Glenmore Park FC

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Dear Glenmore Park FC Players and Parents

RE: Welcome to the 2015 Season – Online Registrations

Firstly, I would like to take this chance to welcome you to the 2015 football season. I have outlined some changes for the new season below:-

2015 Executive Committee and Non General Committee Positions

President Vice President Secretary Treasurer Competition Secretary Miniroos Coordinator Coaching Coordinator Merchandise Coordinator Assistant Secretary Graham Moore Richard Schotanus John Liepa Melissa Xuereb Carly de St Germain Andrew Xuereb Rod Carley Kelly Watkins Jess Gibson

It is an exciting year for the club with the introduction of a new playing strip for all age groups. All players from Under 8 and above will receive a pair of shorts with their registration.

The Competition will commence on 28-29 March 2015 for most competitions. Premier League and 10 Team Competitions will commence on 21-22 March 2015.

As with previous years Nepean Football Association (NFA) will offer all age groups for female football, however if insufficient registrations are received they will revert to Under 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, All Age Ladies, Over 30's Ladies.

There are changes to the way Working with Children (WWC) Checks are to be completed. From 2015 any volunteers who work directly with children must obtain a WWC registration number. Instructions on how to do this are on the clubs web page obtained using an online registration process. It is the clubs policy that all Coaches and Managers for teams from Under 5 to All Age must obtain a WWC clearance or they will not be able to coach or manage a team.

Coaches and Managers of junior teams are also encouraged to undertake a Grassroots training course run by NFA. Dates of courses will be published on the clubs web page. It is always very daunting when you take on a coaching responsibility for the first time and the Grassroots course is designed provide new coaches with some valuable tips on running sessions and developing future stars. Nepean Football Association (NFA) also offers more advanced courses for coaches and information can be found on their website.

Fees – this year we have changed our fees to a two tier system to encourage early registration. Fees are attached.

Early Bird Fee if paid online by 14 February 2015 (fees remain the same as the 2014 Season) Late Fee paid if paid from 15 February 2015

I would also like to let you know that Registrations will be open from Friday 2 January 2014.

Registrations will be completed via the National Online Registration System; MyFootballClub. The system allows players to register and pay individually online.

Attached you will find a Step by Step guide on how to complete a registration online. The steps are easy to follow, and your information has been pre-populated into the system, so that it can take about 2 minutes to complete.

The club will still be holding registration/information days at Floribunda Community Centre, Glenmore Park on the following dates:-

Sunday 1 February 2015 10:00am – 2:00pm Sunday 8 February 2015 10:00am – 2:00pm Saturday 14 February 2015 10:00am – 2:00pm

Please ensure that you have followed the steps attached and have completed a self registration **before** the above dates. As a returning player if you have registered and paid online and don't require a photo taken it is not compulsory for you to attend a registration/information day.

If you haven't paid online or require a photo (turning 6, 9, 12, 15 or 18) you will have an invoice emailed to you. Please print this out and bring to the registration day as proof of registration if you are paying or need a photo.

You will also be able to make registration enquiries and purchase gear on the above dates.

All teams will be finalised Sunday 22 February 2015. A new process will be trialled this year and information will be available on the website and at registration days.

Muster Day will held on Saturday 7 March where all kits will be handed out and coaches and Managers finalised. Please note registrations will not be accepted on Muster day this year.

In the meantime if you have any queries regarding the new process or any other matters please email <u>admin@glenmoreparkfootball.com.au</u>

Please also consider providing some assistance to your Club and the Committee whether it is by helping at registration days, Muster Day, Line marking fields, setup and closing at either Blue Hills or Ched Towns, preparing rosters, and/or helping out where needed. If you want to be more involved in the running of the Club or want to give back to the community we are always after more Committee Members. Just remember any assistance whether it is great or small will only make the club better and give you the satisfaction of seeing happy players on the field.

I wish you and your families all the best for the festive season and look forward to an enjoyable and successful 2015 both on and off the pitch.

Yours sincerely

Graham Moore President Glenmore Park Football Club Inc