



SANFL COMMUNITY FOOTBALL

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN PLAYER REGISTRATION FEE

From November 1st, 2023 SANFL will increase the Player Registration Fee by \$7.50 for all registered Club Participants in Football in SA. The fee will be charged at the time of registration on the PlayHQ Membership platform and will be compulsory for all players across SA to become registered for the upcoming season.

The fee will be charged in two categories – Senior Football Player (18yo and above) and Junior Football Player (below 18yo) based on the player’s age at Jan 1st in the year of competition.

Senior Player Registration Fee - \$27.50

Junior Player Registration Fee - \$22.50

This is the first increase of this fee since 2021 and is in line with the rising costs to support, promote and administer the game.

Supporting the Future of Football in SA





The increase of the Player Registration Fee will enable SANFL to continue and grow its investment in supporting and promoting Community Football in South Australia. SANFL has been heavily involved in supporting the development and growth of football at all levels throughout the state, and the Player Registration Fee contributes significantly to its ongoing capacity to ensure it remains sustainable.

The Registration Fee allows SANFL to invest into Community Football via staff resources and systems including:

- Facilities, Government Funding and Relations
- Governance and Compliance
- Game Development initiatives including Auskick, Schools, Carnivals and FDCs
- Coach development and education initiatives
- Improving match day environments for all participants
- Systems support - PlayHQ
- Commercial – apparel, footballs, naming rights (National Pharmacies)
- Talented Player Pathways and State Academies
- AFL / SANFL Talent Payments.
- Umpire participation initiatives and talent pathways
- Integrity, Tribunals, Human Resources and Member Protection

By Comparison*

Football is the number 1 club participation sport in the state and has long been the most affordable sport to play in South Australia. SANFL will continue to deliver the sport to a high standard in South Australia, providing opportunities for everyone to be involved in our great game whilst endeavouring to keep costs as low as possible.

AFL (SA) 	Netball 	Soccer 	Hockey 	Basketball 
\$27.50 Snr Player	\$135.35 Snr Player	\$90 Player	\$47 Snr player	\$42.75 player
\$22.50 Jnr Player	\$105.61 Jnr Player	(SA Amateur Soccer)	\$35 Jnr player	

* Fee comparison is based on fees paid directly to the state sporting bodies. Information has been provided by participants and may vary.