

BROTHERS TOUCH ASSOCIATION
2023 JUNIORS SEASON 2
CONDITIONS OF ENTRY



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THANK YOU FOR YOUR INTEREST IN PARTICIPATING IN OUR JUNIOR COMPETITION.

PLEASE FIND BELOW THE CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS
COMPETITIONS FIXTURES AND RESULTS WILL BE UPLOADED TO A LINK ON OUR WEBSITE.
TO KEEP UP TO DATE WITH ALL OUR NEWS PLEASE FOLLOW OUR SOCIAL MEDIA PAGES.



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COMPETITION FIXTURES AND RESULTS CAN BE FOUND AT

<https://touchfootball.com.au/Competitions/Association/brothers-touch-association-22650>

ADMINISTRATION SERVICES

1. Information Services

Brothers Touch will regularly update their website as well as posting any major announcements to Facebook and Instagram. The link on our website will redirect members to all draws/results/ladders. Team contacts may also be contacted via txt or phone call.

2. Wet Weather

Any cancellations due to wet weather will be posted on our Facebook and Instagram as early as possible as well as on our Facebook page. Emails will also be sent to all team contacts.

3. Insurance Cover

The Touch Football Australia Accident Insurance Scheme covers all players and officials who have met the insurance criteria of a TFA affiliated competition. Full details of the cover including claim forms are available on the TFA website <https://touchfootball.com.au/tfa-insurance/> under Resources. Loss of income is not covered. Players are advised to consider the adequacy of the cover and decide whether to take out their own insurance. ALL injuries should be reported to competition admin by filling out an Incident Report Form.

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Nominations/Registrations

a. Team Nomination

If you have a full team of players that you wish to nominate, please nominate the team here.

<https://profile.mysideline.com.au/register/compsearch/?criteria=Brotthers%20Touch%20Association%20-%20Brisbane&type=&activity=&gender=&agemin=&agemax=&comptype=&source=touch-football>

Team Nominations close August 18th

b. Individual Registration

ALL PLAYERS are to register through the following link;

<https://touchfootball.com.au/register-into-team/>

- If players know the team they are nominating into (with the team contacts permission) they must search their team name and register into the team
- Players that are not yet in a team must search S2 BROTHERS INDIVIDUALS and then click the correct age division. As we have a high success rate of allocating individuals into teams, there is still a minor chance that we may not be able to due to existing team numbers. If we are unable to allocate a player a full refund will be given.

Individual Registrations will close August 18th

All teams will be required to appoint a Parent as a team contact

2. Payment

Payment will be accepted online at the time of registration via credit card details.

Girls and Boys \$150

**Please note that as of July 1 2023, Touch Football Australia has introduced a new membership model. This model is \$22 per player and covers every Touch Competition throughout the financial year. You will be prompted to make this payment online at the same time.*

3. Season Dates

Round 1	Tuesday August 29 th / Friday September 1 st
Round 2	Tuesday September 5 th / Friday September 8 th
Round 3	Tuesday September 12 th / Friday September 15 th
Round 4	Tuesday October 3 rd / Friday October 6 th
Round 5	Tuesday October 10 th / Friday October 13 th
Round 6	Tuesday October 17 th / Friday October 20 th
Round 7	Tuesday October 24 th / Friday October 27 th
Round 8	Tuesday October 31 st / Friday November 3 rd
Round 9	Tuesday November 7 th / Friday November 10 th
Round 10	Tuesday November 14 th / Friday November 17 th
Grand Final	Tuesday November 21 st / Friday November 24 th

Due to tight scheduling and field availability, unfortunately there is no scheduled wet week this season. If any nights are washed out we will attempt to reschedule them on a Saturday Night, however depending on field schedules may be unable to replay them and the round will be cancelled.

4. Playing Night

Girls Under 10s & All Boys age groups play **Tuesday afternoon/evenings.**

Girls Under 12s,14s, 16s/18s play **Friday afternoons/evenings.**

5. Player Sign-On

Referees will be supplied with Team Sheets for every fixture. It is the responsibility of the captain and coach to ensure that the referee ticks off next to the attending player for that match. From Round 4 onwards, any players not registered (On the Sign-On sheet) will not be permitted to play.

6. Age Requirements/Divisions

Under 10s – born on or after 1 January 2013

Under 12s – born on or after 1 January 2011

Under 14s – born on or after 1 January 2009

Under 16s – born on or after 1 January 2007

Under 18s – born on or after 1 January 2005

****If team numbers are limited in a certain age group, Brothers Touch may combine divisions for the purpose of a more substantial competition* e.g., Girls 16s/18s***

Age groups that we anticipate having a high number of teams will have A and B divisions. Brothers Touch have the rights to move teams into higher or lower divisions for the benefit of our competitions.

7. Playing Attire

All Girls and Boys players/teams must wear the NEW common Brothers Touch Singlet from Season 1 2023.

This singlet is reversible with Blue and White on one side and Pink and white on the other. According to the fixtures online, the 'Home Team' wears the Blue and White colours for that game and the 'Away Team' wears the pink and white. These singlets are \$50 and able to be bought from the Brothers Junior Rugby Clubhouse on any round night.

There will be one opportunity to purchase these singlets before Round 1 on **Tuesday August 22nd from 3:30-5pm.**

8. Game Lengths and Time Slots

Games will be 2 x 15 minutes halves with a 3-minute half time break. An approximate age group timeframe will be as below. Team nominations will most likely make these times vary.

Tuesday

- 4:20pm (10s Girls)
- 5:00pm (10s Girls/10sBoys)
- 5:40pm (12s Boys)
- 6:20pm (14s Boys)
- 7:00pm (16/18 Boys)

Friday

- 4:00pm (12s Girls)
- 4:40pm (12s Girls)
- 5:20pm (12s Girls/14s Girls)
- 6:00pm (14s Girls)
- 6:40pm (14s Girls/16s Girls)
- 7:20pm (16s Girls/18 Girls)
- 8:00pm (16s Girls/18 Girls)

9. Coaching

All coaches are to remain in the sub box (10 meters either side of halfway) along with your team. Coaches are allowed on the field for Under 10s **until Round 4 only**. A reminder that Under 10s plays on a half field and only 5 players rather than 6.

10. Eligibility

To be eligible for finals, a player must be a registered before Round 5.

11. Forfeits

If for any circumstance a team must forfeit, this must be notified to mitch@brothersrugby.com or 0418 225 260 at least 24 hours prior to the game. **Any forfeits after 3pm on game day may incur loss of competition points.**

If a team forfeits for a third time throughout a season they will be requested to supply reason as to why they should remain in the competition.

12. Blood Bin

Players who are bleeding are to take no further part in a game until the bleeding has stopped and all sign of blood has been cleaned. This also applies to blood on players clothing.

13. Non-completion of game

Should a game not be able to be completed other than by the referee calling it off due to player behaviour i.e., Storm, floodlight outage, etc. the following will apply;

- If the stoppage occurs after on half has been completed the score at that time will apply and the game will not be replayed
- If the stoppage occurs before half time the two teams may record the current score if they agree too (or a draw). Otherwise, the game will be replayed at a mutually acceptable time to both teams and the association.

14. Behaviour

It is the responsibility of each team captain to ensure that both on and off field behaviour of their team members is to a standard expected by Brothers Touch. In the event of any confirmed reports to the contrary and, if such reports are sustained, the Brothers Touch Association will take the strongest possible action against those players. Foul language will not be tolerated both on and off the field.

Brothers Touch also plays under the TFA Code of Conduct which can be found here;

<https://touchfootball.com.au/media/4772/code-of-coduct-mpp-2017-v2.pdf>

15. Competition Rules

This competition will be conducted under the current 8th edition rules. Rulebook can be found here;

<https://touchfootball.com.au/volunteer/8th-edition-rules/>

16. Photography/Marketing

At times throughout the competition, Brothers Touch Association may take photos or videos of our members before, during or after games at the given venue. These photos/videos may be uploaded to our social media pages or website for marketing purposes. If a team or individual does not want to be in any videos/photos it is your responsibility to advise via email to

mitch@brothersrugby.com

BROTHERS TOUCH ASSOCIATION RESERVES THE RIGHT TO AMEND ANY OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND TO REFUSE ANY PLAYER OR TEAM FROM PARTICIPATING IN THIS COMPETITION. PLEASE ENSRUE THAT ALL PLAYERS ARE AWARE OF THESE CONDITIONS

Please contact Mitch for any clarification of the above conditions or should you have any other enquiries.



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