

## 2020 RULE/POLICY CHANGES

| #  | Sport/Policy                                   | Change   |
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| 1. | General Conditions of Competition              | <p><b>Add to Clause #7 Competing Sections:</b></p> <p><b>Primary:</b> Be between 9 and 13 years of age, inclusive <b><i>AND in Year 6 or lower</i></b></p> <p><b>Year 7:</b> In year 7 (<b><i>or the equivalent of the first year of secondary school or repeating year 7</i></b>) <b>AND</b> be 14 years of age or younger.</p> <p><b>Year 8:</b> In year 8 (<b><i>or the equivalent of the second year of secondary school or repeating year 8</i></b>) <b>AND</b> be 15 years of age or younger.</p> <p><b>Intermediate:</b> In years 9 or 10 (<b><i>or the equivalent of the third or fourth year of secondary school or repeating year 9 or year 10</i></b>) <b>AND</b> be 17 years of age or younger.</p> <p><b>Senior:</b> In years 11 or 12 (<b><i>or the equivalent of the fifth or sixth year of secondary school or repeating year 11 or 12</i></b>) <b>AND</b> be 20 years of age or younger.</p>  |
| 2. | General Conditions of Competition              | <p><b>New Clause #11 (and then re-number) or Add to Clause #10:</b></p> <p>If a qualified school team has to replace a team member through eg injury, illness, absence etc, they may do so as long as the replacement comes from the same or lower age group and satisfies the General Conditions of Competition Clauses 2,4,8,9,10 and the relevant SSV sport rules. The replacement's name must appear on the team sheet, signed by the Principal, and handed to the Convener on the day of competition.</p> <p>For Cross Country, as a privilege for winning the previous level's Team event, the winning team may replace a team member (due to injury/illness etc) for the next level of competition only (ie Region or State) as long as the replacement comes from the same or lower age group and satisfies the General Conditions of Competition Clauses 2,4,8,9,10 and the SSV Cross Country Rules. Changes must be notified to the relevant Region School Sport Officer or State Programs Officer no later than 48 hours prior to the relevant Region or State competition, respectively</p> <p>All other withdrawals in cross country will be replaced by the next best placed individual runner from that Region.</p> |
| 3. | Australian Football Premier League (Secondary) | <b>Add Girls Premier League Australian Football Competition</b>  |
| 4. | Australia Football (Secondary)                 | <p><b>Add to Rules for All Secondary Levels:</b></p> <p><b><i>Where the ball is kicked out of bounds without being touched, a free kick will be awarded to the nearest opposition player.</i></b></p> <p><b><i>Where the ball is touched out of bounds, play will be restarted by a Ball-up conducted 5 metres in from the boundary.</i></b></p>   |
| 5. | Cricket (Secondary)                            | <p><b>The Year 7 &amp; 8 Girls' Competitions are co-ordinated by Cricket Victoria.</b></p> <p><b>The Year 7 &amp; 8 Girls play Cricket Victoria's Cricket Blast School Cup format &amp; competition.</b></p> <p><b>The Year 7 Boys/Mixed will play Junior Format Stage 3.</b></p> <p>A new leather-cased, two piece composition ball of the correct weight: For Senior, Inter, Yr 8 &amp; <b><u>Yr 7 Boys</u></b> matches the ball shall weigh between 150 &amp; 165 g.</p>  |

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| 6.                    | Football<br>(Primary):   | <p><b>Also, see Competition Guidelines from Football Victoria</b></p> <p><b>Team Size:</b><br/>A maximum of <del>sixteen (16)</del> <b>fourteen (14)</b> players may be used in one day.<br/><b>Nine (9) players</b> on the field and up to <del>seven (7)</del> <b>five (5) rolling</b> substitutions to be named for each game.<br/>Only <del>sixteen (16)</del> <b>fourteen (14)</b> SSV medallions plus one (1) for the team coach will be awarded to placegetters.<br/>Extra medallions will NOT be available.</p> <p><b>Rules:</b><br/>Football will be conducted under the FIFA 9 v 9 Laws of the Game unless otherwise stated.</p> <table><tr><td>The number of players</td><td colspan="4">9-a-side including a goalkeeper</td></tr><tr><td>The field of play</td><td colspan="4">Best Practise: 65m long x 45m wide<br/>Minimum: 60m long x 40m wide<br/>Maximum: 70m long x 50m wide</td></tr><tr><td>Goal size</td><td colspan="4">Maximum: 5m wide x 2m high</td></tr><tr><td>Ball size</td><td colspan="4">Size 4</td></tr><tr><td>Duration of the game</td><td colspan="4">25 min halves<br/>Minimum 5 min half time break</td></tr><tr><td>Penalty area</td><td colspan="4">10m deep x 20m wide</td></tr></table> <p><b>State Match Format:</b><br/>All matches shall consist of <b>2 x 25 minute</b> halves with a half-time interval of 5 minutes.</p> |  |  |  |  | The number of players | 9-a-side including a goalkeeper            |                      |  |  | The field of play | Best Practise: 65m long x 45m wide<br>Minimum: 60m long x 40m wide<br>Maximum: 70m long x 50m wide |        |       |       | Goal size          | Maximum: 5m wide x 2m high |        |       |       | Ball size | Size 4       |        |          |        | Duration of the game | 25 min halves<br>Minimum 5 min half time break |  |  |  | Penalty area | 10m deep x 20m wide |  |  |  |
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| 7.                    | Track and Field<br>(Primary and Secondary)   | <p>The times to take attempts in Field events are:</p> <table><tr><td>Events</td><td>More than 3 competitors in the competition</td><td>Consecutive Attempts</td><td>2-3 competitors remaining in the competition</td><td>1 competitor left in the competition (who has won the competition)</td></tr><tr><td>All throws</td><td><b>1 min</b></td><td>2 mins</td><td>1 min</td><td>1 min</td></tr><tr><td>Long, Triple Jumps</td><td><b>1 min</b></td><td>1 mins</td><td>1 min</td><td>1 min</td></tr><tr><td>High Jump</td><td><b>1 min</b></td><td>2 mins</td><td>1.5 mins</td><td>3 mins</td></tr></table>  |  |  |  |  | Events                | More than 3 competitors in the competition | Consecutive Attempts | 2-3 competitors remaining in the competition | 1 competitor left in the competition (who has won the competition) | All throws        | <b>1 min</b>   | 2 mins | 1 min | 1 min | Long, Triple Jumps | <b>1 min</b>               | 1 mins | 1 min | 1 min | High Jump | <b>1 min</b> | 2 mins | 1.5 mins | 3 mins |                      |  |  |  |  |              |                     |  |  |  |
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| 8.                    | Softball<br>(Primary and Secondary)  | <p><b>Fully Loaded Slow Pitch Softball:</b><br/>That the SSV Softball competition from Primary Boys/Mixed, Primary Girls, Year 7 Girls &amp; Year 8 Girls be changed to ‘Fully Loaded Slow Pitch Softball’.</p>  |  |  |  |  |                       |  |                      |  |  |                   |  |        |       |       |                    |                            |        |       |       |           |              |        |          |        |                      |  |  |  |  |              |                     |  |  |  |

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| 9.  | <b>Points for a Round Robin Contained within team sports rules (Primary and Secondary)</b> | <p>That the points for Round Robins (win, loss draw) be consistent across Primary and Secondary and, where possible, reflect community scoring:</p> <p>All sports where a Round Robin is played (except Football/Soccer, Hockey), the scoring be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4 points for a win</li> <li>• 2 points for a draw</li> <li>• 0 points for a loss</li> </ul> <p>For Football (Soccer) and Hockey the points be:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 points for a win</li> <li>• 1 points for a draw</li> <li>• 0 points for a loss</li> </ul> |
| 10. | <b>Premier League Australian Football (Secondary)</b>                                      | <p><b>Player Restrictions:</b></p> <p>Year 10 students may play a maximum of <del>two (2)</del> <b>three (3)</b> Premier League match and still be eligible to play in the SSV Intermediate competition.</p>   |
| 11. | <b>Premier League Football (Soccer) (Secondary)</b>  | <p><b>Player Restrictions:</b></p> <p>Boys: Year 10 students may play a maximum of <del>two (2)</del> <b>three (3)</b> Premier League matches and still be eligible to play in the SSV Intermediate competition.</p> <p>Girls: Year 9 &amp; 10 students may play a maximum of <del>two (2)</del> <b>three (3)</b> Premier League matches and still be eligible to play in the SSV Intermediate competition.</p>  |
| 13. | <b>Volleyball (Secondary)</b>  | <p><b>Net Heights:</b> Intermediate Girls <del>2.10m</del> <b>2.15 m</b></p> <p>Year 8 Boys <del>2.10m</del> <b>2.24 m</b></p>   |
| 14. | <b>Hockey (Secondary)</b>  | <p><b>Dress:</b></p> <p>A face mask is <del>strongly recommended</del> <b>compulsory</b> to be worn by a field player when defending a penalty corner or penalty stroke and when they are inside the circle they are defending. Goalkeepers must wear as part of their protective equipment a helmet and mask plus kickers during the game.</p>  |