

# AVOCA FOOTBALL NETBALL CLUB TERMS & CONDITIONS

I declare that I have read and understood, and agree to be bound by, these Terms and Conditions and the associated Positive Behaviour Code set out below and that the statements made, and details provided, in the registration form are true and correct.

I acknowledge that completing and submitting an application for registration does not infer that registration will be automatically granted and that the AFNC reserves the right to refuse an application for registration without explanation.

### PHOTO CONSENT

The AFNC may wish to record images of participants during the season for promotional and training/development purposes. These images may be used in mediums, including publications and promotional material, and broadcast, print and electronic media.

The AFNC agrees not to use any photo in a manner that may be deemed adverse or defamatory to the person(s) involved, and it will not use the photo for any commercial gain. The photo will remain the property of the AFNC, and any personal details regarding this photo will be kept confidential and will not be used for any purpose other than related to the photo.

During the season parents and family of players may wish to record images of their family members participating for personal use only. Where possible such requests will be authorised and subject to certain conditions, noting that on public land this is not enforceable.

It is a condition of the AFNC that participants may be subject to photography/filming as described above and that consent is provided for this purpose.

## MEDICAL INDEMNITY AND CONSENT

I hereby consent to the provision of the following health information for the AFNC records and to use in the event of injury, illness or emergency, if required. AFNC requires the information requested below for use in relation to the Maryborough Castlemaine District FNL competition. Your personal information will only be used in the event of injury, illness or emergency if required. Your details will be disclosed to the following Club personnel: Club Secretary, Team Coach, and Team Manager. You will be able to access your personal information through AFNC upon reasonable notice.

**CONSENT:** I understand that the MCDFNL competition will be played under the rules as set by MCDFNL league in accordance with AFL VIC guidelines. I also understand that football is a contact sport and that there is a risk of injury involved in playing football. I authorise any official from the AFNC in charge of the MCDFNL competition/program, in the event of any injury or illness, to obtain on my behalf and at my expense any medical assistance, treatment and transportation as deemed necessary.

**INDEMNITY:** Except where provided or required by law and such cannot be excluded, I agree that the AFNC and its respective directors, officers, members, servants or agents are absolved from all liability however arising from injury or damage to me, however caused, arising whilst participating in the MCDFNL competition. The AFNC is not liable for any loss of income as the result of an injury obtained while playing football in the MCDFNL competition. The AFNC urges all players to have income protection insurance to cover any losses. Please contact Robert Rayner for further information regarding insurance.

I have read, understood and agree to the above terms. I warrant that all information provided is true and correct.

# **POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR CODE**

Members and players will at all times when representing the club in any capacity, whether that be playing or attending club functions are expected to do so in a manner that will not bring the image of the Avoca Football & Netball Club into disrepute.

- 1. We will support opportunities for participation in all aspects of football & netball.
- 2. We will respect the rights and worth of every person regardless of their age, race, gender, ability, cultural background, sexual or religious preference.
- 3. We will show respect and courtesy to all persons involved with our Club and our League including officials, coaches and administrators.
- 4. We will display appropriate and responsible behaviour in all our interactions and act with integrity and objectivity when representing our club and always act in accordance with AFNC polices.
- 5. We will ensure our decisions and actions contribute to a safe and harassment free environment.
- 6. We will not tolerate abusive, bullying or threatening behavior.

## **PLAYERS**

- 1. We will give our best at all times.
- 2. We will participate for our own enjoyment and benefit.
- 3. We will play by the rules and show respect for other players, coaches and officials.

## **COACHES**

- 1. We will place the safety and welfare of the players above all else and will always act in accordance with the AFNC Child Safe Standards Policy.
- 2. We will help each person (player, official, etc.) to reach their potential. Respect the talent,
- 3. developmental stage and goals of each person and encourage them with positive and constructive feedback.
- 4. We will obtain appropriate qualifications and keep up-to-date with the latest coaching practices and principles of growth and development of young players.

#### **OFFICIALS**

- 1. We will place the safety and welfare of the players above all else.
- 2. We will ensure all players are included and can participate, regardless of their race, gender, ability, cultural background, sexual or religious preference.
- 3. We will be consistent, impartial and objective when making decisions.
- 4. We will address unsporting behaviour and promote respect for all players and officials.

#### **ADMINISTRATORS**

- 1. We will ensure quality supervision and instruction for players.
- 2. We will support coaches and officials to improve their skills and competencies.
- 3. We will act honestly, in good faith and in the best interests of our Club as a whole.
- 4. We will ensure that any information acquired or advantage gained from the position is not used improperly.
- 5. We will conduct club responsibilities with due care, competence and diligence.

## **PARENTS, MEMBERS & SUPPORTERS**

- 1. We will encourage children to participate, do their best and have fun.
- 2. We will focus on a child's effort and performance, rather than winning or losing.
- 3. We will not ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing in competition.
- 4. Where possible, we will help out the coach or officials at training and games.
- 5. We will model appropriate behaviour, including respect for other players and officials.
- 6. We will respect the effort and performances of players and officials.
- 7. We will reject the use of harassment, bullying or violence in any form, whether by other spectators, coaches, officials or athletes.