



OVERVIEW

The following information is provided to assist with registering junior players for the 2020 Outdoor Season. Please take the time to read the information provided in order to assist you successfully register this season.

For further information please visit our website www.highfieldsfootball.org.au or contact our Registrar, Shane Dick: registrar.highfieldsfc@gmail.com

Contact details for other Club Officials who can help with junior registration are at the bottom of this document.

SEASON – DATES AND GAMES

Miniroos (U6 – U11) games commence on **Saturday, 21st March, 2020**

Juniors (U12 – U17) commence games on **Saturday, 21st March 2020.**

Games are played on Saturdays.

Miniroos & Juniors - Every second Saturday is **usually** a home game ie played at Highfields Sports Park, 220 Barracks Rd, Highfields (Stage 2 Fields)

AGE GROUPS

2020 age groups are:

MiniRoos

Under 6	Born 2014 and 2015
Under 7	Born 2013
Under 8	Born 2012
Under 9	Born 2011
Under 10	Born 2010
Under 11	Born 2009

Junior Divisions

Under 12	Born 2008
Under 13	Born 2007
Under 14/15	Born 2006 and 2005
Under 16/17	Born 2004 and 2003

PLEASE NOTE:

- Children must be turning 5 in 2020 in order to play. Unfortunately we cannot accept players younger than this.
- Children must play in the appropriate age group.
- For all new players, you will be required to provide your child's birth certificate for proof of age. The certificate will need to be sighted by our Registrar at Junior Information day or it can be emailed to registrar.highfieldsfc@gmail.com
- All Miniroos and Junior Age Groups are "mixed" (boys and girls).

FEES

Registration fees are payable at the time of registering your child.



2020 fees are as follows:

MiniRoos (U6 – U11)	\$230 per player
Juniors (U12 – U17)	\$250 per player

Fees include all games for the season, coaching, carnival nomination fees, and the junior break-up at the end of the season.

Fees **DO NOT** include club shorts and socks (see below for Outfitting).

OUTFITTING

Thanks to the support of our generous sponsors, the Club provides a playing jersey for each player. Players will get to keep their jersey at the end of the season.

You will need to purchase club shorts and socks for your children which are available through the Club. These will be available for sale at the Junior Information Day – date to be advised. These will also be available for sale at home games and on multiple other occasions to be advertised by the Club.

Your child will also need shin pads and appropriate footwear - soccer boots (no metal tags). These can be purchased from any sports store.

TRAINING

MiniRoos (U6 – U11)

Training times for MiniRoos players will be confirmed once players have been sorted into teams and allocated coaches.

Training is generally, one afternoon per week for 1 hour.

Juniors (U12 – U17)

Training times will be confirmed once your child is graded, allocated to a team and assigned a coach.

Training is generally, two afternoons per week for 1 to 1.5hrs.

Training Venue

Highfields Sports Park, 220 Barracks Rd, Highfields.

GRADING

Miniroos (U6-U9)

No grading is required for these age groups.

Miniroos (U10-U11)

Grading sessions - dates and times tba



Juniors (U12-U17)

Grading sessions – dates and times tba

Junior teams will also need to attend 2 x Grading Carnivals – weekends of 1/3/20 and 8/3/20 – venues, dates and times tba

Junior players are expected to attend all applicable grading sessions and carnivals if possible.

ACADEMY PROGRAM

Highfields FC will be offering an Academy program again in 2020.

This season, we are looking to expand the program further into our competitive junior age groups.

There will be a selection process for players wishing to participate.

More details will be advertised in the coming weeks.

Players wishing to be considered for the Academy – please indicate interest when registering online.

REGISTRATION PROCESS

All players need to register online via the **Self-Registration** process at:

<https://www.playfootball.com.au/>

Registrations open Friday, 3rd January, 2020.

To Register, please go to <https://www.playfootball.com.au/>

and click on Player > How to Register

OR click on this link: <https://www.playfootball.com.au/register>

and follow the instructions

If you would like detailed steps on how to complete Self-Registration, please contact Shane, our Registrar at

registrar.highfieldsfc@gmail.com

PLEASE PROVIDE YOUR MOBILE NUMBER WHEN REGISTERING IN CASE THERE IS A NEED FOR SHORT NOTICE CONTACT

ALSO ENSURE THE EMAIL ADDRESS YOU PROVIDE IS CURRENT/UPDATED - This is the email address we will use to communicate with you all season.

PAYMENTS

As part of the Self-Registration process, families can elect to pay their registration fees one of four ways:

1. Pay Online
 - a. By credit/debit card using the payment gateway in www.playfootball.com.au
2. Manual Payment at Club
 - b. By transferring the necessary funds directly to the Club bank account
 - c. By Cash, Cheque or EFTPOS at Junior Information Day – date tba
 - d. Using a “Get Started - Get in the Game” voucher with the balance of fees paid in cash, cheque, EFTPOS or to the Club bank account.



PLEASE NOTE:

1. PAY ONLINE

a. If you choose to pay by credit/debit card:

- You will be charged a fee on each transaction. This fee is collected by the online payment company for providing the payment gateway.

2. MANUAL PAYMENT AT CLUB

b. To pay the club directly, please transfer the appropriate amount to:

A/c Name: Highfields FC Inc

BSB: 638 070

Account: 9535152

Reference: Please use player's name

c. To pay by cash, cheque or EFTPOS, please pay at the Junior Information Day

d. The "Get Started - Get in the Game" program allows eligible children and young people to apply for a voucher of up to \$150 to help pay for Club registration fees. Detailed information and vouchers are available from Sport and Rec using the following link:

<http://www.nprsr.qld.gov.au/funding/getinthegame/getstarted.html>.

If you are successful in applying for a Get Started Voucher, you must provide your correctly authorised voucher/s to the club, along with the balance of your child's registration fees, in cash, cheque, EFTPOS or by direct debit to our Club bank account. Vouchers must be signed and emailed to: highfieldsfootball@gmail.com

SIGHTING OF BIRTH CERTIFICATES

If your child is new to Highfields FC, we need to sight your child's birth certificate.

This can be scanned and emailed to our Registrar: registrar.highfieldsfc@gmail.com or by bringing a copy to the Information Day (see below for details).

PLEASE NOTE

1. **Registration is not complete until fees are paid in full.**
2. **For all new players, for insurance purposes you are not permitted to attend training or grading until your fees are paid in full.**

Full payment is required before your child can take the field for their game in Round 1.

If you are experiencing financial difficulties, please contact the club via highfieldsfootball@gmail.com and we will send you the terms.



JUNIOR INFORMATION DAY

The Club will be holding a Junior Information Day – dates and times tba. Members of our executive and other club officials will be on hand to answer any questions and offer assistance with the Self-Registration process if necessary.

If you have successfully Self-Registered, there is no need to attend the Information Day.

However, if you would like to come down to have a chat, pay your fees, purchase club merchandise or purchase player's shorts and socks, we would be very happy to welcome you.

KEY CONTACTS FOR REGISTRATION

The following Club Officials can assist you with junior registration enquiries.

Registrar, Shane Dick

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