



SECTION 23 – TIME KEEPER (S) BY – LAWS

1. The home / host team must supply a Timekeeper with the visiting Team having the right to also supply one (1) Timekeeper (this does not apply to the Under9 U10 and the Under 11 Competition) Timekeeper for this competition is supplied by the competition.
2. The Timekeeper of the Home / Host team will be responsible to keep a third Scorecard (RF0410) for the Association to be used if the Goal Umpires Scorecards (RF0410) does not correspond. This Scorecard (RF0410) must be submitted with the Match results (this does not apply to the Under9, U10 and Under11 competition).
3. Timers must be used for timing of quarters. Umpires must be notified of Timekeeper's locality.
4. Timekeepers are to be of a responsible age and only those performing this duty are allowed in the Timekeeper's area.
5. In the case of Finals games, the responsibility for supplying of Timekeepers shall be that of the Club which is hosting each Final (this does not apply to the Under9, U10 and Under11 competition).
6. Any Team not ready to start at the appointed time or within three (3) minutes of the Field Umpire entering the Playing Arena, whichever shall be the later; the Club of the offending Team will have a penalty imposed of \$100.00 for the first offence, second offence \$250.00 and third & subsequent offences \$500.00.
7. In the event of a Team not ready to start at the appointed time, the Match Manager shall report the reason on the Match / Team / Interchange Form (RF 310) of such Team.
8. The Match Manager has the power to shorten the quarters if he/she feels time has been wasted or needs to pickup lost time but can only do this before the quarter begins and must inform both Coaches and Umpires before doing so.
9. The Field Umpire can stop the Game if a Player needs to be taken from the ground via a Stretcher. In this instance, only the Match Manager can signal the Clock to be stopped and add the time lost back to the playing time.
10. If a Stretcher is called to take a player from the relevant AFL Law of Australian Football shall be followed.