



Junior Touch Season Entry Information 2023

Competition Zones and Dates

Zone	Game Day and Times	Dates	Venue	Zone Convenor
Central	Tuesday 4.00 – 6.30pm	24 October – 21 November		Trevor Nicol
Eastern	Tuesday 4.00 – 6.30pm	24 October – 21 November	Saint Kentigern College, Pakuranga	TBC
North Harbour	Tuesday 4.00 – 6.30pm	24 October – 21 November	Taharota Park, Takapuna	Lesley Woodhouse
Southern	Tuesday 4.00 – 6.30pm	24 October – 21 November	Gallagher Park, Manurewa	Devida Hati-Ross TBC
Western	Tuesday 4.00 – 6.30pm	24 October – 21 November	Rutherford College	TBC

Note: Any of the above are subject to changes and schools will be notified of any changes which may occur. Games may finish later depending on the number of entries and fields available.

Grades

- Junior Boys, Junior Girls and Junior Mixed
- Teams may consist of up to 14 players. A maximum of 6 are allowed on the field at any one time; a minimum of 4 players are required for the match to be played.
- Mixed teams must always have a minimum of 3 girls on the field.
- **Players may only be registered in one team for the season and cannot move between teams.**

Eligibility

It is the responsibility of each school to ensure they meet all College Sport Auckland eligibility requirements prior to registering their team. Refer to the College Sport Auckland [Bylaws](#) for further information

- All players must be in Year 9 or 10, and under 15 on 1 January 2023, and must play for the school they currently attend
- Only secondary schools who have paid the College Sport Auckland levies for year 7 & 8's can play students from below Year 9, provided they are currently attending that school.

Entries

- Entries must be submitted online via [EnterNOW](#) by **11.59pm on Tuesday 10 October**
- Each team **must provide one suitable referee** for their games.

Playing Conditions

- Most zones will play two games in one night (double header).
- Games will be 12-minute halves with a 1-minute half time break, and 5 minutes between rounds (30-minute time slots)

Fees

- Refer to EnterNOW for information on fees
- College Sport Auckland will invoice schools once the season has begun
- Teams withdrawn after the entry closing date will be charged a withdrawal fee
- A separate entry fee will also be applicable to teams who participate in the College Sport Junior Championships

Team Management

- All teams must have a teacher or adult with them at every game.
- Each team is responsible for their own first aid. The coach/manager should be aware of any special medical conditions of their players.

Results

- This is the responsibility of the Zone Convenor. Each week, all scorecards are collected, and results are sent to College Sport Auckland on Wednesday morning for processing.
- It is the school's responsibility to check the accuracy of results on the website www.collegesport.co.nz (please allow 2 days after game day for processing to occur).
- Corrections to results will not be accepted within 2 days of a semi-final or final

Officials / Duties

- Teams must check in with the Zone Convenor when they arrive each week.
- Teams in all zones are responsible for providing a suitable referee for their games.
- If a team turns up without a referee, their options are:
 - Find another referee to do their duty or
 - Accept a default loss before starting the game or
 - Agree to play the game under one referee, but this must be decided and agreed by both teams at the start of the game.

Uniforms

All members of participating schools must wear matching uniforms of their school appropriate to the sport. Failure to wear appropriate uniforms may result in the team forfeiting the match.

Rules

A copy of the Rules & Regulations will be loaded on the website and College Sport App. The College Sport bylaws and policy on withdrawals, defaults & rescheduled matches, are also available online. Please pick up all rubbish from around your fields and place in rubbish bins or take home with you.