury. For this reason, the most important steps in initial management include:

1. **Recognising a suspected;**
2. **Removing the player from the game; and**
3. **Referring the player to a medical doctor for assessment.**

Any player who has suffered a concussion or is suspected of having a concussion must be medically assessed as soon as possible after the injury and must NOT be allowed to return to play in the same game/practice session.

There should be an accredited first aider at every game and the basic rules of first aid should be used when dealing with any player who is unconscious or injured.

Any concussed player must not be allowed to return to school or return to sport before having a medical clearance (see form). For children and adolescents (players aged 5-17 years) symptom evaluation in the child often requires the addition of parent and/or teacher input.

The child is not to return to football, or other sport, until he/she has successfully returned to school/learning, is symptom-free, and has received medical clearance. However early introduction of limited physical activity is appropriate, as long as symptoms do not worsen.

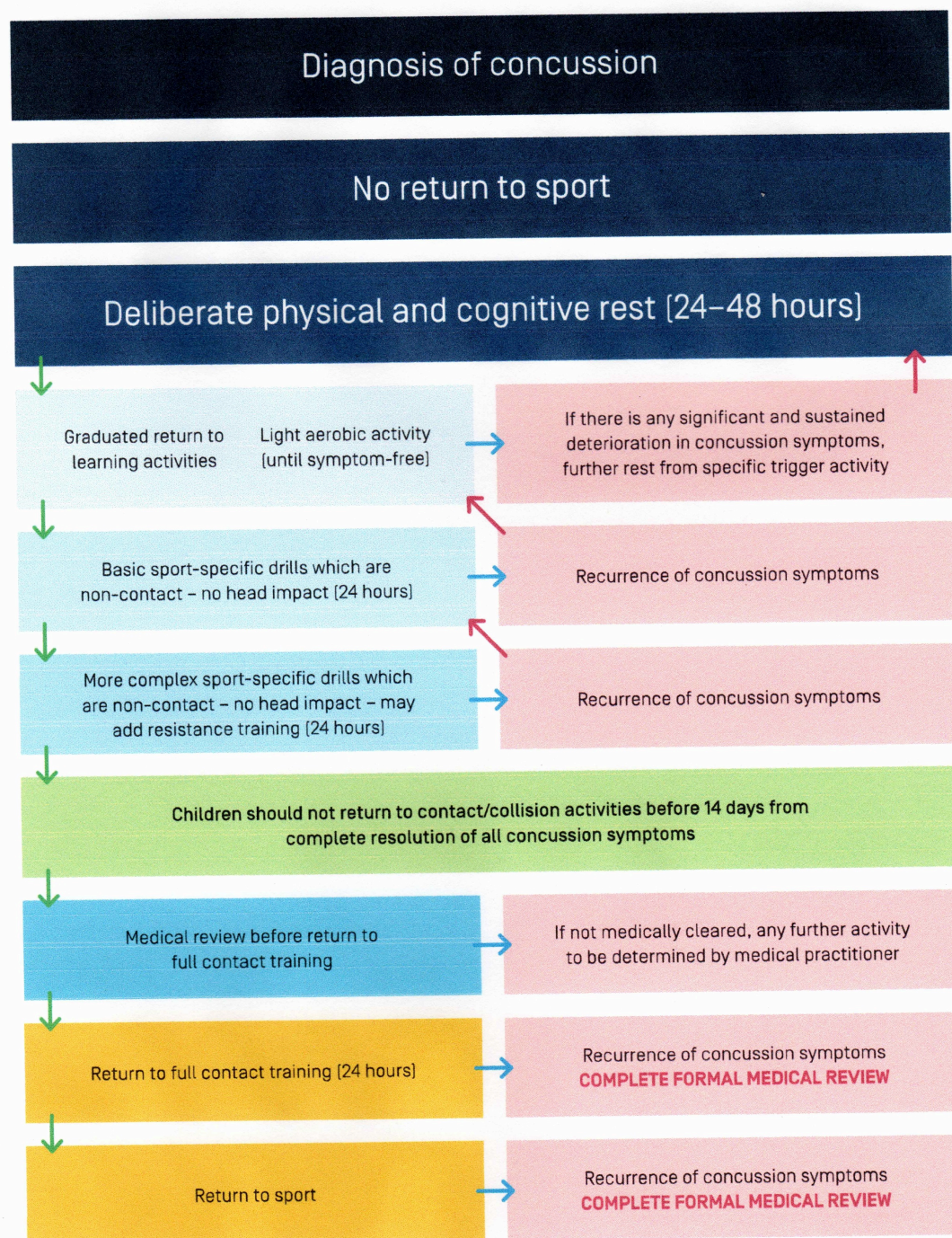
It is reasonable for a child to miss a day or two of school after, but extended absence from school is uncommon.

There is a useful app – HeadCheck on the app store

Please refer to the following flow charts for children aged 18 and under
and adults aged over 18

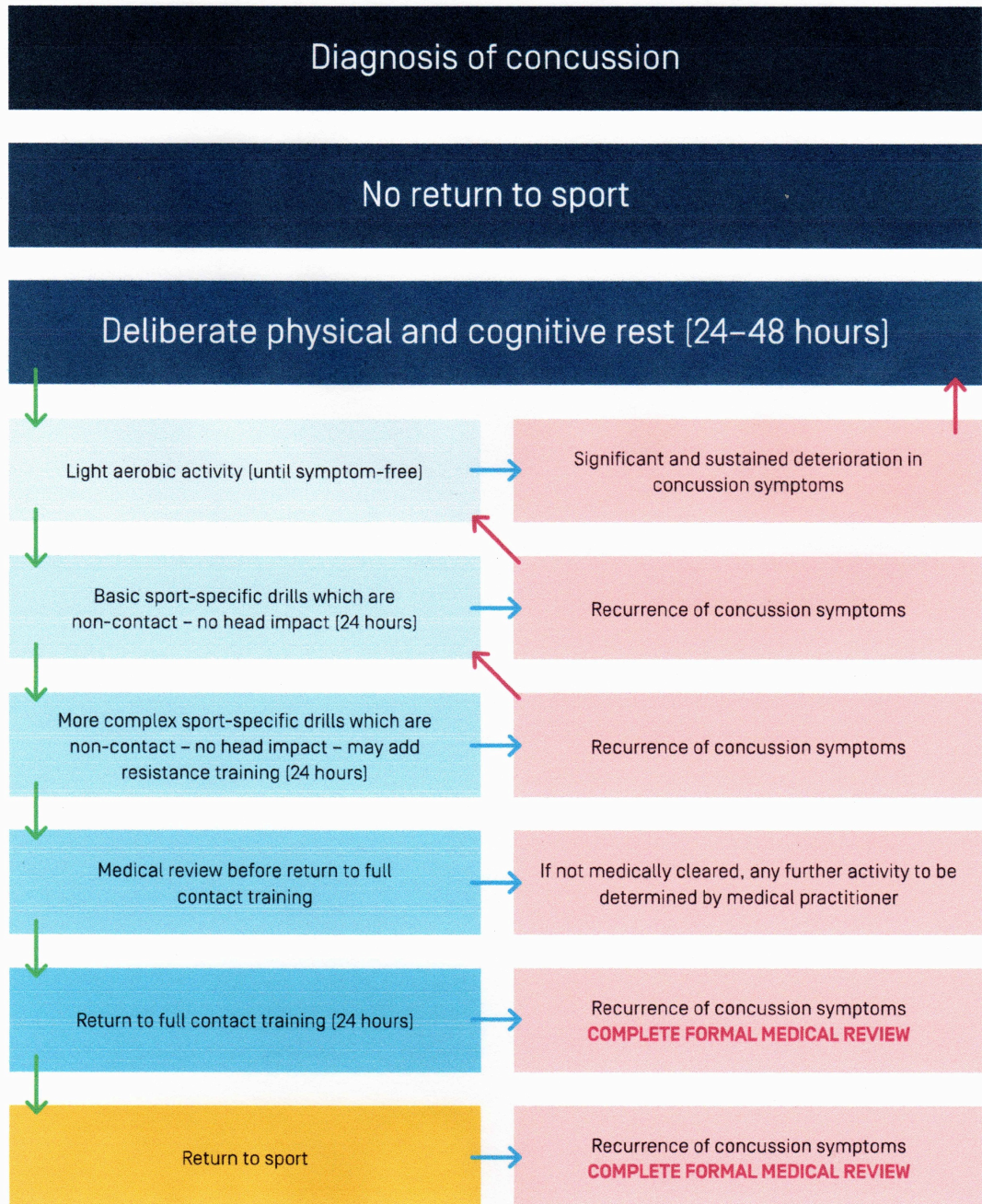
Concussion in Sport Australia

Return to Sport Protocol for **children** 18 years of age and under



Concussion in Sport Australia

Return to Sport Protocol for **adults** over 18 years of age



ANGASTON FOOTBALL CLUB INC.

EMERGENCY EVACUATION PROCEDURES FOR A MAJOR EVENT

Procedures to be implemented on the occasion of a threat or circumstance which could be harmful to the health and safety of persons attending a football match or other event conducted at Angas Recreation Park, Angaston by the Angaston Football Club Inc. This plan be implemented on all such occasions, however conscious awareness of detection and responses are to be upgraded when major events are; e.g. finals, concerts etc.

RESPONSE TO AN EMERGENCY SITUATION

The Committee of the Angaston Football Club in liaison with any other relevant organisation present, e.g. SAPOL, SA Ambulance, and CFS etc. shall continually monitor the health and safety of all persons present at any event as outlined above.

The President of the Angaston Football Club or his nominee (Duty Official) shall in the event of an emergency (either imminent or actual) consult if practical with any relevant organisation present at the site to assess any dangers and then if deemed necessary activate immediately any procedures whether they be evacuation to a designated safe area or withdrawal of persons from the presence of immediate danger.

Such be intended to protect all persons against danger and provide any required assistance as rapidly as possible.

ONCE THE DUTY OFFICIAL HAS DETERMINED THERE IS A MAJOR SAFETY ISSUE FOR THEY ARE IMMEDIATELY TO NOTIFY THE BAROSSA LOCAL SERVICE AREA POLICE ON 8568 6620.

If unable to make contact, the number should be called. If the following emergency services should be notified: **SA AMBULANCE - 8564 2029 (000) ANGASTON CFS - 8564 2249 (000) STATE EMERGENCY SERVICE - 132500**

EVACUATION TO A SAFE ASSEMBLY POINT

In the event of an emergency such as fire, large explosion, bomb threat etc. the Duty Official will make the decision to evacuate the area and advise the public over the ground broadcast system. The Safe Assembly Points are to be as; middle football oval, Netball Courts, team warm-up area at the southern end of the oval. The following procedures will take effect:

Advise ALL persons including staff and officials to move to nearest Safe Assembly Point,

Notify SAPOL and other emergency services,

Ensure all persons are accounted for, check all buildings, toilets and vehicles,

Check health and welfare of persons

Await official 'all clear' before allowing any persons to leave the Safe Assembly Points and return

Advise people not to use mobile phones or radio transmissions

EVACUATION AWAY FROM AN EMERGENCY INCIDENT

In the event of armed intruder, vehicle fire, tree collapse, gas bottle explosion etc. the Duty Official will make the decision to evacuate all people from the vicinity of the incident and supervise an orderly exit from the oval if required. The public are to be advised of the location and their desired direction of movement over the public broadcast system. NB - if armed intruder or similar call SAPOL first. The following procedures will take effect:

ALL persons including staff and officials are to remove themselves as quickly as possible from the vicinity of the threat.

Notify SAPOL and other emergency services.

Persons not to be allowed to return to vehicles, buildings, etc. that are in vicinity of threat and if necessary have them leave on foot.

Persons in buildings not implicated in the threat are to secure the building until official 'all clear'.

Ensure all persons are accounted; check buildings, toilets and vehicles in vicinity of threat if safe.

Check health and welfare of persons

Await official 'all clear' before allowing any persons to return to all areas of oval.

MINOR INCIDENTS

In the event of incident of less general significance such as a fight, general disturbance, person collapse etc. it is the responsibility of all officials and patrons to advise the Duty Official or Responsible Person as per the Liquor Licensing Act, so that immediate and effective appropriate action can be taken.

RESPONSIBILITIES

It shall be the responsibility of the Duty Official and others of responsibility on the day to familiarise themselves, and all staff/volunteers under their control during the event with location;

Emergency services.

Fire Equipment

First Aid personnel, rooms and equipment.

Evacuation procedures plan

Safe Assembly Points

Plans of Safe Assembly Points/Maps and any instructions to be placed in prominent positions including football clubrooms, netball clubrooms and changerooms.