

# Central Perth District Oztag JUNIORS

## Competition Guidelines

[www.cpdoztag.com.au](http://www.cpdoztag.com.au)

1. CPD Oztag competitions operate for a minimum of 10 rounds, of which a 'wash-out round' and GF can be included. Structure of season fixtures may vary at the competition convenor's discretion subject to field availability and the number of teams per division. The season draw will be available on the internet – [www.cpdoztag.com.au](http://www.cpdoztag.com.au) prior to 'Round 1' commencing and teams are advised to check & follow these weekly
2. Qualifying age limit for Oztag Juniors division is 5 – 16 years.
3. **Completed Team Registration form** and/or **Individual Registration forms** along with your **full team & individual payments** should be **finalised** by the closing rego date (refer to website for closing rego and comp starting dates). No payments will be taken on competition rounds. Failure to comply with either of these means yourself/ team may not be included in the draw.
4. **Team and/or registration fees are non-refundable/non-transferable once they have played a game or should they injure themselves whilst playing and not be able to finish the season.**
5. You cannot have any 'fill-ins' (unregistered player for your team) under any circumstances. If you are found to have a 'fill-in', you will forfeit the game for the first offence, 2nd offence will result in your team losing all competition points accumulated to date and may face whole team suspension for the following round. If you are found to have any fill-ins during the finals series, you will be automatically disqualified.
6. A team cannot have more than 3 of their players registered in another team, regardless if it is across different divisions. This is to manage and regulate the 'fill-ins' rule (unregistered player – Rule No.4), as well as maintain the integrity of a fair competition preventing groups of experienced players, playing against less experienced ones.
7. In the event of wet weather please contact [Trudy Whaanga](#) (convenor) on [0400 264 911](tel:0400264911) after 3 pm to see if games are being played. If there has been rain prior to the competition night it is advised to double check as the fields may still be closed. If games are cancelled, please follow your draw as per the dates for the next week. CPD Oztag has no control over the weather or the closure of the fields by council due to wet weather. Refunds will not be given for loss of any games due to closure.
8. Send offs (CPD Oztag)
  - if a player is sent-off they may receive an automatic 2 game suspension
  - if a player is sent off for abuse towards a referee they may receive a 2 game suspension;
  - if a player is found to have thrown a punch they will be suspended for the remainder of the season. Registration money will not be refunded if a player is suspended or ejected for the competition.
9. Players are not permitted to consume drugs/alcohol at the grounds before their game. Any player we believe to be affected by drugs/alcohol will not be permitted to take the field.
10. Prescription only sunglasses are permitted to be worn whilst playing.
11. Only official Oztag shorts/tights are to be worn, any player not complying will not be permitted to take the field until they are wearing the correct shorts/tights.
12. **No metal, metal-tip or screw-in studs are to be worn**, any player not complying will not be permitted to take the field and if they do so they will not be covered by Oztag's insurance. Closed in shoes must be worn at all times.
13. All players should play in identical coloured shirts and if possible with an individual number either on both sleeves or middle of the back.

14. There will be **no talking to the referee at all unless you are the delegate/captain**. This includes sledging of the opposition or of your own team members. This is a major offence and may result in a player or team being sent off or banned from the competition. This also includes your supporters who can be sent from the playing fields & banned from attending any further games.
15. All players or parent/guardian must sign on the sign-on sheets at the admin area each week. Players are not covered by Oztag's Insurance if they have not signed on for their game/s as stated in CPD Oztag's 'Conditions of play' document. **Players must have played & signed on for 4 games to qualify for the finals rounds.**
16. **All injuries must be reported on the day the injury occurred.** If the injury isn't reported on the day you risk not being covered by Oztag's Insurance. Report all injuries to the convenor at the admin area.
17. If a game is called off by the referee, the team at fault will not receive points for a win, draw or loss no matter what the current score is or how long to go in the game. They will also receive no 'for and against'. The team not at fault will receive points for a win & 5 for 0 against. If both teams are at fault, neither team will receive anything.
18. Mixed divisions allow for 5 males max to take the field at any one time. There is no limit (in accordance with the rules of players per team on the field) on the number of females taking the field in this division.
19. Teams must have **five registered players for a competition game to commence**. Teams have five minutes from the time the hooter is blown for players to be ready to play before a forfeit is called.
20. You can register players up to fifth last round of competition games, as players need to play at least 4 round games to qualify for the finals. They must fill in the registration sheet and pay full registration fee.
21. If your team needs to forfeit a game please advise *Trudy Whaanga (convenor)* on **0400 264 911 before 1pm**. Teams that fail to advise the convenor prior to **1pm** will earn no comp points for that round and minus 5 points in their 'for and against' tally. Any team that forfeits 2 games without notifying the convenor will be expelled from the competition with no registration money refunded.
22. Changes may occur during the competition. Information regarding changes will be placed on the website [www.cpdoztag.com.au](http://www.cpdoztag.com.au) & on the notice wall at competition venue.

**As a delegate it is your responsibility to inform all your players of the above rules and conditions and any other information that we give you throughout the season. If you have any complaints or questions you are to speak to THE COMPETITION CONVENOR.**

### **Central Perth District Oztag JUNIORS Information**

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