



2019 Junior Regionals FAQ

Are players allowed to wear compression/thermals whilst playing?

Yes, but it must be underneath the official regional playing uniform.

Are referees allowed to wear compression/thermals whilst refereeing?

Yes, but it must be underneath the official referee uniform.

Do we stop play if the temperature drops to 7 degrees?

NSWTA is monitoring local weather reports according to the Bureau of Meteorology throughout the days leading into the event. In the event of extreme cold weather on event days, NSWTA will assess the state of the play based on the following 2 conditions:

- a) Temperature dropping below eight (8) degrees Celsius; AND
- b) Playing surface is deemed to be excessively slippery from frost, snow, rain or mud.

If both of the above conditions are assessed and deemed too hazardous to continue play, NSWTA will adjust the match schedule accordingly and advise all participants as soon as possible of any changes. For more information on weather affected matches and rescheduling, please read [Section 11.27 on Page 33 of the 2019-20 NSWTA General Conditions of Entry](#).

Can we bring and use our own gas heater in our tents?

There is to be no gas heaters permitted for use on-site. Electrical heaters may be permitted with use of a portable generator. Prior approval must be sought from NSWTA.

Are there any changes to the Opening Ceremony?

The Opening Ceremony traditionally held prior to the first timeslot of matches on Saturday morning is now rescheduled to be held at 1:00pm. The 1:00pm timeslot will be delayed by 15 minutes to accommodate this. Every subsequent timeslot will also be delayed by 15 minutes.

It is compulsory for all Regional Club Captains and Regional Coordinators to be present for the official proceedings. All regional participants and spectators are expected to be in attendance.

When and where are the Presentations?

The presentations for Grand Finalists and Under 12 to Under 16 Merit Teams will occur following each Grand Final. These will be held within the Waratah Sports Club. Please note that football boots or dirty shoes will not be permitted to be worn inside. The Good Sports Award and Regional Championship will be awarded at the final set of presentations.

Will the Under 18 NSWTA Development Teams be announced at the Presentations?

No, the NSWTA Development Teams will not be announced until after the confirmation of all the Under 18 NSW school teams (CCC, CHS, CIS).

