

Technical Foul – Ejection Policy Juniors

Overview

In keeping with the Codes of Behaviour for the Wanneroo Basketball Association, the use of obscene language, abuse or unacceptable behaviour is strictly prohibited and will not be tolerated.

Policy Position

The Wanneroo Basketball Association Board and Domestic Club Presidents wish to eliminate poor behaviour by enforcing tough penalties on any players, coaches or officials who receive a Technical Foul for offensive or abusive language.

Technical Foul – Definition:

A technical foul is a player non-contact foul of a behavioural nature including, but not limited to:

- Disrespectfully communicating with the officials, the commissioner, the table officials or the opponent.
- Using language or gestures likely to offend or incite.

Any obscenity or dissent whether at another player, official, coach or yourself will result in a Technical Foul.

Notification:

The Referee Supervisor/Games Manager on duty will advise the player and coach at the end of the game or the Competition & Programs Manager will notify a Club Official (Domestic).



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Penalties

Players:

- Any Player that receives 1 (one) Technical Foul in a WBA Junior Domestic Competition match, will receive a recorded Technical Foul in Sports TG.
 - This will act as the first warning and clubs will be notified.
- Any player that receives a 2nd Technical Foul in the same Junior Domestic Season will receive a one (1) game suspension from Junior Domestic Competition.
- Any player that received a subsequent 3rd Technical Foul in the same Junior Domestic Season will receive a three (3) week Suspension from the Junior Domestic Competition and is to be upheld by the club the player represents.
- Any Player that receives a fourth Technical Foul in a WBA Junior Domestic Competition match, in the same season will be reported to the Tribunal for sanctioning.
- Clubs will be notified of each Technical Foul recorded.

Coaches:

- Any coach that receives 2 x Technical Fouls (and ejected as a result) in any game for uses of audible or visual obscenities will receive a one (1) week suspension Domestic competitions, to be upheld by the club the player represents.
- Any coach that is ejected twice in the same season will receive a three-week suspension both from WABL (if applicable) and Domestic competitions, to be upheld by the club you represent.
- Any coach that is ejected more than twice in the same season will be reported to the Tribunal for sanctioning.

Penalty Dates are not able to be changed:

The suspension will be served the following game or games after the offence occurs .

Any appeals will be solely at the discretion of WBA Management.



See [WBA By-laws](#): Appendix 6 –
No Zone Policy