

# Key competition dates

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## 2017 Season start dates

### Lotto NRFL

Men's Lotto NRFL Premier, 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2 <sup>nd</sup> Division and Reserves	25 March 2017
Women's Lotto NRFL Premier and Reserves	2 April 2017

### AFF/NFF Competitions

Men's Conference	25 March 2017
35 & 40 Conference	1 April 2017
Youth Girls Premier	1 April 2017
Women's Conference	2 April 2017
Youth Metro and Conference	2 April 2017

### AFF Competitions

Senior Men's 19 <sup>th</sup> Grade and Masters	1 -2 April 2017
Senior Women's	2 April 2017
Youth Leagues	1 April 2017

### ***Mastercard due dates***

Youth Metropolitan Team	23 March 2017
Youth Conference Team	23 March 2017
Youth Team Registration	23 March 2017

### ***Dispensations***

Individual, required for players playing down one grade or up more than one grade where specific competition regulations allow. AFF must grant dispensation before the player takes the field for the first time)

Team, to be submitted with team entries	6 March 2017
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### ***Playing numbers***

In-house and cluster groups number to AFF	5 May 2017
Invoice to clubs	May 2017

### ***AFF Levy and NZF Affiliation Fee***

Invoice on confirmed team entries	April 2017
First payment – 50%	20 May
Final payment	20 June

Clubs will be invoiced or credited for additional / withdrawn teams as at 30 June 2017.

# Affiliation Fees

Per team unless stated. Affiliation fees remain the same as the previous year.

All fees include GST, invoices raised by AFF will include both the AFF and NZF Fee.

<i>Category</i>	<i>Grade</i>	<i>Format</i>	<i>NZF Fee</i>	<i>AFF Fee</i>	<i>Total Fee</i>
In-house Junior	5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Per head	5.63	7.59	13.22
In-house Junior	7 <sup>th</sup> -9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Per Head	11.27	7.59	18.86
In-house Junior	10 <sup>th</sup> -11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	Per head	11.27	7.59	18.86
Girls	9 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	7 a side	101.43	233.91	335.34
Girls with retreating line	11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	9 a side	135.24	311.88	447.12
Girls	13 <sup>th</sup> Grade	9 a side	202.92	316.44	519.36
Girls	14 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 a side	236.74	369.18	605.92
Boys	9 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	7 a side	101.43	233.91	335.34
Boys	11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade	9 a side	135.24	311.88	447.12
Boys	13 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 a side	236.74	369.18	605.92
Men's 19 <sup>th</sup> Grade	19 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 a side	631.36	421.92	1053.28
Senior Men's	Senior	11 a side	631.36	900.96	1532.32
Senior Women's	Senior	11 a side	631.36	900.96	1532.32

## Guide to Player's grade

<i>Players Birth Year</i>	<i>Playing Grade</i>	<i>Players Birth Year</i>	<i>Playing Grade</i>
2012	5 <sup>th</sup>	2003	14 <sup>th</sup>
2011	6 <sup>th</sup>	2002	15 <sup>th</sup>
2010	7 <sup>th</sup>	2001	16 <sup>th</sup>
2009	8 <sup>th</sup>	2000	17 <sup>th</sup>
2008	9 <sup>th</sup>	1998 or after	19 <sup>th</sup>
2007	10 <sup>th</sup>	1987 or before	Over 30's
2006	11 <sup>th</sup>	1982 or before	Over 35's
2005	12 <sup>th</sup>	1977 or before	Over 40's
2004	13 <sup>th</sup>	1972 or before	Over 45's

## Payment terms

Payment due dates are noted above.

Clubs that have not made payment by or on the due dates will be contacted and sent a reminder letter via e-mail giving 7 days warning that if the amount due is not received by the Thursday following the due date, then all teams covered by the outstanding amounts may play their fixtures on the weekend following but will have recorded against them zero points and a 0-2 score line.

If amounts remain unpaid by the second Thursday following the due dates as noted then all teams covered by the amounts will be defaulted from the competition

*N.B. The board has previously considered whether the penalties could be applied on a team by team basis, but this administratively impractical and is also consistent with the reality that fees and levies are payable by clubs, not by teams.*

### Special arrangements

In exceptional circumstances a club may apply for an arrangement to be entered into that enables the club's teams to continue to participate in AFF leagues. The terms of such arrangement are at the sole discretion of AFF. Please note that AFF is very happy to assist clubs to work through any financial management issues they are facing. The aim of this policy, introduced in 2007, is to give clubs the incentive to address financial problems which should be to the benefit of the players, clubs and the Federation.

## Account Queries

All queries on your account must be advised within 1 month of date of issue. Account queries can be emailed to [accounts@aucklandfootball.org.nz](mailto:accounts@aucklandfootball.org.nz). All accounts will be sent to the club registered address.

# Schedule of fees and fines

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## Transfers and clearances

Transfers	System based (with no AFF input)	No Charge
Transfers	AFF-actioned	\$15.00 + GST = \$17.25
Clearances	System based (with no AFF input)	No Charge
Clearances	AFF-actioned	\$26.09 + GST = \$30.00
International Clearances	Senior	No Charge
International Clearances	Youth	No Charge

## Misconducts

Fines for misconducts are charged to the club as per the New Zealand Football Disciplinary Code – Clubs in turn may recover the amounts from individual players.

17<sup>th</sup> Grade and below will not receive fines for misconducts however sanctions do stand.

- *Note Full Fines for misconducts will apply to age grade players playing in senior competition*

## *Appeals*

Appeal to AFF against findings of AFF Disciplinary Committee	\$125.00 + GST
Fee to further appeal to NZF (NZF Fee)	\$250.00 + GST
Appeal to AFF against decision by AFF Competitions Manager	\$125.00 + GST
Fee to further appeal decision to NZF (NZF Fee)	\$500.00 + GST
Fee to appeal any other Federation decision to NZF (NZF fee)	\$500.00 + GST

## *Administration*

For competitions where the regulations require teams to provide a team card / Match Information Sheet for each match to the Federation

Non-receipt or incomplete team card sent to AFF for the 3<sup>rd</sup> offense and each

subsequence offense thereafter \$40.00 (No GST) & loss of 1 competition point

Where a club is requested by AFF to provide a team card for any match

Non-receipt or incomplete team cards sent to AFF \$40.00 (No GST) per week from request date

Loss of one competition point may apply if issue not rectified by the 3<sup>rd</sup> week from request

### ***Late Defaults***

Seniors	\$100.00 (No GST)
Youth 9 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$50.00 (No GST)

### ***Playing an Ineligible or unregistered player***

Seniors	\$100.00 (No GST) + loss of match points for each match
Youth 9 <sup>th</sup> – 17 <sup>th</sup> Grade	\$25.00 (No GST) + loss of match points for each match

### ***Failure to obtain necessary dispensation (Ineligible player)***

Youth player in youth competition	\$25.00 (No GST) per player + loss of match points for each match
Youth Player in senior competition	\$100.00(No GST) per player+ loss of match points for each match

### ***Failure to lodge mastercards***

Not received by or on due date	\$25.00 (No GST)
Failure to produce team mastercards on opposition request	
Must be reported to the Federation	\$50.00 (No GST)

### ***Withdrawal of team***

Before the draw is published	No Charge
Before the first game of the season	\$50.00 (No GST)
After 1 <sup>st</sup> game of the season	
Seniors	½ team fee + \$200.00 + GST
Youth	Full entry fee

All withdrawal fees are subject to waiver by AFF. Clubs are encouraged to keep AFF informed where teams have been accepted in good faith, but obtaining club membership fees from teams members is providing difficult.

- *Please note for fees and fines specific to the NRFL competition refer to the NRFL Regulations.*

## **Courses and Resources**

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### ***Refereeing courses***

Club based referee (CBR) course	\$95.00 (incl GST) per participant
Club based referee refresher course	No Charge
Level 1 referee course	\$100 (incl GST) per participant
Level 1 Futsal referee course	\$90.00 (incl GST) per participant



### *Coaching courses*

Introduction to junior coaching	No Charge
Level 1 Junior Coaching Award	\$80.00 (incl GST) per participant
Level 2 Junior Coaching Award	\$90.00 (incl GST) per participant per module
Level 1 Youth Coaching Award	\$80.00 (incl GST) per participant
Level 2 Youth Coaching Award	\$80.00 (incl GST) per participant per module
Introduction to Futsal Coaching	No Charge
Level 1 Futsal Coaching Award	\$80.00 (incl GST) per participant
Level 1 Senior Coaching Award	\$120.00 (incl GST) per participant