

Hazelbrook Soccer Club Inc



Safe Sport Club Plan

Aware of the importance and benefits of being a Safe Sport Club, Hazelbrook Soccer Club Inc. has developed an innovative sport safety plan. All members are accessible to the plan when they register and sport safety information is available to members at all times.

POLICIES

Hazelbrook Soccer Club has adopted the following policies:

- Suitable clothing and footwear must be worn. The wearing of shin pads is compulsory during competition and training times. No jewellery can be worn during training or competition games. The use of mouth guards is acceptable.
- Surfaces are adequately checked before any training or competition.
- Warm-up, stretching and cool downs should be included before and after all training and competition sessions.
- Adequate public liability is in place and current player insurance notification is distributed to all members.
- Children in sport guidelines have been adopted and players are advised to replace fluids before, during and after competition and training sessions. They are required to have their own water bottle.
- Coaches are aware of the medical history of their players and related players are required to complete a medical assessment form upon registration.
- Players who are ill, feverish or recovering from illness or injury should not participate until fully recovered. Any player suffering from a concussion or head injury must produce a medical clearance before returning to play.

PEOPLE

Hazelbrook Soccer Club promotes safe and enjoyable participation for all members and provides ongoing education and training for Coach's and Managers.

- Emergency contact numbers are available at all times.
- Coaches and Managers are encouraged to maintain accreditation.
- Coaches and Managers are encouraged to attend extra training requirements.
- Coaches, players, officials and parents are made aware of their roles and responsibilities and are encourage to act as safe sport role models at all times.
- All members are instructed to show respect and non violence towards referees and officials.

PROPERTY

Hazelbrook Soccer Club Inc. recognises the need to provide a quality playing and spectator environment. The following safety practices are in place;

- Oval area is maintained and fitted with appropriate equipment.
- First aid requirements are available to all members.
- Change rooms are clean, hygienic and well maintained.
- Blue Mountains City Council as owners of the facilities will be issued with a Maintenance Form as soon as reported and practical.
- Equipment is maintained at an appropriate standard and condition.