



Westside Hotel Summer Touch Competitions 2021-2022

The Dubbo Touch Association will be offering Senior Mixed and Men's summer touch competitions from December 2021 to March 2022.

In keeping with the NSW Touch COVID return to play policies we have made changes to the way we will conduct the Senior Competition. For the summer competition this means we will be hosting a slightly shorter competition than usual with 13 round games and one final round where teams 1st and 2nd on the ladder at the end of round games will play in the grand final. For more information regarding the Dubbo Touch Association COVID policy visit www.dubbotouch.com.

Online registrations for the 2021-2022 Senior Summer Competition will be open from 18 October 2021 and close 5pm on Friday 15 November. Team nominations will close once our team limit is exhausted. We anticipate this will be early in the registration period due to the high demand from last season, Dubbo Touch encourages teams to register early to avoid disappointment.

Cost to play is \$90 per player. This amount is payable at the time of the online registration. No payment, you risk not being registered for the competition and will be unable to play.

To register visit <https://profile.mysideline.com.au/register/>.

The Mixed competition commences on Monday 6 December 2021. The Men's competition commences on Wednesday 1st December 2021. (Please see Competition Calendar attached for full list of dates). This will allow three rounds to be completed prior to Christmas.

Individual players

To register individuals will need to be invited by a team manager. If you are not associated with a team you need to contact Vicki and Michelle our Registrars at registrar@dubbotouch.com and we will endeavour to find a team for you. Please indicate whether you wish to play mixed or men's, what grade range and your contact details.

The registration process is the responsibility of the team manager and the individual that will be participating in the competition. Before the participant has completed the rego process they will need to create an NRL account. This is a unique username and password, please retain this for future registrations. DTA requires that each senior team has a designated Manager who is responsible for organising the team including communicating game times and field allocations, undertaking subbing and having a basic understanding of the rules of Touch Football to provide guidance to the team.

Late registrations will only be considered via an individual written request to the Competition Director outlining the reasons why you did not register before the deadline or in replacement of an already registered team member. Only legitimate reasons will be accepted.

Unacceptable reasons include;

- No Computer – Use a friend's or you can visit the Dubbo Library
- No Access to internet - As above
- No Email - Please use a next of kin's email
- Didn't have time - Not acceptable REMINDERS

Teams need a minimum of 12 players to qualify for competition. Uniforms with a number of the back for each player must be worn. After round 3 anyone not in uniform will not be able to take the field.

Duty Team requirements

All teams must meet the duty requirements for the competition which includes providing two individual willing to referee and/ or score each week. Individuals who will be doing duty must report to the clubhouse at least 5 minutes prior to the game to be ticked off as attending and to collect the scoreboard. Duty referees are required to wear a referee shirt if badged or otherwise an alternative shirt to be easily identifiable.

A failure to comply with the duty requirements will see teams lose 3 competition points. Dubbo Touch will endeavour to provide badge referees to assist duty team referees where possible however this is not guaranteed and individuals should be prepared to referee. Prior to registering please ensure you have individual/s willing to referee. (PLEASE BYO WHISTLE).

For any help or further assistance needed for registration please email attention Registrar to registrar@dubbotouch.com