



SOFTBALL

NewsLetter

Registrations Now Open

Softball REGISTRATIONS now OPEN for 2020/21 season

Welcome to the 2020/21 Softball season which commences on Saturday 10 October 2020 & will continue through to April 2021. This season we are offering Softball & Teeball to all players who enjoy playing socially & competitively so why not come along and get registered.

REGISTRATION – it's easy!

There are a few ways to register for the upcoming season even though our preferred option due to Covid-19 is through the **Online Registration** at rego.cronullarsl.sssa.org.au just follow the prompts. *Please do not pay your fees on the Database* though as this is done by direct deposit to Cronulla RSL Softball Club using the banking details & emailing a copy of your receipt with your Active Kids Voucher (*if you're claiming it*) to cronullarslsoftball@bigpond.com or by post to Cronulla RSL Softball at PO Box 963 Caringbah 1495. If you have any questions, your welcome to contact our Registrar, Joanne McGowen on 0404 205 415.

REGISTRATION FEES

TEEBALL	5-9 years Boys & Girls	\$ 100.00
MODBALL	11 years & under Boys & Girls	\$ 100.00
JUN A & B	12-17 years Boys & Girls	\$ 170.00
SENIOR	Ladies A, B, C, D Grade	\$ 190.00
	Mixed B Grade	\$ 190.00

OFFICIAL Coach, Umpire

OFF DIAMOND Manager, Scorer, Committee member

All Fees include Registration, Insurance, & Match Fees

NEW MEMBERS:

If you are a Junior & registering for the first time, please supply a copy of your Birth Certificate at registration.

UNIFORM PRICES

SOCKS—all sizes	\$ 10.00
RSL Softball Cap	\$ 15.00
Junior Softball Shirts (8-14)	\$ 40.00
Senior Softball Shirts (XS-3XL)	\$ 45.00
Junior Softball Pants (4-12)	\$ 45.00
Senior Softball Pants (XS-3XL)	\$ 50.00

ACTIVE KIDS REBATE

Cronulla RSL is an Active Kids Provider & the NSW Government's Active Kids Rebate is available for use towards your registration if you are aged between 4 ½ -18 years. If you would like to use your Active Kids Voucher towards your fees, please email a copy of your Voucher to cronullarslsoftball@bigpond.com

PAYMENT OPTIONS

EFTPOS, CREDIT CARD,
CASH or CHEQUE payable to
Cronulla RSL Softball Club
DIRECT DEPOSIT to
Cronulla RSL Youth Club SOFTBALL

Westpac Bank Cronulla

BSB: 032-052 Account No: 29-5492

(please use players name as reference)

ONLINE REGISTRATION TIP!

Returning Cronulla RSL Players and Officials: If you are a returning player or official to Cronulla RSL and have registered in the system before, please enter your email address and click continue. If you have forgotten your password, you will be given the opportunity to request/reset your password which will be emailed to you. You may then proceed.

New Registrations: If this is the first time you are registering in Teeball or Softball as a player or official through the Database, please select 'new member' & enter your email address. You will then receive an email with a link so you can proceed with your Online Registration.



SSSA 2020 COVID-19 LEVY:

This season Sutherland Shire Softball is charging a \$10 Covid levy to each player to cover the SSSA costs that they shall incur under their return to play guidelines. Cronulla RSL has elected to absorb these costs on your behalf.

UNIFORMS

Uniforms are available for pre-season ordering. Collection dates will be advised. We suggest returning players try on existing uniforms when registering to make sure they still fit.

FAMILY DISCOUNTS & JUNIORS PLAYING IN THE SENIOR COMPETITION

Our family discount of \$10.00 for the 2nd & subsequent member of your family is still available & any Junior player that chooses to play in a Senior Grade only pays the Senior Fee.

CRONULLA RSL PLAYER & TEAM DUTIES

All players are expected to fulfil Club duties assigned by the SSSA, these include Plate & Base Umpiring, Canteen Duty & Ground Set Up &/or Pack Up. Players are also required to sit the SSSA 'online umpiring exam' each season to become 'theory qualified' for umpiring & entry into the Final Series games as per SSSA Rules.

EQUIPMENT:

Players always supply their own glove but all other playing equipment such as bats, balls, bases & catchers gear is supplied by Cronulla RSL. However, this season due to Covid-19 we highly recommend that each player also provide their own batting helmet rather than having to share team helmets even though they will still be available. Batting helmets can be purchased at a reasonable price so please ask for assistance as we are here to help.

CRONULLA RSL CLUB COVID OFFICER

In 2020, due to Covid-19, it has become a requirement that each Team entering must supply at least one Covid Officer. This person/s must attend each game & be responsible for keeping dugout benches, gates & team equipment sanitised during our games. They must also make sure social distancing rules apply with our Club teams during warm-up & games. For full information please contact one of our Committee Members & consider nominating for this position.

RULE CHANGES TO 2020-21 SEASON

- Teeball & Modball are now played on Tuesday evenings at 6.00pm
- All grades have 10 runs after 5 innings Mercy Rule including A, B & MB grades
- 12 Run Ahead Declaration Rule continues to apply in Junior A & B, & Senior C & D graded competitions. Unlike other Softball Declaration Rules where a team can 'declare' the game in the name of good sportsmanship when 2 teams with differing skill level play each other the SSSA rule can be called every Innings to prevent a winning team from losing competition points for having more than 12 runs ahead.
- A, B & MB competitions do not have the 12 Run Ahead Rule but if teams in these grades win by more than 15 runs often, the SSSA may impose a points deduction retrospectively.
- 4.30pm timeslot will only be used if needed.



- Qualifying Games – Players must play 3 games pre-Christmas & 3 games post-Christmas to qualify for Final Series games
- SSSA offering a Level 1 Fast Track Umpiring Course – contact Craig Oberg for more information
- SSSA have no planned Scoring or Coaching Clinics scheduled to date



TEEBALL & MODBALL COMPETITIONS have moved to Tuesdays

This season Sutherland Shire Softball are running Teeball & Modball Competitions on Tuesday evenings at 6.00pm at Captain Cook Fields so they will no longer be included in the Saturday morning competition. Players wishing to play on Saturday are invited to register in the Junior B Competition instead. These Tuesday competitions will complete on December 1 with Round 8 with a possible Grand Final on December 8. There may be the possibility of a 2nd competition after Christmas.

DIARY DATES

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Player & Official Database Regis-

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SATURDAY 10 OCT

Captain Cook Fields

TUESDAY 13 OCT

& Modball Comp Start

SATURDAY 17 OCT

Captain Cook Fields

Round 1,

Teeball

Round 2,

Official

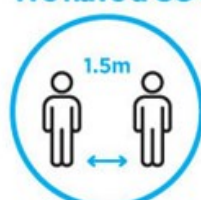
At Cronulla RSL, we aim to provide quality management for all our teams & encourage any person considering taking on an



role within the club to nominate on the attached registration form & attend our upcoming lectures. For more information or any questions please contact your Committee today!



We have a COVID-19 Safety Plan and are committed to keeping you safe.



Physical
distancing



Hygiene and
cleaning



Wellbeing of staff
and customers



Provide feedback on this business
nsw.gov.au/covid-feedback