

SRFC Registration Policy - Winter Competition 2018

Priority is given to all returning and invited players with final team squads announced after the Sydney Rangers Football Club (SRFC) grading process has been concluded. Acceptance of all new player registrations will occur after the SRFC grading process has concluded and an official invitation by the SRFC Registrar has been made. The club reserves the right to reconsider a player's registration with SRFC at any stage of the process.

Registration Dates

Returning players will be able to register using the online MyFootballClub (MFC) registration system from 01 January 2018 and are expected to complete registration by the end of January. Any returning players seeking to register following this date will revert to new player status and are not guaranteed a place in a squad.

As new players are invited by the club to play for SRFC during the trials they may also register using the MFC online registration system from early January.

All returning or invited players for Winter Competition 2018 are expected to have registered in MFC by mid-February at the latest.

Fees

<u>Winter Competition & SRFC Membership Fees</u> - For 2018 these fees are combined and are set at \$450 per player. The base registration fee includes: Full player strip to keep (shirt, shorts & socks), SRFC polo and bag to keep, Football Federation of Australia (FFA) player fee, Football NSW player fee and insurance, CDSFA player and team fees, Referee Fees & FFA Processing Fee and GST.

Refunds for Winter Competition Fees

If you withdraw from Winter Comp:

- Before 31 January: full refund
- Before 28 February: refund of rego fee, less uniform cost, less \$25 admin charge
- Before 31 March: refund of rego fee, less \$50 admin charge
- After 1 April: NO REFUND

Returning Players

Considered 'returning' if you have played with the club in the previous season and have completed registration by 31 January.

Invited Players

Considered 'invited' if you have been offered a position by the Club Registrar.

New Players

Players who didn't play Winter Competition for SRFC in 2017 or returning players who didn't register by 31 January.

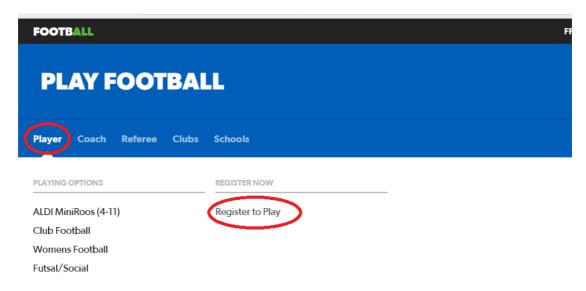
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All returning and invited players are able to register for the season online at their own convenience from 31 December 2017 at https://www.playfootball.com.au/.



1) Login

 Move the cursor over 'Player' at the top left hand side of the page and click register to play



- Pick the option relevant to you and follow the prompts:
 - 1) You know your FFA number; or
 - 2) You need to locate your FFA number (you have previously been registered); or
 - 3) You are new and need to generate an FFA number.
- Login using your FFA number and password.

2) Registration

- Once logged in, select the "Register" button on the right hand side of the screen
- Check and update your details if required.
- Ensure a current photo is uploaded. If you do not enter a valid photo no player card can be printed which will mean you cannot play. Your photo must be a passport style photo from the shoulders up with no hats or sunglasses.
- Once completed, click next. On the next screen, in the box next to 'step 1:' it will currently say Balmain & District Football Club. You must change this by typing Sydney Rangers and a drop down selection will be available.
- NB: If you get a message saying there are no packages then click OK and check the club name e) Select the Registration role as: "Player" f) Select the correct Registration Package that applies to your category.
- Once



g) Click the "Add Packages" button. 1. Student Discounts are only available to Full Time students and are only available as a rebate from the club on proof of enrolment, which must be provided by 28/2/2017. {To be updated by Michael - copy and updated relevant steps from guide below from Balmain once you add the packages.}

Senior player registration guide can be found at http://www.balmainfootball.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2016/12/Balmain-DFC-MFC-Self-Registration-Guide-Adults-2017.pdf.

All enquiries about the registration process are to be referred to the SRFC Registrar (Registrar@sydneyrangersfc.com.au) as the official point of contact.

SRFC Grading Policy - Winter Competition

Grading Policy

SRFC is a community focused football club that believes in promoting participation, equal opportunity for all players, development of football and team skills, and enjoyment of the game.

SRFC's Grading Policy is an attempt to place players in a team that is appropriate to their level of skill development, age and general interest in the game. It allows players to play at a level appropriate to their ability and aspirations, to ensure they gain maximum enjoyment and development as a player and as an individual.

The Club encourages all players to take part in the team selection process, especially new, invited and returning players who wish to trial for a team in a higher division. We encourage all players to attend as many of the grading trial games as possible to be considered for selection in an SRFC team as the greatest emphasis for grading players will be on the 2018 pre-season performance, fitness and attitude.

Why Select Players and When?

Players with all skill levels will play alongside each other in the trial games to give them the opportunity to demonstrate their abilities with players they are perhaps not used to playing with.

Players of similar skills, assigned to their correct age and competitive division, will contribute more to their own and their team's development adding to their overall enjoyment of the game. Players must enjoy football to have the right motivation to learn and remain interested in the game.

New players will be invited to play for SRFC for the 2018 Winter Competition during and at the completion of the Trial Games.

Implementation / Selection

The Selection Committee will include the Club Coach, Team Coaches and Football Director to conduct the grading process for each team with assistance and input from the SRFC President and Vice-President.

How are Players Selected?



There are a number of criteria that form the basis of our evaluation to match players to the right SRFC team:

- 1) Technical ability;
- 2) Fitness;
- 3) Attitude; and
- 4) Training commitment.

How are Teams Selected?

SRFC will endeavour to create a balance between attack and defence in each of our teams and not simply put the top 16 players in the first team. This means that some players may end up in a lower team than their skill/ability might at first suggest because there are players ahead of them in their preferred position.

Players will be notified which team they are in at the completion of the Trial Games. If there are any requests for changes or disputes these will be considered by the Committee and Selection Committee before a final decision is made after the Mardi Gras Football Tournament.

Training commitment

Players in our premier As team are expected to have the highest commitment to training. In order to qualify to play for the As you are expected to attend a minimum of 60% of training sessions, no exemptions allowed.

In order to qualify for the Bs you are expected to attend a minimum of 50% of training sessions, exemptions are allowed, when agreed with the coach of the team prior to the start of the season.

The Cs team are suggested to attend a minimum of 50% training sessions.

There are no minimum training requirements for the over 35s but training is encouraged and is beneficial to team performance.