



# **AFL North East Border PPS BY-LAWS**

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## 1. Player Points System

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

### 1.1 Player Points – Definition of “Home Player” for AFLNEB Leagues

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

- 1.1.1** If the player plays their junior football in the Wangaratta & District JFL (excluding Bright and Myrtleford JFCs) or for St. Patricks JFC or Scots JFC - their “home club” will be the club where they play the majority of games after they finish junior football but before they are selected for first grade football (and if they proceed straight to first grade football, their home club will be that club).
- 1.1.2** If the player plays 40 or more games, or if having played less than 40 games has played the majority of their junior football, up to and including under 17 competition at the aligned junior clubs below, then their aligned Senior Club will be as set out below :

Junior Club	Aligned Senior Club/s
Albury Junior Football Club	Albury Tigers Football Netball Club
North Albury Junior Football Club	North Albury Football Netball Club
Lavington Junior Football Club	Lavington Football Netball Club
Wodonga Junior Football Club	Wodonga Football Netball Club
Wodonga Raiders Junior Football Club	Wodonga Raiders Football Netball Club
Yarrawonga Junior Football Club	Yarrawonga Football Netball Club
Corowa Rutherglen Junior Football Club	Corowa Rutherglen Football Netball Club
Myrtleford Junior Football Club	Myrtleford Football Netball Club
Bright Junior Football Club	Bright Football Netball Club
Mansfield Junior Football Club	Mansfield Football Netball Club

- 1.1.3** An Ovens & King Football Netball League Under 18 player will be a “home player” at any Ovens & King Football Netball League club where they play first grade football until they have played 18 first grade games and will then be fixed as a home player at the club where they have first played 18 or more first grade games.
- 1.1.4** A Player has not played football in any competition for 3 or more full seasons.
- 1.2** Games played on “permit” are not included in these assessments.
- 1.3** Where there is any difference or dispute as to whether a player is a “home player” then this will be determined by AFLNEB in its absolute discretion.

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

### 1.4 AFLNEB Player Points Panel

AFLNEB may appoint persons to a Player Points Panel. The panel will be a minimum of 3 members and will comprise:

- the AFLNEB Region General Manager;
- an AFLNEB Commission member;
- an AFLNEB Football Development Manager and/or;
- an AFLNEB non-league affiliated staff member.

### **1.5 Jurisdiction of AFLNEB Player Points Panel – Player Assessment**

- 1.5.1** Clubs may make application in writing to the AFLNEB Region General Manager for reassessment of a player's points allocation within 7 days of the player's points being allocated by AFLNEB pursuant to the AFL Victoria Player Points System framework.
- 1.5.2** The application must address the matters set out in Clause 7.4 of the Policy. Any supporting evidence should be submitted with the application.
- 1.5.3** The Player Points Panel will consider the application within 14 days of receipt by the AFLNEB Region General Manager
- 1.5.4** Decisions of the Player Points Panel will be by majority vote.
- 1.5.5** The Player Points Panel is not obliged to give reasons for its decision
- 1.5.6** AFLNEB will provide written notification to the Club within 7 days of the Player Points Panel making its decision.

### **1.6 Jurisdiction of AFLNEB Player Points Panel – Club Assessment**

- 1.6.1** Clubs may make application in writing to the AFLNEB Region General Manager for reassessment of their total club points allocation within 28 days of the Club's points being allocated pursuant to the AFL Victoria Player Points System.
- 1.6.2** The application must set out the Club's reasons for seeking reassessment and must particularly address the matters set out in Clause 8.2 of the Policy and be accompanied by all supporting evidence which the Club wants considered.
- 1.6.3** AFLNEB Player Points Panel will consider the application within 28 days of receipt by the AFLNEB Region General Manager.
- 1.6.4** Decisions of the AFLNEB Player Points Panel will be by majority vote.
- 1.6.5** The Player Points Panel is not obliged to give reasons for its decision.
- 1.6.6** AFLNEB will provide a written notification to the within 7 days of the Player Points Panel making it decision.

### **1.7 Appeals against the AFLNEB Player Points Panel**

Clubs may appeal a decision of the Player Points Panel to the AFLNEB Commission provided that:

- 1.7.1** The appeal is made in writing to the AFLNEB Region General Manager not later than 2.00pm on the second business day after the AFLNEB has notified the Club of the decision.
- 1.7.2** Decisions of the AFLNEB Commission will be by majority vote.
- 1.7.3** The appeal may be dealt with in whatever form the AFLNEB Commission considers most appropriate – including at a formal meeting of the AFLNEB Commission, by teleconference or by consideration "on the papers".
- 1.7.4** AFLNEB will provide written notification to the member club within 7 days of the AFLNEB Commission making its decision.
- 1.7.5** The Commission is not obliged to give reasons for its decision.
- 1.7.6** The decision of the AFLNEB Commission is final.

### **1.8 Additional Penalty Points for Transfers within a League**

- 1.8.1** AFL North East Border shall apply an additional 1 Penalty Point to the existing PPS Policy to players who transfer within the same League, 2 Points in total.