

LYNWOOD UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB



REGISTRATION TERMS AND CONDITIONS 2025

In addition to the Football Federation Australia (FFA) Terms and Conditions associated with playing football in Australia, the following Terms and Conditions are relevant to Lynwood United Football Club Members:

- 'Club' means Lynwood United Football Club
- 'LUFC' means Lynwood United Football Club
- 'Child' means child or ward (whichever is applicable).
- 'Member' means a registered player 18 years or older, or for registered players under 18 years, the parent(s)/guardian(s) listed in the Club's registration system, provided that person is 18 years or older.
- 'Player' means a person who is registered as a player in the Club's registration system.
- 'Policies' means the policies published by the Club on its web site and as amended from time to time.

Members are aware that playing football, observing football, learning to play football, training to play football, and participating in any activity carried out by the Club, are activities that inherently involve risk and that in undertaking these activities members and players do so at their own risk.

PERSONAL LIABILITY:

Members agree (on their own behalf and for their child and all other parents, guardians and relatives of their child if applicable), as a condition of their admission as a Player of the Club, to waive and release its office bearers, officials, coaches, managers, referees, Members, Players, agents and other volunteers from all liability whether in respect of injury, damage or loss or otherwise (howsoever caused) to their child, themselves or any other person, and whether that injury, damage or loss arises out of membership of the Club, playing football, observing football, learning to play football and training to play football, or negligence or other breach of duty of any nature whatsoever on the part of the Club, their representatives, office bearers, officials, coaches, managers, referees, Members, Players, agents and other volunteers, or otherwise.

Members understand and agree that nothing in their agreement to register with the Club purports to exclude any liability that may be owed by the Club or their representatives pursuant to the provisions of any relevant statute covering their activities and which may not be excluded by

agreement. To the extent that any part of this agreement may contravene any statute, members agree that such part of the agreement shall be severed and rendered void but the rest of the agreement will remain valid and continue to have full force and effect.

REGISTRATIONS AND FEE PAYMENT

The Club also reserves the right to not accept registrations due to non payment of fees from previous seasons, not completing all sections of registration, failure to abide by above mentioned Constitution, Policies, Rules, By-Laws and Code of Conduct or for offensive or discriminatory comments made on any of our marketing platforms, not limited to or excluding Facebook and Instagram. Other factors may also affect the acceptance of a Player's acceptance at the time of registration and will be at the absolute discretion of the Club's Registrar with the support of the LUFC Committee.

Players will not be permitted to play until online registration is complete and full membership fees are paid unless explicitly invited in writing by Club Management to train with us.

Player registrations will close at the commencement of the playing season or when teams have reached capacity, whichever occurs first.

Members understand that all players participating in 8s-18s teams will be graded/placed in teams in accordance with Club policy. Allocation of players to specific teams is at the sole discretion of the Club. Friendship requests will be considered but are NOT guaranteed.

Cutoff date to advise the club of an application for a Kidsport voucher for use as a payment method for the 2025 player fees will be 31st March, 2025. It can take up to 3 weeks for vouchers to be approved. Therefore, vouchers need to have been applied for and approved before the season commences, unless otherwise arranged with the Club Treasurer in writing via the club email lynwoodunited@gmail.com

Only applications submitted with the appropriate fee will be accepted. The membership fee will be refunded if the Club is unable to accept the registration less any bank charges or fees incurred.

Earlybird discount is valid until 9th February, 2025. If players have registered under the Earlybird product, that product must be paid in full before the 9th February 2025. If the registration is unpaid as of 10th February 2025, the full fee will be due and payable. An invoice will be sent from the Club showing the full amount payable and with payment instructions. Fees must be paid in full and registrations made active before a player can play any games.

REFUNDS

Members understand that requests for a refund of registration fees must be in writing to the Club Registrar via the club email lynwoodunited@gmail.com. The LUFC Committee will decide what, if any, refund shall be provided. In general, refunds *may* be approved for a member before any activities commence for the season and before the first game is played for the season. Once grading or training commences, players have been allocated to a team or playing kit has been issued, refunds are at the *absolute discretion* of the Management Committee, which shall consider each case on its merits. Players who choose to move to another club once team allocation is underway will be unlikely to receive any club fee refund, as this causes immense disruption to the team and the Club.

USE OF PERSONAL DETAILS

Members authorise the Club to release their email details to the Coach, Program Manager, Team Manager, and any other necessary party internal to the Club. This may also include an email distribution client for the purpose of the Club sending periodic emails in relation to club events and notices.

SOCIAL MEDIA & PHOTOGRAPHY

Members authorise the Club to use photographs or videos of them and/or their child (if not otherwise advised at registration) in Club communications, including articles and events on the Club website, social media and other similar platforms. Any photographs or videos so shared by the Club, maybe subsequently be shared beyond the Club's platforms.

Members understand that the Club may publish any media for the purpose of promoting any or all club related events. LUFC promotes responsible social media use and any offensive or discriminatory comments will be removed. If offensive or discriminatory comments emanate from a Player and/or guardian, the Player and/or guardian will be disciplined as deemed appropriate by the LUFC Committee. This includes comments or posts that contradict the Club's Code of Conduct or Football West's Code of Behaviour.

EXPECTATIONS OF PARENTS

Members understand that we are a community club with a heavy reliance on parent-support. Over the course of the season we will make reasonable requests to all Players' parents to give their assistance freely with activities such as the set-up of grounds, 'running the line', team-management and helping with the club barbeque and other events. This generosity of time and spirit has contributed greatly to a Club culture that we all enjoy. If you

feel you are unable or unwilling to assist on an ongoing basis please consider seriously if we are the club for you.

ACCEPTANCE OF CLUB TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Members agree (on their own behalf and for their child and all other parents/guardians or relatives of their child if applicable) that they have familiarised themselves with, and will abide by and be bound by, the Club's Constitution, Policies, Rules, By-Laws and Code of Conduct, as published and amended from time to time. Members acknowledge that failure to do so may result in the termination of their membership and de-registration from the Club, at the absolute discretion of the LUFC committee.

Members agree that players (on their own behalf and for their child) allocated to a LUFC team shall commit to making all reasonable efforts to attend and participate in training and match days for the benefit and development of the entire team.