



BDAFA Circular – 2021 – 001 25/02/2022

To all Club Officials

Please find below recent Board determinations made and current issues.

Dribl- Game Day Training

Please be reminded that the Dribl Game Day training for Coaches and Managers will be on Monday 28th February 2022.

This event will be held both in person at Revesby Workers Club, 7pm OR online. Clubs have been sent the online teams link to join remotely.

Attached to this email is the agenda for the evening

Board Directive – Age Eligibility

The Board has issued a directive regarding the regulations for the 2022 season around Age Eligibility for Grade 21's.

Below is an extract of the revised regulation. Please see attached full Board Directive to this email.

B12. Age Eligibility

b) **In Grades 6 to 21-18 inclusive**, a Player may not register or participate in an age group which is more than two (2) years above the age they attain in the current calendar year. Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis at the discretion of BDAFA. BDAFA will check for any non-compliance and may issue fines in regard to underage or overage players assigned to teams.

e) In **Grade 21**, All Age competitions, including MPL and WPL, players must have already passed their 17th birthday prior to being eligible to register and play. Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis at the discretion of BDAFA.

Season Launch – Jensen Park

Please be reminded that the Season Launch will be Saturday 5th March 2022, 5pm at Jensen Park.

All club Presidents, Secretaries, and your club volunteer of the year for the 2021 Season are invited to the Launch.

General

- **Grading – Is Due Monday 7th March 2022 at 5pm.**
- **Yagoona Lions** – Grade 35's Away Strip approved. Please see attached picture of approved strip.
- **Ladies Age Brackets** – As promised the office reviewed the ages of all ladies playing from Grade 10/11 to 17/18 and impacts. BDAFA have come to the decision that the Age groups will remain the same for the 2022 season.

Ladies age groups for 2022 will be as follows

Saturday Competition

- Grade 6
- Grade 7
- Grade 8/9

Sunday Competition

- Grade 10/11
- Grade 13
- Grade 15
- Grade 17/18

Yours in Sport,

Leanne Millar
General Manager