ESTATES FOOTBALL CLUB



# ANNUAL MEMORIAL CARNIVAL

SUNDAY 11TH | JUNE 2023

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VICTORIA PARK | SOUTH TOWNSVILLE

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ENQUIRIES TO | CDDMFC@ESTATESFC.COM.AU





Thank you for nominating to participate in our 2023 Annual Ciallan Deegan-Doxford Memorial Football Carnival (CDDMFC).

We welcome you and your families to Estate Football Club and hope you all have a great day filled with football and fun. This booklet contains all the information you need for the carnival including requirements and rules. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the club via email or speak to one of our members at the game day office at the carnival.

We hope you enjoy the carnival!

**Estates Football Club Committee** 

#### **CARNIVAL INFORMATION CONTACT DETAILS:**

Address: 14 Tully Street, South Townsville Carnival Manager: Melissa Townsend

Contact No: 0448103188

Email: cddmfc@estatesfc.com.au

#### **COACHES AND MANAGERS:**

All Coaches and Managers understand and adhere to the rules and requirements of the carnival. Furthermore, it is their responsibility to ensure that their players are playing within the spirit of the event.

Additionally, coaches and managers must ensure that contact details are correct and that they familiarise themselves with their respective team draws, which can be found at <a href="https://cddmfc.com.au">https://cddmfc.com.au</a> and <a href="https://www.facebook.com/CDDMFC/">https://cddmfc.com.au</a> and <a href="https://www.facebook.com/CDDMFC/">https://www.facebook.com/CDDMFC/</a>.

If any assistance or further information is required during the carnival, please do not hesitate to contact the carnival manager or the game day office.

# CIALLAN DEEGAN-DOXFORD CARNIVAL

# **RULES & REQUIREMENTS**

It is essential that both players and spectators understand and fulfill their respective responsibilities to ensure a safe and enjoyable event for all. Players must adhere to the rules and regulations of the tournament and play with the utmost respect for their opponents, teammates, and officials.

Spectators must also conduct themselves in a respectful manner and comply with all events policies and guidelines. It is imperative that all attendees demonstrate good sportsmanship and contribute to a positive and inclusive environment throughout the carnival. Additionally, everyone must prioritise the health and safety of themselves and others by following all relevant health and safety guidelines and protocols.

The Estates Football Club reserves the right to alter these rules if deemed necessary to promote the ideals of sportsmanship. The committee's decision in all matters relating to the running of the carnival shall be final and no protests shall be permitted.

#### **PARTICIPANTS:**

All players MUST play with the club they are registered with. Any player found not complying with this rule will be reported to the relevant governing body, and their club may be subject to fines and other disciplinary action. In addition, failure to comply with this requirement may result in the club being prohibited from hosting future club carnivals. Therefore, it is imperative that all players and the club officials adhere to this policy to maintain the integrity of the competition and ensure fair play for all participants.

If a player is not playing for a club but wishes to participate, a social FFA account can be created under Estates FC via playfootball.com.au. Please contact Melissa Townsend if you need further information regarding this.

\* (If you have any issues / questions regarding registering please get in contact) \*

#### **TEAMS:**

Nomination forms must be completed and include all registered players and their FFA numbers. Nominations will not be accepted until full payment is received. Any team that withdraws within 7 days from the carnival date will forfeit their nomination fee.

Nominations close on 1<sup>st</sup> June 2023 at 11:59pm, after this date no further nominations will be accepted. Team Registration is \$125 per team with \$5 from each nomination going to Precious Wings. Teams shall consist of a maximum of:

- U5 to U7 4 players (+ max 3 reserves)
- U8 to U16 6 players (+max 3 reserves)

Should an age group be oversubscribed, priority for inclusion will be based on teams which nominate first. Should an age group be undersubscribed a decision will be made in regard to the possibility of merging age groups. Team managers will be advised of this prior to the carnival taking place.

All girls' teams are welcome to nominate in their age group but may make the representation to the carnival committee to play down one age division.

### **TEAM / MATCH SHEETS:**

A match sheet listing all team players participating in the carnival is to be completed and handed in to the Carnival Officials at least 30 mins prior to the teams first game with no outstanding team fees.

#### **UNIFORM:**

It is compulsory to wear shin pads and boots. No jewelry, or hard brim caps are allowed on the field.

#### **GAME TIMES:**

All games will be 22 mins per game,  $2 \times 11$  min halves with 3 minutes break at half time. All games start and finish on the siren except where a penalty has been awarded prior to full time. All teams must be on the field ready to play prior to the siren sounding. Teams will change sides at half time.

#### FIELD OF PLAY:

Field Sizes will be rectangular in shape and adhere to the following:

- (U5-U7) 30M X 20M
- (U8-U16) 35M x 25M

## **RULES / COMPETITIONS:**

<u>Under 5 to 7</u> - Games will run in accordance with the Mini Roo rules format allowing coaches to take the field for positive guidance/referee.

**Under 8 to 16** – playing format and rules as per the following:

- No slide tackles.
- No kicking from the ground (player must be standing when kicking or playing at the ball),
- No aggressive play or overly heavy tackling.
- No dissent, foul language, or abusive gestures will be tolerated.

- All 50/50 balls in the goalkeeper's area, keeper has the right of way.
- All players and officials must accept all decisions from the referee.
- A red card is a send-off (player cannot be replaced). Mandatory one game suspension. Any player receiving two red cards in the carnival will be suspended for the remainder of the carnival.
- Defending players must retreat at least 5m from goal kicks and throw ins.

#### **INTERCHANGES:**

Each team will have the opportunity for unlimited interchange during a match. A player interchange may be made at any time, whether the ball is in play or not, provided the referee has been informed.

#### **SCORING & POINTS:**

Points will be given to teams for a Win, Draw and Loss as follows; Win = 3 points, Draw = 1 point, Loss = 0 points. Forfeits will result in full points awarded to the opposite teams.

#### **WINNERS:**

In all the competitive leagues, the team with the highest number of points at the end of the round robin shall be declared the winner.

If there are teams on equal points, the winner shall be declared on the highest number of goals scored. If still equal the winner shall be declared on goal difference. If the teams are still tied after this, the head-to-head record will be reviewed. Results of the matches between the two teams during the carnival and the team with the most goals scored will be the winner of the league.

If the tie cannot be resolved by any of the above methods, then the league may resort to a playoff game. The winner of the playoff game will be declared the higher-ranked team in the league table.

#### **TROPHIES**

All players will receive memorial keyrings. Winners of competitive age divisions shall receive memorial glass trophy per team and a Winner wristband each. Memorial keyrings are limited to 10 for each registered team.

# **DISCREPANCIES & COMPLAINTS:**

If any team would like to dispute any game scores they must speak directly to the Carnival Manger before the next scheduled game. All other complaints should be directed to the Carnival Manager. Teams are not to approach referees regarding any disputes.

SPORTSMASHIP is to be practiced by officials, players, and spectators.

#### **FACILITIES & CANTEEN:**

Full canteen facilities will be available on the day. We encourage all participants and spectators on the day to utilise our facilities. \*No other club or persons may conduct fundraising activities, including the sale by direct charge or donation of foodstuffs\*

**TOILETS** - Toilets are situated inside the clubhouse and in the park (public toilets). Please leave facilities as you found them. Any issues with amenities are to be directed to the Carnival Manager or the game day office.

**FIRST AID** - If injury ice is required, please see the game day office. First Aid box is located at the game day office.

#### **WEATHER:**

Should the carnival be cancelled due to inclement weather, all teams shall be advised ASAP. Please ensure contact details are correct on the team sheets.