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## **LRFC.POL.006      GAME LEADER AND INSTRUCTING REFEREE PROGRAM**

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### **1. Purpose**

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To encourage young club members to participate in the day to day running of club by performing various duties including Game Leader and/or Instructing Referee for the younger teams.

### **2. Requirements**

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To be eligible for the Game Leader and Instructing Referee program, the individual must register online at My Football Club as a Volunteer – Game Leader, be between the ages of 9 and 17 years of age, be authorised by the current LRFC Committee to take part in the program, have completed designated training, have read this Policy and pending numbers, accept a roster system for each home game round.

### **3. Definitions**

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Game Leader: An individual that has applied online at My Football Club and has been accepted to participate in the Game Leader and Instructing Referee program by the current LRFC Committee and is willing to fulfil the duties of Game Leader and/or Instructing Referee as and when directed or rostered.

### **4. Procedure**

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Applications to join the Game Leader and Instructing Referee program must be made online at My Football Club.

The Application will then be voted on by the LRFC Committee at the first available opportunity. The decision will then be communicated to the applicant and their Parent by a LRFC committee member. On commencement of the season a roster will be drawn up with aiming to provide all participants with equal opportunity to participate. The Program is aimed at developing the refereeing skills of all participant's.

If accepted into the Game Leader program the participant will be issued with a game whistle and Game Leader or Instructing Referees vest. The participant will need to bring these to each game they are required to referee. The whistle will be the participants to keep, but the vest will remain the property of LRFC and will need to be returned cleaned, to any LRFC Committee member at the end of the current season.

Once accepted into the program the participant will be entitled to receive, for every complete game they referee on a rostered home game day, one \$5 (U6, U7, U8 & U9 Games) or \$10 (U10 and U11 Games) cash payment and be issued with one drink voucher and one hot food voucher redeemable at LRFC Canteen. To obtain the vouchers the applicant must see the Referees Coordinator or Game Day Official at the conclusion of their game. The Referees Coordinator or Game Day Official will issue them with the appropriate vouchers that will be redeemable at the LRFC Canteen. Vouchers are only valid until 3pm the day of the LRFC annual presentation in the year they were issued.

All participants rostered to referee must report to the Referees Coordinator or Game Day Official at least 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start time of their Game. He/She must then collect the game ball, be provided a Game Leader or Instructing Referee's vest and be ready on the field, 5 minutes before the scheduled start time.

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### Club Policy

Once the game is complete the Participant must return the game ball and vest to the Referees Coordinator or Game Day Official and collect their vouchers, which may be redeemed at the LRFC Canteen.

#### 5. Accountabilities

Online Lodgement of Application – Applicant’s Parent

Approval process – LRFC Registrar / LRFC Committee / Referees Coordinator

#### 6. References

<http://www.myfootballclub.com.au/index.php?id=172>

#### 7. Control and Revision History

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