AIC FOOTBALL BY LAWS 2015

Clause 1: GRADES AND AIC AGGREGATE

a) Grades catered for shall be:
b) All grades except for the 10C, 9C, 8C, 7C, 6A, 6B, 6C, 5A, 5B and 5C teams shall count towards the AIC Aggregate

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Clause 2: COMPETITION POINTS

Win = 3 points
Draw or Wash Out = 1 point
Loss = 0 points

Clause 3: SELECTION OF TEAMS AND RESTRICTIONS ON PLAYERS

a) Colleges shall select players of a higher graded team before selecting those of lower graded teams, whether the higher grades are engaged or not.
b) Players selected in a team on a given day may not take the field for any other team on that day. The only exception to this is if he is acting as a substituted player in the 1st XI. These substitutions must come from EITHER/OR the 9A, 10A and 2nd XI teams only.

Clause 4: SUBSTITUTIONS

a) Open 1st XI teams shall be permitted four (4) substitutions. A player who has been substituted shall not take any further part in that game. Substitutions are allowed prior to the commencement of the game with notification to referee and opposing school.
b) 2nd XI, 3rd XI, 4th XI and all teams within Years 5-10, unlimited interchange shall be permitted, provided that Clause 4 has been adhered to.

Clause 5: MATCH TIMES

The following schedule shall apply where possible:

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**Schedules may vary for schools with more ovals and more teams**

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All other lower grade matches are to be scheduled around the existing schedules above. Variations to the above schedule are only made when BOTH schools mutually agree to do so.

Clause 6: FORMAT OF MATCHES

- **a)** 1st XI = 40 minutes each way
- **b)** 2nd XI = 35 minutes each way
- **c)** 3rd XI, 4th XI, 10A, 9A = 30 minutes each way
- **d)** 10B, 10C, 9B, 9C = 25 minutes each way
- **e)** 8A, 8B, 8C, 7A, 7B, 7C = 25 minutes each way
- **f)** All Year 5 & 6 games = 20 minutes each way

b) In all cases, half time shall be five minutes.

c) Injury time shall be allowed for in 1st XI matches only.

Clause 7: MATCH VENUES

- **a)** The home schedule shall apply to the first mentioned College within the AIC draw. The away schedule will be used for all Year 5-8 matches.

b) Ground markings and corner flags must comply with the laws of the game. Nets must be provided. All teams from Year 5-12 will play on a full sized field or a field as close as possible to a full sized field.

c) Sufficient provision shall be made in all grades to keep spectators at a safe distance from touchlines or outside enclosed grounds.

Clause 8: OFFICIALS

- **a)** All 1st XI, 2nd XI, 10A, 9A, 8A and 7A matches shall, when possible, be refereed by a qualified referee.

b) Home Colleges shall provide qualified referees for other grades.

c) In the event of the nominated official referee not being in attendance ten minutes after the scheduled commencement time, Heads of Sport or Coordinators may mutually agree on the provision of a qualified referee or official. If no qualified referee or official is available, there must be a mutual agreement on the provision of an unqualified official.

d) The host school is responsible for the payments of all referees and lines persons used for that round of matches.

e) Each College shall supply one lines person (qualified where possible) for each match.

Clause 9: BALLS

Both teams shall supply a regulation size ball for each match as stated below:

- **a)** All Year 5 & 6 teams to use a regulation size 4 ball

- **b)** All Year 7 teams and above shall use a regulation size 5 ball

Clause 10: UNIFORM

- **a)** In all grades, a player’s dress of shorts, shirt or jersey and socks shall conform to the colours of his College. 1st XI players shall wear numbers. Wherever possible, other grades shall also wear numbers.

- **b)** Goalkeepers shall wear shirts or jerseys which distinguish them from the other players on both teams and the referee.

- **c)** When a clash of colours between team is likely, the ‘away’ team shall wear an alternative strip.
Clause 11: MISCONDUCT

Refer to AIC General By Laws Clause 4 “Match Suspension”.

Clause 12: DISQUALIFIED PLAYER OR OFFICIAL

a) All cases of misconduct resulting in the awarding of a Red Card to a player or team official shall be reported to the Head of Sport.

b) Disqualified players or officials shall take no further part in any match on the day of disqualification. Please refer to and adhere to Clause 4 of the General Association By Laws “Match Suspension”.

Clause 13: WEATHER

A decision regarding the possibility of play shall be made by the Head of Sport from the home College on the morning of the scheduled matches. Colleges are responsible for notifying their own players of cancelled games.

Clause 14: MEDICAL

Adequate sports medicine staff and first aid facilities are to be available.

Clause 15: HOSPITALITY

Afternoon tea is to be provided for First players and coaches from each College after the match. This post match function is to commence no more than twenty (20) minutes after the conclusion of the 1st XI game.