



Swans DFDC Inclusions to Bylaws and Competition Rules 2015

1. **Further to Bylaw 11** - Players, who in season 2015, who seek to play up the allowed one year age bracket from their designated age bracket permanently for the season, shall apply to the JCC Executive using the Play Up Application Form.
2. **With respect to the E-Point System in 2015** - Final consideration on the loss of E-Points is made by the JCC Executive, after considering the match report documentation and any other matters.
3. **With respect to Bylaw 25.1 (for Junior competitions only – Yr 3 to Yr 6)** – Where there are uneven player numbers, but the combined number is less than 30 players, all players should participate in the match. Teams should share the extra player, alternating each quarter i.e. 14/15, 15/14, 14/15, 15/14. Teams **MUST** alternate the extra player between sides. Bylaw 25.3 penalties will apply for non-compliance of this ruling.
4. **With respect to all Swans JCC matches** – (The current AFL/WAFL rules will not apply)
 - Kick in for behinds can only occur once the flag is waved for a point.
 - No free kick for a deliberate rushed behind will apply.

Flow Chart Rules and Junior Competitions

1. **Year 3 Competition in Swans District** - The Year 3 Competition shall be played as per the 2015 AFL Junior Rules Flow Chart for Year 3 except for:
 - a. **Play 4 quarters, each no more than 15 minutes (minimum 10 minutes)**
 - b. **For marks awarded, playing on not allowed. Opposition player encouraged to stand on the mark.**
 - c. **For free kicks awarded, playing on not allowed. Opposition player encouraged to stand on the mark.**
2. **Year 4 & 5 Competitions in Swans District** - The Year 4 & 5 Competitions shall be played as per the 2015 AFL Junior Rules Flow Chart for Years 4 & 5 except for:
 - a. **For free kicks awarded, playing on not allowed. Opposition player encouraged to stand on the mark.**
 - b. **Playing on is allowed for marks.**
3. **Year 7 Competition in the Swans District** – Shall be played as per the AFL Youth Football Rules for the Years 8-9 competitions, except that competition fairest and best and competition goal scorers shall not be applicable.