



Caboolture Cup Conditions of Entry

8th June 2025

1. Divisions and Age Requirements

Divisions

18 years and Under (Boys & Girls)
16 years and Under (Boys & Girls)
14 years and Under (Boys & Girls)
12 years and Under (Boys & Girls)
10 years and Under (Boys & Girls)

Age Requirements

Born on or after 1st January 2007
Born on or after 1st January 2009
Born on or after 1st January 2011
Born on or after 1st January 2013
Born on or after 1st January 2015

2. Fees and Nominations

2.1. Each team is required to supply 1 referee for each team nominate. Please refer to referee section for more information regarding referee expectations.

2.2 Team nominations must be received by the close of business on Friday 16th May 2025, via the form link *INSERT LINK HERE*.

2.3 All participants must complete online registration before they are to take the field.
(Links will be sent out to affiliates once team nominations have closed)

3. Tournament Control

3.1. The tournament committee is in control of all matters relating to this tournament. This committee and the tournament director will determine items not covered in the 'Conditions of Entry'. The tournament committee hold the right to amend or change any conditions of entry. Teams will be informed of any changes that are made.

4. Referees

4.1. All Teams MUST supply 1 referee per team for the competition with their nomination, minimum Level 1 for U10 - U12 and Minimum Level 2 for U14 - U18.

4.2. All delegates will be contacted by the Caboolture Touch Association Referee Technical Director (RTD) with further details closer to the event.

4.3. The RTD will have authority over referees in matters pertaining to the tournament during the course of the day. Team nominated referees will be required to officiate on a minimum of 3 or 4 games during the day or team points will be forfeited for each commitment not met.



5. Team Eligibility

5.1 This event is for representative teams from TFA affiliated competitions only. It is the responsibility of each affiliate to ensure that their players and officials are registered and fully financial members of all affiliated bodies.

5.2 To be eligible to participate, players must have played in an affiliated Season 2 (2024) or Season 1 (2025) competition with the affiliate they are representing at this tournament.

5.3 Boys may only play in the boys' division and girls may only play in the girls' division. The TFA Accident Insurance Scheme covers all players and officials who have met the insurance criteria for a current TFA affiliated competition.

6. Player Eligibility

6.1 For Finals To be eligible to participate in the final's series, players must have participated in at least two round games.

7. Coaches

7.1 Coaches are not permitted to coach or call instructions from behind the score line and must remain in the sub box. They may choose to stand at an end of the field, but they must remain silent. This rule applies to all members of a team, including parents, staff, and other team members.

8. Playing times

8.1 *Round Games*: All round games in the event will be 14 minutes each way with a two-minute half time break, and five minutes between games. Caboolture Touch reserves the right to alter the duration of games based on any specific requirement and in the best interests of Player welfare.

8.2 *Finals Series*: Matches All final series matches will be 14 minutes each way with a two-minute half time break, and 10 minutes between games. There is no 'time off' for serious injury during any Round Matches or Finals.

8.3 All finals games will result in an outright winner. In the event of a drawn match at the end of full-time, a drop off will determine the match winner. Drop off protocol can be found in 8th Edition TFA Playing Rules (Appendix 5).



9. Code of Conduct

9.1 It is the responsibility of the team managers and or affiliate coordinators to be responsible for, and proactive towards, the good behaviour of players, coaches, managers and spectators. The tournament committee will not tolerate abuse towards officials, referees or players. The spirit of the game will not be compromised at this event.

9.2 Coaches or managers who have received an official warning from the tournament committee, or a representative of the committee, will incur the following:

9.2.1 Second offence - Loss of 2 competition points for their team

9.2.2 Third offence - Team disqualification

10. Competition Format

10.1 A round robin format will be used for preliminary games.

10.2 Where pools are required, cross over semi-finals will be played.

10.3 Positions for the finals will be determined by:

- Teams with the highest points at the completion of round games
- If equal - For and against
- If equal - Result of round game
- If equal - Percentages
- If drawn - Drop off iv. Drop offs will be played for all finals matches where required.

11. Competition Points & Rules

11.1 Points will be allocated as 3 (win), 2 (draw), 1 (loss) & 0 (bye) (forfeits will incur a -5-score result).

11.2 All games will be played under the TFA 8th edition rules. Under 10s will be played under the JSC rules set by QTF.

11.3 Scores and results will be published on MySideline.



12. Exclusion Zones

12.1 Spectators are not permitted into areas where fields are situated side by side. This area is reserved for players and officials. Managers are required to ask spectators supporting their teams to vacate these areas during the course of games.

13. Medical

13.1 Each association or team is responsible for the provision of medical assistance for their teams at the tournament.

13.2 First Aid will be available from CTA for the treatment of minor injuries sustained at this tournament, not for strapping of injuries, pre-existing conditions or rub downs.

14. Tents

14.1 Please respond in the nomination form if you're bringing a tent. If you do not indicate you're bringing a tent, we may be unable to allocate space for your affiliate. A map will be provided in a general information booklet prior with tent locations.

15. Wet Weather

15.1 In the event of wet weather, Caboolture Touch Association will contact the nominated representative from affiliate immediately once a decision has been made.