

# Memo

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**To:** Zone Secretaries  
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**Subject:** Various Matters from the Board  
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### **Football Award Winners**

The Board proudly announces the following recipients of the State Football Awards for 2010/2011:

- Referee of the Year - Sam Williams
- Volunteer of the Year - Mark Roden
- Male coach of the Year - Gary Newcome
- Female coach of the Year - Pam Bignold

Award recipients and their partners will be invited to join Dennis and I at the Australian Football Awards in Sydney on the 4<sup>th</sup> October.

### **State Technical Review**

#### **JPL Licences in Brisbane 2012**

Following a review from the State Technical Directorate and after consultation with Football Brisbane, the Board have accepted the recommendation that the number of licences appropriate for the Brisbane metropolitan area is 5. We confirm that the existing licence holders will retain their position with the exception of North Pine.

A Statewide review with recommendations for the future will be received and considered by June 30 2012.

#### **JPL South East Corner**

Following a recommendation from the State Technical Directorate, it has been resolved to introduce an U16 division from 2012.

#### **JPL Northern Chapter**

Resolved to seek corporate support to fund U17 and U19 Northern Youth League for the 2012 season.

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### Player Age Policy

The Board resolved:

*To rescind the Player age policy as of 1/1/2012 and requires Competition Administrators (CA's) to include player eligibility in Competition Rules. It was resolved to ask the CA's to provide 2012 Competition Rules by 1 November 2011.*

Competition Rules must include the following provisions:

- Players must be turning 5 by the end of the calendar in which they wish to register. This replaces the previous requirement for players to have attained 5 years before registration.
- Players must play in their designated age group as determined by date of birth unless exceptional circumstances apply. Exceptional circumstances are defined as identified players who participate at State or National level competitions.
- Each CA are required to provide a top tier Division 1 competition in every designated junior competitive age group U12 – U15 (There are to be no combined age groups for the Division 1 competition). Variation will be considered by FQ on application.
- Where combined age groups are required for lower divisions, applications will be considered by FQ.

Draft competition rules available on application [bruced@footballqueensland.com.au](mailto:bruced@footballqueensland.com.au)

### FQ Marketing Clothing Licence Program

You may have been contacted last Friday by the ACCC who delivered a draft notice in respect of notification N93402. We have formally responded to the ACCC and include the attached media release for your information. You should note that the program remains unchanged at this time and all clubs should respect the Licence Program requirements for purchases.

### Beach Soccer

Gold Coast Zone have been approved to host an invitational Beach Soccer Tournament at Coolangatta, Easter 2012.

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## My Football Club (MFC)

For all zones (except Brisbane) the attached document is the schedule of the rollout of My Football Club training. As FFA has mandated the compulsory use of MFC for registrations in 2012, attendance is compulsory by all Zones and CA's.

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