



# WESTERN REGION FOOTBALL LEAGUE

## Application for Registration as a Trainer

I hereby apply for registration as an Accredited Trainer under WRFL Rules/By-laws for the **2014 season**. (See page 2 of this form for relevant WRFL By-laws).

**Full Name:**

**Address:**

**Contact Phone:** (H) (B) **(M)**

**Email:**

**Principal Club (1):**

**Principal activity:** Junior Trainer  Senior Trainer

(1) Principal Club is the WRFL club for which you usually provide trainer services. This club will be billed for your annual registration fee (\$10). Registered trainers may provide services to other clubs also.

### CURRENT ACCREDITATION HELD

- Please see page 2 of this form for a list of all current accreditations that are accepted by the WRFL*
- Application for registration will not be approved if accreditation expires on or before 30 June 2014.*

<input type="checkbox"/> SMA Level 1	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> SMA Level 2	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> Sports First Aid	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> Registered Nurse – Div 1	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> Workplace First Aid – Level 2	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced First Aid	Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (see page 2 of this form)	Details: Expiry Date: / /
<input type="checkbox"/> I have attached a copy of my current accreditation	<input type="checkbox"/> I have attached a colour JPEG passport-style photo

**All WRFL registered trainers are encouraged to be members of the WRFL Trainers' Association. The Association provides subsidised education and professional development opportunities and support for trainers. Membership is free of charge.**

I wish to apply for membership of the WRFL Trainers' Association (please insert "yes" or "No"):

Please complete this form with all relevant details and return with evidence of current accreditation and a JPEG passport-style photo to the WRFL office, attention to Lyn McLeod, either:

- Via email: L.McLeod@wrfl.asn.au
- In person Level 1 South, Whitten Oval, 417 Barkly Street, Footscray West

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**Office Use Only:**

Date: / /2014

Card issued:

Registration No:



## WRFL By-laws relevant to Trainers:

### 5.2 TRAINERS

**5.2.1** Clubs are permitted to appoint trainers from time to time and they shall act in accordance with the Rules and By-laws of the WRFL. No trainer shall be permitted to enter the playing arena except for the purpose of attending injured players, officials or umpires or delivering drinks to players or umpires and at no time shall more than five (5) trainers (inclusive of water persons) from any team be permitted on to the playing arena during home and away games and finals. All trainers must:

- a) wear white pants;
- b) wear a white top or club top;
- c) be over 16 years of age (inclusive of water persons);
- d) be accredited to a minimum Sports First Aider standard or higher (Sports Medicine Accreditation); and
- e) be registered with the WRFL in accordance with by-law 5.2.2.

If not accredited he/she can only act as a water person. Only accredited trainers shall sign the team sheet as trainers and shall act and be subject to all Rules and By-laws of the WRFL but cannot be ordered off.

### 5.2.2 Register of Accredited Trainers

No trainer shall officiate in any game until registered with the League. Registration will be required annually and will expire on 31 December each year. Each trainer's nominated club will be invoiced a registration fee of \$10.00 per trainer per year. Registration fees will be applied solely for the purpose of education, training and professional development of WRFL registered trainers, having regard to advice from the WRFL Trainers' Association.

### 5.2.3 Reporting of Trainers

Any accredited trainer may be reported but not sent from the ground.

### 5.2.4 Accreditation of Trainers

**5.2.4.1** Each home team shall have a minimum of one (1) accredited trainer at each game, if there is no such accredited trainer present at the game, the game shall not be played, unless the away team has an accredited trainer present. If the game is not played, the game shall be deemed to have been forfeited by the home team.

**5.2.4.2** ALL teams participating in ALL finals games shall supply a minimum of one (1) accredited trainer. If a club fails to supply one (1) accredited trainer included in the team sheet then and in that case that club shall forfeit that final.

## TRAINER QUALIFICATION CRITERIA

The following are the accepted qualifications for persons to be registered as trainers within the WRFL. Please note that any accreditation listed below must be current.

- Doctor
- S.M.A. Level 1
- S.M.A. Level 2
- Sports First Aid
- Advanced First Aid
- First Aid Trainer / Instructor
- Workplace First Aid – Level 2
- Workplace First Aid – Level 3
- Advanced Workplace
- First Aid – Level 2
- First Aid – Level 3
- St Johns Ambulance
- Ambulance Paramedic – Level 2
- St Johns, Red Cross and Ambulance – Level 2
- St Johns, Red Cross and Ambulance – Level 3
- Registered Nurse - Div 1
- Registered Nurse – Div 2

The following are not accepted qualifications for persons to be registered as trainers within the WRFL.

- S.M.A. First Aid (SMAC)
- First Aid
- Workplace First Aid – Level 1
- St Johns, Red Cross and Ambulance – Level 1
- Emergency Life Support
- Royal Life Savers – Senior First Aid