# **CIRCULAR**



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## **Summary:**

Information below on the AFLX Tournament to be held Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> February 2020.

Any **NEW** women's side wishing to join the competition in 2020 must register and participate in this tournament.

## Action:

Interested Clubs need to submit a nomination online by 10 February 2020

The Perth Football League together with the Bayswater Football Club will be conducting an AFLX tournament on Saturday 22 February 2020 at Pat O'Hara Reserve in Morley.

#### **Nomination**

Nominations will only be accepted from Perth Football League Clubs. Clubs wishing to participate are required to complete the online form at the link below by 10 February 2020.

## Click the link to register

https://www.123formbuilder.com/form-4479135/aflx

#### Cost

Team entry fee is \$200

## **Divisions**

- Senior Men's
- Senior Women's
- Colts

## **Fixtures**

Teams will play 3 round-robin matches plus a final over the space of approximately 3 hours.

## **Player registration**

All players participating in the tournament must be registered on Sports TG with the Perth Football League club they are playing for in 2020.

## **Umpires**

A field umpire will be supplied for all matches. Clubs are required to supply a goal umpire.

## **Playing Uniforms**

Players must wear the registered playing uniform of their club.

#### **Insurance**

This is a Perth Football League sanctioned event and as such participating clubs and players are covered under their JLT insurance policy.

## First Aid/Trainers

A First Aid Officer will be supplied at the venue. The First Aid Officer will not be available for player strapping and massage. If this is required, clubs are encouraged to provide their own trainer.

Water carriers are not permitted on the field.

## **AFLX Explained**

AFLX as a fast-paced, high-octane version of the game and is being compared by many to Twenty20 Cricket.

Some modifications have been made for the tournament:

- a) The match is played on a soccer/rugby-sized rectangular field.
- b) Teams of seven (plus seven on the bench with unlimited rotations).
- c) Fast, free-flowing footy.
- d) One umpire, no centre bounces, kick-ins from behind the goal line after all scores.
- e) Last touch out-of-bounds free kick.
- f) Two 10-minute halves with a two-minute break at half-time.
- g) 10 points for goals outside 40m.
- h) At least two players from each team must start each half inside each 40m area.
- i) No marks paid on backwards kicks.

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