


ST GEORGE
FOOTBALL
ASSOCIATION INC.
2010
NON-COMPETITION
(SSG)
RTO HANDBOOK
St. George

The logo for St. George Football Association is a circular emblem. It features a central figure of a dragon, which is the traditional symbol of St. George, holding a sword. Below the dragon is a soccer ball. The entire emblem is rendered in a light, semi-transparent style, serving as a background for the text.

St. George Football Association Inc.

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EXECUTIVE POSITIONS – 2010



PRESIDENT	John Hedison
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COMPETITION SECRETARY	Jacky Finlay-Jones
RECORDER	Cheryl Brown
PUBLICITY OFFICER	Raymond Saadeh
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NOTE:

This RTO HANDBOOK is intended as a guide only.

Any issues arising out of any match should be raised first at Club level before being escalated to the Association.

All rulings will be made in accordance with the Constitution and By-laws of the St. George Football Association Inc.

LAWS OF THE GAME

All matches played under the auspices of the Association shall be played according to the laws of football as laid down by FIFA except to the extent that such laws are varied by these competition rules and/or by any binding decision of the Football New South Wales or any other body as appropriate as the Association may from time to time determine.

(By-law 1.1)

RULES FOR MODIFIED GAMES

- 15.1 The rules for the Under 6, 7 & 8 games will be as 2009, stated in the Small Sided Games Guidelines as published by FFA.
- 15.2 a) Under 6 & 7 will be permitted to play up into and including the Under 8s. The Under 8s can only be registered in their own age group. They are eligible to **play for U9's only** when that team has less than 9 players.
- b) That all Clubs will assess all players and teams registering to play SSG at the beginning of the season and classify each team in one of the following groups:
- Beginner
 - Intermediate
 - Advance
- The Competition Secretary will use these classifications to group like teams together when preparing the schedule of games for the season for each SSG age group.
- c) Once the Draw is published there will be no re-classification of any SSG teams.

Pre-Match Duties

Each team is to provide an Official at all games to ensure the Association By-laws and competition rules are adhered to. The Official will be easily identified by an officials vest.

(By-law 6.8 b)

- Match Sheets will be issued to the 6, 7 & 8's, but only the names of the players, ground, time and game (eg Fish (1) vs Koalas (3) and the referees name are to be recorded.
- No points are awarded to the 6, 7 & 8 year old games as these games are non-competition and are not recorded.
- At least one (1) RTO is to be present at each match.

(By-law 9.2)

ID CARDS:

- RTO's are to check the oppositions I.D. CARDS including substitutions, in the centre of the field FIVE (5) minutes before kick-off.
- THE RTO's ID Card is to be handed to the Referee together with the completed Match Sheet and Referees Fees (see Schedule 1)
- Referee will retain RTO ID Card until the end of the match.

(By-law 9)

NB: ANY PLAYER/S OR TEAM/S THAT DO NOT HAVE ID CARDS, THEN THAT PLAYER/S OR TEAM/S DOES NOT PLAY.

(By-law 9.5)

- A match ball is to be supplied by each team.

(By-law 6.11)

Match Duties

- ONLY ONE (1) RTO is allowed inside the ropes.
- The RTO nominated at the beginning of the match is the only person who will be allowed on the field if a player is injured.
- **THE RTO MUST NOT ENTER THE FIELD OF PLAY UNTIL SIGNALLED TO DO SO BY THE REFEREE.**
- The opposing RTO is to check any substitutes as they enter the field of play at the halfway line.
- Substitute/Interchange players will enter the field of play from the halfway line.
- The Referee/Assistant Referee will check the player's equipment.

(By-laws 6 & 9)

Post Match Duties

- At the conclusion of the game the Referee and RTO's will complete the match sheets.
- The RTO is to sign the match sheet.
- Any irregularities on ID cards are to be reported to the referee and noted on the match sheet.

NB:

Completed MATCH SHEETS are to be dropped into the Association Office, Suite 6, 193-195 Rocky Point Road, Ramsgate, by 9am on the Monday following the day of the Match.

Fines, as per the 2010 Fine Schedule (see Schedule 2), will be imposed on clubs who fail to complete Match Sheets correctly or deliver as per the above instruction.

Schedule 1

TEAMS	GAME TIMES	BALL SIZE	INTERCHANGE UNLIMITED (I)	REFEREE FEES PER TEAM
6's	30 mins	3	I (from 4 max)	\$5.00
7's	40 mins	3	I (from 3 max)	\$5.00
8's	40 mins	3	I (from 3 max)	\$5.50

GROUND LOCATIONS

ADOR AVENUE	Ador Avenue, Rockdale
ARNCLIFFE PARK	Wollongong Road, Arncliffe
A.S.TANNER RESERVE	Chuter Avenue, Monterey
BARTON PARK	Bestic Street, Rockdale
BICENTENNIAL PARK	West Botany Street, Rockdale (Cnr. President Avenue)
BEVERLY HILLS PARK	Vanessa Street, Beverly Hills
CARSS PARK	Carlton Crescent, Carss Park
CHARLES PIRIE	Parkside Drive, Carss Park
CLAYDON RESERVE	The Promenade, Sans Souci
FIRMSTONE GARDENS	West Botany Street, Rockdale (Entry to ground at Barton Park Golf Range Sign)
GANNONS PARK	Pindari Road, Peakhurst
GARDINER PARK	Wolli Creek Road, Banksia
GIFFORD PARK	Arcadia Street, Penshurst
HAROLD FRASER RESERVE	Princes Highway, Kogarah Bay (entry also from Parkside Drive)
J.GRAHAM (McCARTHY RES)	Bay Street, Rockdale
KINGSGROVE AVENUE RES	Kingsgrove Avenue, Bexley North
MEMORIAL PARK	Sybil Lane, Brighton-le-Sands
OATLEY PARK	Oatley Park Avenue, Oatley
OLDS PARK	Forest Road, Penshurst West
PARKSIDE DRIVE	Parkside Drive, Carss Park
PEAKHURST PARK	Trafalgar Street, Peakhurst
PENSHURST PARK	Cambridge Street, Penshurst
POULTON PARK	Morshead Drive, South Hurstville
QUARRY RESERVE	Hurstville Road, South Hurstville
RENOWN PARK	Park Avenue, Mortdale
RIVERWOOD PARK	Coleridge Street, Riverwood
SCARBOROUGH PARK (4-8)	South of Barton Street, Kogarah
SCARBOROUGH PARK (9-10)	North of Barton Street, Kogarah

Fines 2010

Match Sheet filled out incorrectly	\$25.00
Failure to post match scores on-line &/or return completed excel sheets by 7.00 pm on day of match	\$40.00
Original Match Sheets not dropped at Office by 9am the Monday Morning following the Match.	1- 5 \$50.00 6-12 \$100.00 13-20 \$150.00 21+ \$200.00
Team playing in incorrect strip	\$25.00
No number on shirt	\$12.50
Ground not correctly roped (where applicable)	\$25.00
Ground not correctly set up as per By-laws	\$25.00
Forfeits not notified to Secretary 36 hours in advance By-law 4.4	\$110.00 plus Double Match & referee fees
Forfeits notified to Secretary 36 hours in advance By-law 4.5	\$110.00
Fine for forfeit of any of the last four (4) games By-law 4.5 (not applicable for 6, 7 & 8's non-competition)	\$200.00 plus Double Match & Referee Fees
Player ineligible to play for Association (per player/game and per team/game)	\$50.00
Loss of I.D. card (I.D. card to be reprinted)	\$50.00
Failure to surrender I.D. card of sent-off player	\$100.00
Failure to surrender I.D. card of R.T.O/Manager when requested	\$100.00
Unauthorised entry onto the playing field	\$500.00 plus possible loss of 3 points
Non attendance at Management Meetings or Special Meetings as required	\$60.00
Any Player who plays whilst suspended	\$200.00

Notes & Important Numbers

