



**AFL South East
Player Points System
Region-By Laws**

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DEFINITIONS

Junior League, Club or Competition

AFLSE, for the purpose of interpretation of AFL Victoria Country Rules and Regulations, classify the following as Junior Leagues, Clubs or Competition:

- Frankston & District Junior Football League
- Mornington Peninsula Junior Football League
- South East Juniors

1. PLAYER POINTS SYSTEM AFLSE REGIONAL CONDITIONS

AFLSE affiliated leagues must comply with the provisions of the AFL Victoria Player Points System Policy (the Policy)

1.1 Definition of a “Home Player” for MPFNL Clubs

Refer to PPS Clause 5.2.1 for definition of a ‘home player’

A Club may claim a junior aligned “home player” in the following circumstances:

- 1.1.1** If the player plays 40 or more games over a minimum of 3 seasons, or if having played less than 40 games, has played the majority of their junior football, up to and including the highest grade of underage competition at the aligned junior club as set out below.

<i>Junior Clubs</i>	<i>Aligned Clubs</i>
Bonbeach YCW JFC	Bonbeach FNC
Chelsea JFC	Chelsea FNC
Crib Point JFC	Crib Point FNC
Devon Meadows JFC	Devon Meadows FNC
Dromana JFC	Dromana FNC
Edithvale-Aspendale JFC	Edithvale-Aspendale FNC
Frankston Rovers JFC	Frankston Bombers FNC
Frankston YCW JFC	Frankston YCW FNC
Hastings JFC	Hastings FNC
Karingal JFC	Karingal FNC
Langwarrin JFC	Langwarrin FNC
Mornington JFC	Mornington FNC
Mount Eliza JFC	Mt. Eliza FNC
Pearcedale Baxter JFC	Pearcedale FNC
Pines JFC	Pines FNC
Red Hill JFC	Red Hill FNC





Rosebud JFC	Rosebud FNC
Rye JFC	Rye FNC
Seaford JFC	Seaford FNC
Somerville JFC	Somerville FNC
Sorrento JFC	Sorrento FNC
Tyabb JFC	Tyabb FNC

For the avoidance of doubt clause 1.1.1 is not relevant for players on permit.

1.1.2 Senior MPFNL Clubs may make an application on an annual basis for a ruling from AFL South East to claim a “home player” from the stand-alone Junior clubs set out below. AFL South East shall at its absolute discretion determine the eligibility of any player to be a “home player”.

Stand-alone Juniors Clubs

Balnarring JFC (MPJFL)

Beleura JFC (MPJFL)

Berwick North JFC (SEJ)

Carrum Downs JFC (F&DJFL)

Cardinia Tigers JFC (SEJ)

Clyde JFC (SEJ)

Fountain Gate JFC (SEJ)

Moorooduc JFC (MPJFL)

Mount Martha JFC (MPJFL)

Narre North Foxes JFC (SEJ)

Parkmore JFC (SEJ)

All clubs listed above need to be members of one of the following junior competitions:

- Frankston & District Junior Football League
- Mornington Peninsula Junior Football League
- South East Juniors

1.1.3 Where there is any difference or dispute as to whether a player is a “home player” then this will be determined by AFLSE in its absolute discretion.

1.1.4 Note: A player may have multiple “home clubs”.



1.2 AFL South East Player Points Panel

AFL South East may appoint persons to a Player Points Panel. The panel will be a minimum of three (3) members and will comprise:

- AFL South East Senior Football Manager
- MPFNL Football Sub-Committee Member
- MPFNL Football Sub-Committee Member

1.3 Jurisdiction of AFL South East Player Points Panel – Player Assessment

1.3.1 Clubs may make application in writing to AFL South East Senior Football Manager for reassessment of a player points allocation within 7 days of the player's points being confirmed. Clubs may request confirmation of players PPS allocation.

1.3.2 The application must address the matters set out in Clause 7.3 of the AFL Victoria Player Points Policy. Any supporting evidence should be submitted with the application.

1.3.3 The Player Points Panel will consider the application within 14 days of receipt by the AFL South East Senior Football Manager.

1.3.4 Decisions of the Player Points Panel will be made by majority vote.

1.3.5 The Player Points Panel is not obliged to give reasons for its decision.

1.3.6 AFL South East will provide written notification to the Club within 7 days of the Player Points Panel making its decision.

1.4 Jurisdiction of AFL South East Player Points Panel – Club Assessment

1.4.1 AFL South East shall give notice of the allocation of total club points for each League for the following season by October 31st annually as per the policy.

1.4.2 Clubs may make application in writing to the AFL South East Senior Football Manager for reassessment of their total club points allocation prior to November 30th

1.4.3 The application must set out the Club's reasons for seeking reassessment and must address the matter set out in Clause 8.2 of the Policy and be accompanied by all supporting evidence which the Club wants considered.

1.4.4 AFL South East will consider the application within 28 days of receipt by the AFL South East Senior Football Manager.

1.4.5 Decisions of the AFL South East Player Points Panel will be by majority vote.

1.4.6 The Player Points Panel is not obliged to give reasons for its decision.

1.4.7 AFL South East will provide notification to the club within 7 days of the Player Points Panel making its decision.



1.5 Appeals against the AFL South East Player Points Panel

Clubs may appeal a decision of the Player Points Panel to the AFL South East Regional Council provided that:

- 1.5.1** The appeal is made in writing to the AFL South East Senior Football Manager no later than 5pm on the first after the AFL South East has notified the club of the decision.
- 1.5.2** A sum of \$250 is received by AFL South East, which will be refundable if appeal is successful
- 1.5.3** The Appeal shall be considered on written submissions only.
- 1.5.4** AFL South East Regional Council shall consider the Appeal at the next scheduled meeting after the receipt of the Appeal.
- 1.5.5** Decisions of the AFL South East Regional Council will be by simple majority vote of the Commissioners in attendance.
- 1.5.6** AFL South East will provide written notification to the member club within 7 days of the AFL South East Regional Council making it's decision.
- 1.5.7** The Commission is not obliged to give reasons for its decision.
- 1.5.8** The decision of the AFL South East Regional Council is final.

1.6 2020 Cancelled Season

Appendix 1 relates to the criteria for season of service for MPFNL registered players for the 2020 Season.



APPENDIX 1

Memorandum sent to MPFNL clubs on 14th September 2021 from Haydn Parsons

The AFLSE Advisory has approved criteria whereby consideration for a player point reduction can be considered pursuant to clause 7.3 (e) of the AFL Victoria PPS Policy.

Criteria to be applied:

Clubs may apply for a season of service reduction of 1 point where a player was registered in 2020 with their MPNFL Club, remained registered (did not transfer elsewhere) and has re-registered again ahead of the 2021 season.

Each application should be in line with the criteria as outlined in rule 7.1 and will be assessed on an individual basis, that is to say, given the player's unique playing history, is it deemed reasonable that they would have met the criteria as outlined in rule 7.1 if a 2020 season had gone ahead.