



Under 6 & 7

Coaches & Managers Meeting



1.1 Marrickville FC

- COMMUNITY BASED, NFP VALUES DRIVEN & VOLUNTEER ENABLED GRASSROOTS SPORTS CLUB
- PROVIDING A FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT THAT FOSTERS ENJOYMENT, SKILL DEVELOPMENT, CREATING FRIENDSHIPS, AND INSPIRING A TEAM SPIRIT FOR ALL AGES AND LEVELS OF ABILITY
- ALL TEAMS PARTICIPATE UNDER FOOTBALL CANTERBURY (ASSOCIATION) COMPETITION



1.2 Registration



- YOU MUST REGISTER WITH PLAYFOOTBALL AS A COACH OR MANAGER

A registration flowchart with a dark blue header labeled "Registration". It contains three white boxes. The first box is titled "Re-Registering to play this season?" and features a circular image of football players in yellow kits. Below the image is the text "If you have played football before, start your 2026 registration" followed by a right-pointing arrow. The second box is titled "New to Football?" and features a circular image of two people in red kits. Below the image is the text "Find your Club Now" followed by a right-pointing arrow. The third box is titled "Coaches, Referees & Volunteers" and features a circular image of a person in a blue shirt holding a football. Below the image is the text "Start your 2026 registration" followed by a right-pointing arrow.

- AT MFC, ALL COACHES AND MANAGERS **MUST** HAVE A WWCC
- IF YOU DON'T HAVE A WWCC NUMBER, YOU START THE PROCESS BY GOING TO
 - [APPLY FOR A WORKING WITH CHILDREN CHECK | SERVICE NSW](#)
 - [ELEARNING | OFFICE OF THE CHILDREN'S GUARDIAN \(NSW.GOV.AU\)](#)
- COACHES AND MANAGERS ARE TO COMPLETE THE CHILD SAFE SPORT MODULE 1 COURSE.



1.3 Code of Conduct

- MFC PROVIDES A SAFE AND FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT FOR THE DELIVERY OF FOOTBALL SERVICES
- MFC'S EXPECTATION ON ALL MFC MEMBERS - COACHES, MANAGERS, PLAYERS AND PARENTS – IS THEY WILL TREAT EACH OTHER, SUPPORTERS AND OPPOSITION PARTICIPANTS WITH RESPECT, GRACE AND COURTESY
- **POLICIES – MARRICKVILLE FC**
- YOU WILL FIND CODE OF CONDUCT, CHILD SAFETY POLICY, CHILD SAFETY CODE OF CONDUCT, MEMBER PROTECTION POLICY, PRIVACY POLICY
- MARRICKVILLE FC'S MEMBER PROTECTION POLICY IS PART OF THE CLUB'S ONGOING COMMITMENT TO ENSURING THERE IS AN INCLUSIVE AND SAFE CULTURE FOR MEMBERS, WHICH SAFEGUARDS THEM AGAINST ANY FORMS OF HARASSMENT AND ABUSE.
- **MPIO@MARRICKVILLEFC.ORG.AU**

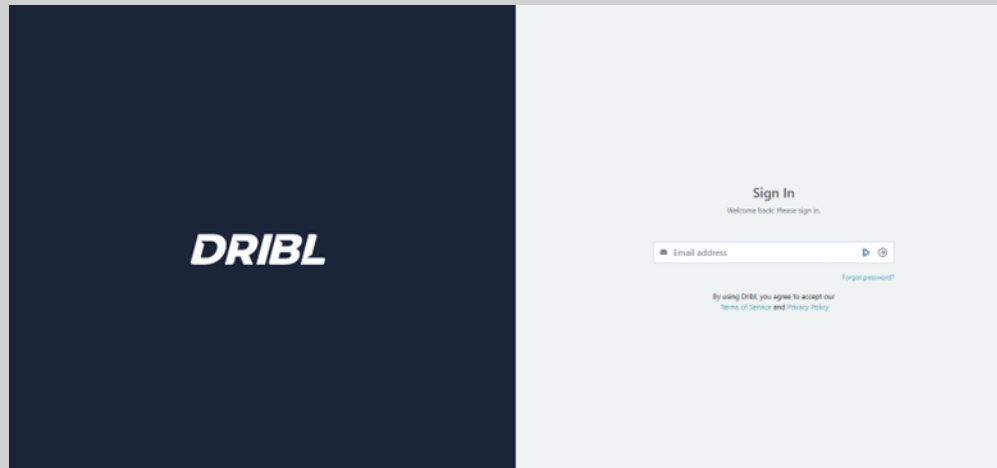


1.3 Code of Conduct

- EACH CLUB MEMBER HAS THE RESPONSIBILITY TO UPHOLD MFC'S VISION AND CODE OF CONDUCT
- MFC EXPECTS COACHES AND MANAGERS TO PROACTIVELY SUPPORT THE CLUB'S RULES AND DECISIONS
- ALL **MFC CODE OF CONDUCT** CONCERNS ARE ASKED TO BE RAISED EMAIL GEORGIE@MARRICKVILLEFC.ORG.AU
- ANY ACTION, IN THE VIEW OF THE CLUB, THAT THREATENS A SAFE ENVIRONMENT IS A BREACH OF MFC'S CODE OF CONDUCT AND WILL BE SUBJECT TO DISCIPLINARY REVIEW
- MFC'S DISCIPLINARY REVIEW COMMITTEE WILL REVIEW EACH REPORTED INCIDENT AND, IN LINE WITH THE REPORTED FACTS, PROVIDE A DETERMINATION
- ANY **OTHER CLUB'S BEHAVIOUR CONCERNS** EMAIL DIRECTLY GEORGIE@MARRICKVILLEFC.ORG.AU



2.3 Dribl Match Sheets



- TEAM MANAGERS AND COACHES (KNOWN AS TEAM RECORDERS AND REPORTERS) WILL BE ABLE TO ACCESS THEIR MATCHES, AND ENTER RESULTS THROUGH THE DRIBL APP.
- THEY WILL BE ABLE TO ACCESS THEIR MATCH SHEETS AND PLAYER ID CARDS.



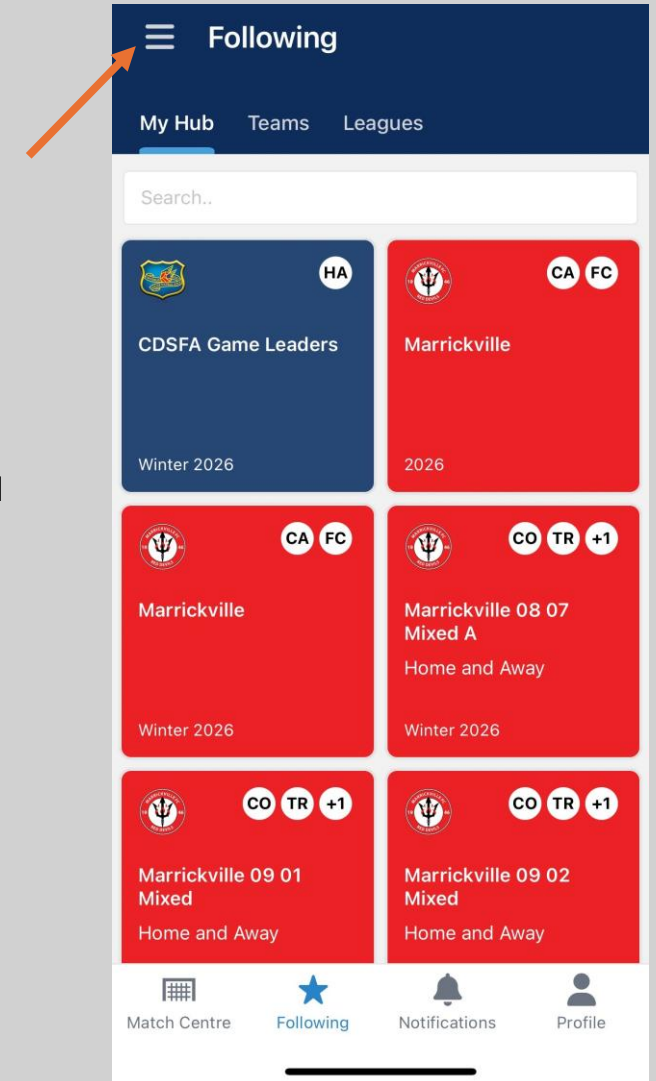
BEFORE THE GAME

STEPS:

1. COACHES AND MANAGERS MUST BE REGISTERED AND APPROVED IN PLAYFOOTBALL
2. DOWNLOAD THE APP. IF YOU HAVE THE APP, MAKE SURE YOU HAVE DONE THE CURRENT UPDATE.
3. LOGIN TO DRIBL BY GOING TO EITHER THE APP OR THE WEB APPLICATION (LAPTOP/DESKTOP/TABLET)
4. IN THE APP, CLICK ON FOLLOWING AND YOU SHOULD SEE MY HUB WITH YOUR TEAM (SEE PICTURE)

IF YOU CANNOT SEE MY HUB:

- CLICK ON THE THREE HORIZONTAL LINES IN THE TOP LEFT-HAND CORNER
- CLINK ON LINK A MEMBER
- FOLLOW THE PROMPTS- A CODE WILL BE SENT TO THE EMAIL ASSOCIATED TO YOUR ACCOUNT. ENTER THE CODE TO THE PENDING ACCOUNT IN THE APP.
- ONCE YOUR NAME APPEARS, CLICK ON YOUR NAME. THE APP WILL SWITCH PROFILES





2.8 Under 6 & 7 Rules

Under 6 & 7 Resources – Marrickville Football Club

- 4-A SIDE WITH TWO SUBSTITUTES
- THERE ARE NO GOALKEEPERS
- START OF PLAY & RE-START AFTER A GOAL- PLAY THE BALL FROM TH MIDDLE OF THE HALFWAY LINE.
- OPPOSITION PLAYERS MUST STAND BACK 2 METRES.
- THE BALL IS OUT OF PLAY WHEN IT HAS WHOLLY CROSSED THE GOAL LINE OR SIDELINE ON THE GROUND OR IN THE AIR.
- KICK INS ONLY TO RESTART FROM THE SIDELINE.
- NO SLIDING TACKLES
- NO OFFSIDES



- GAME LEADERS WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE HOME CLUBS. YOU DO NOT NEED TO PAY THE GAME LEADERS.
- IF NO GAME LEADER IS PROVIDED, ASK A PARENT TO REFEREE THE GAME.
- THERE IS A **NO TOLERANCE RULE** TO OFFENSIVE LANGUAGE OR BEHAVIOUR.
- LENGTHY SUSPENSION FOR ANY TEAM OFFICIAL, PLAYER OR SPECTATOR ABUSING A GAME LEADER.

3.1 Wet Weather- Home Grounds



- ALWAYS PRESUME YOUR GAME IS ON UNTIL IT HAS BEEN CONFIRMED OTHERWISE
- MFC SEEKS TO INFORM TEAMS OF MFC PARK CLOSURES AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE. SOMETIMES IT DOESN'T HAPPEN UNTIL MINUTES BEFORE GAMES ARE SCHEDULED TO START.
- INNER WEST COUNCIL (IWC) MAKES A DECISION ON PARK CLOSURE EVERY WEEKDAY BY 3 P.M.
- IF A MFC PARK IS OPEN FRIDAY AFTERNOON, THE CLUB COMMITTEE MAY NEED TO CLOSE THE PARK ON SATURDAY DEPENDING ON THE WEATHER.
- MFC USES A **TWO-STEP COMMUNICATION APPROACH**:
 - MFC POST GROUND CLOSURES ON OUR SOCIAL MEDIA CHANNELS (INSTAGRAM & FACEBOOK)
 - AS A BACK UP:
 1. A MESSAGE WILL BE SENT FROM THE CLUB TO EACH TEAM MANAGER THROUGH THE MANAGERS GROUP IN TEAMLINKT (GAME DAYS ONLY)
 2. EACH TEAM MANAGER RELAYS THE MESSAGE TO EACH PLAYER'S FAMILY



3.2 Volunteer Duty



- EVERY TEAM WILL BE ROSTERED ON FOR ONE SHIFT EITHER AT MACKEY PARK OR TEMPE RESERVE
- YOU MAY BE ASKED TO SEND SOMEONE TO STEEL PARK (IF REQUIRED)
- VOLUNTEER ROSTER TASKS INCLUDE CANTEEN, FIELD PACK UP, GROUND OFFICIATING, OR OTHER TASKS REQUIRED.
- MATCH DAY IS VOLUNTEER BASED. WITHOUT YOUR TEAMS HELP ON THE DAY, WE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO OPERATE.
- IF YOUR TEAM IS UNABLE TO ATTEND THE ALLOCATED DAY/TIME, PLEASE GIVE AT LEAST 2 WEEKS NOTICE.
- ANY TEAM THAT DOES NOT COMPLETE VOLUNTEER DUTY MAY HAVE THEIR NEXT GAME FORFEITED.
- INSTRUCTIONS AND NUMBER OF PEOPLE REQUIRED FOR EACH PARK WILL BE ON THE **CLUB WEBSITE**
- QUESTIONS TO **MARIA@MARRICKVILLEFC.ORG.AU**



3.4 Key Dates

- SEASON STARTS SATURDAY 11TH APRIL
- NO GAMES ON SATURDAY 25TH APRIL
- NO GAMES ON 6TH & 7TH JUNE
- NO GAMES ON 11TH & 12TH JULY (MIDDLE WEEKEND) OF SCHOOL HOLIDAYS
- LAST GAME & FOOTBALL CANTERBURY PRESENTATION ROUND IS 22ND & 23RD AUGUST

- GAME TIMES WILL BE 9AM, 10AM AND 11AM



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We're more than a Club – we're a FOOTBALL FAMILY!