



OVERVIEW

The following information is provided to assist with registering junior and miniroos players for the 2024 Outdoor Season. Please take the time to read the information provided in order to assist you successfully register this season.

For further information please contact the club at highfieldsfootball@gmail.com

SEASON – DATES AND GAMES

Games are played on Saturdays.

Miniroos (U6 – U12) games commence on **Saturday, 16th March, 2024**

Juniors (U13 – U17) commence games on **Saturday, 2nd March 2024**

Miniroos & Juniors - Every second Saturday is **usually** a home game ie played at Highfields Sports Park, 220 Barracks Rd, Highfields. Every other Saturday is **usually** an away game ie: played at other clubs in the FQDD competition (most away games are at Toowoomba Clubs, but there will be some travel to Clubs outside of Toowoomba including Pittsworth, Laidley, Gatton, Oakey and this year Dalby for U13-U16/17).

AGE GROUPS

2024 age groups are:

MiniRoos

Under 6	Born 2018 and 2019
Under 7	Born 2017
Under 8	Born 2016
Under 9	Born 2015
Under 10	Born 2014
Under 11	Born 2013
Under 12	Born 2012

Junior Divisions

Under 13	Born 2011
Under 14/15	Born 2010 and 2009
Under 16/17	Born 2008 and 2007

PLEASE NOTE:

- Children must be turning 5 in 2024 in order to play. Unfortunately we cannot accept players younger than this.
- Children must play in the appropriate age group.
- U14/15 and U16/17 are combined age groups.
- For all new players, you will be required to provide your child's birth certificate for proof of age. The certificate will need to be emailed to highfieldsfootball@gmail.com
- Miniroos and Junior Age Groups are "mixed" (boys and girls).
- Highfields FC also forms some all-girls teams where there is interest. Please note, there is not an all-girls competition in the FQDD league, all-girls teams compete in the mixed competition. NB: There will be some all-girls carnivals during the season however.



FEES

Registration fees are payable at the time of registering your child.

There is also the option of using afterpay (you will be prompted to sign up for afterpay when you reach the payment section in Squadi)

2024 fees are as follows:

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| ○ Miniroos (U6 – U12) | \$245 per player |
| ○ Juniors (U13 – U17) | \$310 per player |
| ○ Juniors (Female U15-U17, Male U16-U17) wishing to also play in the senior comp | \$400 per player (please register as a junior and pay \$310 – the club will then invoice you separately for the \$90 balance) |

Fees include all games for the season, coaching and referees fees where applicable and the junior break-up at the end of the season.

Fees **DO NOT** include club shorts and socks (see below for Outfitting).

OUTFITTING

Thanks to the support of our Principal Sponsor for 2024 – Southern Stars Air Conditioning, Electrical, Solar & Smart Home, the Club provides a training shirt for each player to keep. We ask that players wear this to training sessions and out and about in the community to show support for the club and our Sponsors.

You will need to purchase club shorts and socks for your children which are available through the Club. These will be available for sale at the clubhouse on various dates leading up to their first game - dates to be advised. These will also be available for sale at home games and on multiple other occasions to be advertised by the Club.

Your child will also need shin pads and appropriate footwear - soccer boots (no metal tags). These can be purchased from any sports store.

The coach of each team will receive a set of jerseys at the start of the season. These will need to be returned as a full set at the end of the season.

TRAINING

MiniRoos (U6 – U12)

Training times for MiniRoos players will be confirmed once players have been sorted into teams and allocated coaches.

Training is generally, one afternoon per week for 1 to 1.5 hours.

Juniors (U13 – U17)

Training times will be confirmed once your child is graded, allocated to a team and assigned a coach.



Training is generally, two afternoons per week for 1 to 1.5hrs.

Training Venue

Highfields Sports Park, 220 Barracks Rd, Highfields.

GRADING

Miniroos (U6-U8)

No grading is required for these age groups.

Miniroos (U9-U10)

Players will be graded into Kangaroos (stronger skilled players) and Wallabies (still developing skills)

Grading sessions – Mondays 5/2/24 and 12/2/24 – times tba

Miniroos (U11-U12)

Players will be graded into Kangaroos (stronger skilled players) and Wallabies (still developing skills)

Grading sessions - Mondays 5/2/24 and 12/2/24 – times tba

Juniors (U13)

Players will be graded into Junior League (stronger skilled players) and Division 1 (still developing skills)

Grading sessions – 22/1/24 and 29/1/24, 4.30pm to 5.30pm

Juniors (U14/15)

Players will be graded into Junior League (stronger skilled players) and Division 1 (still developing skills)

Grading sessions – 22/1/24 and 29/1/24, 5.30pm to 6.30pm

Juniors (U16/17)

In recent seasons, all U16/17 teams have played in a Junior League Competition

Grading sessions – 22/1/24 and 29/1/24, 6.30pm to 8pm

Junior players are expected to attend all applicable grading sessions.

Miniroos – have the option of not attending grading sessions (players who choose not to grade will be allocated to Wallabies teams).

ACADEMY PROGRAM

Highfields FC will be offering an Academy program again in 2024 (U8-U12).

More details will be advertised in the coming weeks.

REGISTRATION PROCESS

All players need to register online using Squadi.

The Squadi App can be downloaded to your mobile device to register your child and will also be used throughout the season as a communication tool for coaches, players, parents and the Club.

A photo must be uploaded for all juniors players. This should be a clear head shot from head to shoulders

Registrations open, 9th January, 2024.



PAYMENTS

Registration fees MUST BE PAID ONLINE IN-FULL THROUGH SQUADI AT TIME OF REGISTRATION – there are no other options in 2024.

For players/parents requiring a payment plan, you have the option of signing up for afterpay. You will be prompted to do this through squadi when you reach the payment section.

If you have sourced a Fair Play Voucher for your child, you will be prompted to record this through squadi (you will receive a redemption of \$150).

You will then need to email your voucher to the Club at highfieldsfootball@gmail.com so the club can redeem these funds.

KEY CONTACTS FOR REGISTRATION

The following Club Officials can assist you with junior registration enquiries.

Executive Administration Officer, Melinda Dick

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