

# **DUBBO TOUCH SENIOR REP INFORMATION PACK**

## Senior Representative Program – Information Pack 2025/2026

## OVERVIEW

The Dubbo Touch Senior representative program offers players the opportunity to compete at higher levels in a competitive and supportive environment. While the program requires a strong commitment from players, coaches and managers, it aims to promote enjoyment, growth and skill development in the sport of touch football.

This information pack outlines key details for the 2025/2026 Dubbo Touch Senior Representative Program including:

- Coach appointments
- Tournament schedules
- Training and Trials details
- Levy and payment information
- Code of Conduct

## PLAYER COMMITMENTS

All players selected un the Dubbo Touch representative teams are expected to:

- Attended all scheduled training sessions
- Be available for tournaments
- Abide by the Code of Conduct and Representative Player and Selection Policy
- Meet all financial obligations by the require deadlines

Players must review this pack carefully and ensure they can meet these commitments prior to registering. If any issues arise, they should be discussed promptly with the Rep Coordinator as failure to do so may jeopardise your position in the team.

## PLAYER REGISTRATION PROCESS

To register for the 2025/2026 Dubbo Touch Senior Representative Program:

- 1. Read and understand all information contained in this pack.
- 2. Agree to comply with the Code of Conduct and Representative Player and Selection Policy
- 3. Complete the online registration form by Friday, 27 June 2025.

Note: Failure to complete the registration process above will result in ineligibility to trial.

## ELIGIBILITY

All players must be registered or intend to register in the 2025/2026 Dubbo Touch competitions (Junior, Women's and Winter or Summer Mixed or Men's).

## **COACH APPOINTMENTS**

Coach appointments for the 2025/2026 Senior Representative Program:

Division	Coach	
Men's 20s	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	
Women's 20s	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	
Mixed Opens	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	
Men's 30/40s	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	
Women's	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	
Opens/30s		
Men's 50s	To Be Confirmed – Announcement June 2025	

#### **TEAM MANAGERS**

Expressions of interest for team managers will be called for following team announcements. All representative teams must have an assigned team manager to be eligible for tournament entry.

Coaches and/or managers will contact players directly and coordinate a platform for team communication.

Note: For Open and Under 20's teams who have players Under 18 years of age, communication will be through the 'Stack Team App'. A parent/guardian must be a member of the chat group. To access, download the Stack Team App search 'Dubbo Touch Rep' and request to become a member of the representative team.

## TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

NSW Touch Country Championships 18 and 19 October 2025, Mudgee

Hornets Regional Championships 15 and 16 November 2025, Location TBC

<u>NSW Touch State Cup</u> 5, 6 and 7 December 2025, Port Macquarie

#### TRIALS AND SELECTIONS

Representative trials will be held in **July 2025**, if required. All prospective players are encouraged to attend. Players unable to attend must submit a written explanation to the

Rep Coordinator via <u>info@dubbotouch.com</u> before the trial in order to be considered for selection.

## TRAINING EXPECTATIONS

Training sessions are compulsory for selected players. Training dates and time will be set by coaches and communicated before trials. Attendance is critical to team preparation.

## **COST BREKDOWN**

#### **Dubbo Touch Rep Player Levy:**

TOURNAMENT	APPROX. REP PLAYER LEVY (TBC)	DUE DATE
NSW Touch Country Championships	\$73	Friday 15 August 2025
Hornets Championships	\$81	Friday 3 October 2025
NSW Touch State Cup	\$118	Friday 24 October 2025

The Rep Player Levy includes referee/coach payments and accommodation, training equipment, coaching courses, presentation etc. Payments are to be made through the Stack Team App > Dubbo Touch > Store > Rep Player Levy – Tournament by the due date to be eligible to play.

#### **Tournament Registration Fees:**

TOURNAMENT	APPROX.	APPROX. DUE DATE
	<b>REGISTRATION COST</b>	
NSW Touch Country Championships	\$87	October 2025
Hornets Championships	\$80	November 2025
NSW Touch State Cup	\$122	November 2025

Players and/or parents are responsible for registering via the 'Mysideline' link provided by the team manager.

## Travel and Accommodation:

Players and/or parents are responsible for their own travel and accommodation arrangements.

## UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS

Dubbo Touch has partnered with Struddy's for a two year uniform supply agreement (2024/2025 – 2025/2026).

Please note players who participated in the 2024/2025 rep season and already have the mandatory uniform will not be required to purchase uniform unless an item has been lost or a different size is required.

#### Mandatory items:

WOMEN		MEN	
ITEM	APPROX COSTS	ITEM	APPROX COSTS
Playing Singlet	\$35.50	Playing Shirt	\$40
Playing Tights or	\$41 or	Playing Shorts	\$31
Playing Shorts	\$31		
Socks	\$11	Socks	\$11

## **Optional Merchandise:**

ITEM	APPROX COSTS	
Off Field Long Sleeve T-Shirt	\$45	
Hat	\$18.50	
Visor	\$18.50	
Hoodie	\$60	
Backpack	\$45	
Supporters Shirt	\$50	
Budgy Smuggler Bucket Hat	\$40	

#### **Uniform Ordering:**

- Once teams are announced, players will place uniform orders via Struddy's Online Shop Open: Sunday 28 July 2025 Close: Friday 15 August 2025
- Uniform collection: Sunday 12 October 2025.

## **REP PLAYER REFEREE PROGRAM**

Dubbo Touch encourages representative players to complete the 'Affiliate' referee course and become qualified referees.

Badged referees are paid:

- Junior Competition: \$10 per game
- Senior Competition: \$15 per game

Referees will be mentored by the Referee Directors. This initiative support player development and deepens their understanding of the game and rules.

#### SENIOR REP PRESENTATION

The representative presentation day will be held in March 2026. Final details will be communicated via team managers.

## FURTHER ENQUIRIES

Please contact the Rep Coordinators:

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