



# Appendix A

## Supplemental Playing Rules for Deferred Competitions

(to be read in conjunction with the Joint Interdistrict Playing Rules)

These rules are to be in force if there is a need by the Joint Zones to alter competitions from the normal scheduled Winter Season of Football. If a conflict occurs between these rules and the normal Joint Interdistrict Rules, these rules will take precedence.

1. Registration Cut-Off
  - 1.1. No registration will be accepted after 5.00pm on the last scheduled day of Round 7 of the altered Competition
  - 1.2. This cut-off date also includes any Deregistrations for the altered season.
  
2. Rescheduling of Wash Out, Deferred, Abandoned Fixtures
  - 2.1. In the event of a fixture being washed out, deferred or abandoned the score will be recorded as 1-1.
  
3. Mid-Week Games
  - 3.1. In the event fixtures need to be scheduled mid-week, these games will take preference over training.
  - 3.2. Where possible mid-week games will be allocated in the original draw.
  
4. Forfeits
  - 4.1. All forfeits will be reviewed by the Joint Competition Administrators and if necessary, will be referred to the Joint Competition Administrator (Disciplinary)
  
5. Kick Off Times
  - 5.1. In the event that a Kick Off time has to be changed every attempt will be made by the Competition Administrator to notify the Teams/Match Officials involved. The decision of the Competition Administrator for the new time is final.
  
6. Final Series
  - 6.1. The choice of whether a Final Series will be played will be dependent on the time available for the deferred competition
  - 6.2. The Joint Board will determine whether a Final Series will be held prior to the commencement of the competition



7. Competition Winners
  - 7.1. In the event there is no Final Series the winners of the Competitions will be decided by who comes first on the table (Premiers)
  - 7.2. Gold medals will be awarded to the Premiers
  
8. Special Conditions
  - 8.1. If warranted, any special regulations that are required for the deferred competitions, these will be distributed to Clubs prior to the season start.



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## Section 8

8. COVID Rules 2020
  - 8.1. All COVID-19 Safety Plan regulations are to be observed. If in doubt they are to be referred to.
  - 8.2. Participants are to arrive 15 minutes prior to kick off time and leave immediately at the conclusion of the game.
  - 8.3. Teams will not walk out together at the commencement of the game.
  - 8.4. There will be no shaking of hands
  - 8.5. Spitting in any form will be prohibited
  - 8.6. Team Sheets
    - 8.6.1. Will be filled in by one Team official, using their own pen. No player signatures required.
    - 8.6.2. The Referee will use the Team Sheet to record scores, cards etc and then return to Home Club
    - 8.6.3. Home Club will record match scores in SportsTG and then forward Team Sheets onto Macquarie Football as per normal procedure.
    - 8.6.4. No need for signature by Team Official at end of game. Any queries by the teams can be forwarded through the Club to your Zone Office and the Competition Administrator – Disciplinary via email.
  - 8.7. Players are to arrive at Ground dressed ready to play. Change Rooms may/may not be available but there will be limitations on the number of people that can enter the change rooms at any one time.
  - 8.8. Social Distancing will be enforced in the Bench Area. Interchange/Substitute Players will observe the 1.5 m rule
  - 8.9. Bibs for bench players should not be used.
  - 8.10. Goal celebrations will be kept to a minimum.