



AREA AGREEMENT

South Gippsland Junior Football Competition & Mid Gippsland Football League

This agreement is signed pursuant to the AFL Victoria Rules and Regulations pertaining to clearances and permits and in particular clause 2.10 whereby an interchange of players between Clubs of the above-mentioned leagues/competitions may take place without a clearance and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement. As per the national Transfer regulations, Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement.

This agreement can only be conducted one way – South Gippsland Junior Football Competition to Mid Gippsland Football League

AFL VIC COUNTRY RULES:

- Season 2021 Only *Paul Vaughan*
- (i) That this Agreement is in force for the current season only.
 - (ii) That the player(s) concerned are acquainted with AFL Victoria Country regulations 2.1 and 2.5 regarding one day permits to Major Leagues and eight (8) matches.
 - (iii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a type two (2) permit. The permit shall be in triplicate similar to a one day permit form and dispersed as required under Regulation 2.1 of AFL Victoria Country Rules and Regulations.
 - (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless he/she has previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show his/her registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
 - (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
 - (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Football Development Manager.
 - (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) games in the team of the grade in which he/she has been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements

LOCAL CONDITIONS:

1. That this agreement is only for players in the age group of "Under 14".
2. All permits from SGJFC to MGFL must be done via a Type 2 Interchange permit and can be dated for the entire season.
3. This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players under 16 are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.
4. The number of players interchanged between the SGJFC and the MGFL under this agreement shall be limited to a maximum of 6 on any one day.
5. Players under this agreement must register with the SGJFC and **play on permit with only one MGFL club**. The MGFL club can access up to ten (10) players during the course of the season. Once a SGJFC player has played or registered for a permit with a MGFL club they are ineligible to play for another MGFL club and ineligible player penalties will apply if they take the field for a second MGFL club.
6. In relation to the Home and Away season and the Finals, a player will be permitted to play two (2) games on the same weekend under this agreement but not on the same day.
7. Any player selected to play Interleague matches shall not be granted a match permit by his club/league on that day.
8. In relation to AFL Victoria regulation 2.1 regarding one day permits to Major Leagues and eight (8) matches, SGJFC players shall be exempt from the 8 match rule under this agreement between a junior league (SGJFC) & a major league (MGFL) as per the clause in rule 2.1.
9. Any player reported under this agreement will be dealt with by the league he is playing in. It is further agreed that the administrator of each league shall take the necessary steps to ensure adequate recording of effected player's movements and shall advise as a matter of urgency, Independent Tribunal decisions in cases of permit players charged with field offences.


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Mid Gippsland Football League Inc.
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