



Club Milestone Policy

PURPOSE

To acknowledge a player's achievement in reaching significant games played for football and netball at the Mandurah Mustangs. This will also assist committees (both football and netball) in preparing for milestones and budget projections on a seasonal basis. This would also run in conjunction with the Loyal Sons Program.

BACKGROUND

This document was established in 2018 as there was a need to provide clarity around the process involved in acknowledging football games milestones. As the club has grown the committee has acknowledged that netball should be included to this policy.

This policy will run alongside the Loyal Sons Program ([adopted Jan 2018, amended 2021](#)) that was developed to help provide an incentive to league football players that played weren't being paid.

LOYAL SONS PROGRAM

Highlighted below in red is the framework for the program. The committee also acknowledge that the program is for League football although can be adopted in future years to cater for League netball.

GAMES PLAYED	LOYAL SONS' GAMES FOOTBALL	LEAGUE GAMES NETBALL AND FOOTBALL	CLUB GAMES NETBALL AND FOOTBALL	MEDIA
50	\$500(LEAGUE GAMES) COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(GLASS)	ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	FB, WEBSITE
100	\$1000(LEAGUE GAMES) BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE GLASS)	BANNER ACKNOWLEDGEMENT COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(WOOD)	ACKNOWLEDGEMENT	FB, WEBSITE
150	\$1500(LEAGUE GAMES) BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(GLASS) LIFE MEMBER NOMINATION	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(WOOD)	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(WOOD)	FB, WEBSITE.
200	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(GLASS) LIFE MEMBER NOMINATION	BANNER AND SOMETHING SIGNIFICANT DISCUSSED BY THE EXEC COMMITTEE (e.g. FRAMED JUMPER TO BE PRESENTED AT THE WIND UP)	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(WOOD) AND SOMETHING SIGNIFICANT DISCUSSED BY THE EXEC COMMITTEE (e.g. FRAMED JUMPER TO BE PRESENTED AT THE WIND UP)	FB, WEBSITE.
250 AND ABOVE	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(GLASS) LIFE MEMBER NOMINATION	BANNER AND SOMETHING SIGNIFICANT DISCUSSED BY THE EXEC COMMITTEE (e.g. FRAMED JUMPER TO BE PRESENTED AT THE WIND UP)	BANNER COMMEMORATIVE PLAQUE(WOOD) AND SOMETHING SIGNIFICANT DISCUSSED BY THE EXEC COMMITTEE (e.g. FRAMED JUMPER TO BE PRESENTED AT THE WIND UP))	FB, WEBSITE.

**PROCESS**

At the start of each season the Registrar (or football/netball departments) will inform the committee of the potential milestone players for the season (and roughly what round) so as a preliminary amount can be set aside in the budget.

The Registrar will liaise with the Secretary (or a committee person) ahead of time to order the banners, plaques and the milestone will be formally recognised at a home game.

7.4.4 LIFE MEMBERSHIP

7.4.4.1 The Management Committee **may elect any member** who has given outstanding service to the MMFC for a period of at least nine years.

7.4.4.2 The Management Committee **may elect any member** who has played at least 150 games for the MMFC (League games).

7.4.4.3 **Any member may nominate a person** to the Management Committee for consideration for Life Membership.

7.4.4.4 Life Members shall retain all the privileges of an Ordinary Member but shall not be required to pay an annual subscription.

CONDITIONS

If a player transfers in from another club and reaches a significant player milestone (i.e. 200 games or above played collectively including past clubs) the club will only offer an acknowledgement. Senior games tallies start at the first senior game of both football and netball and is also understood that junior games do not represent as senior games played.

SUMMARY

This policy helps to enhance a player's milestones and achievements that may not necessarily play league football and netball.

In extenuating circumstances the Executive Committee will meet to discuss

Policy review

This policy will be reviewed annually to ensure it remains relevant to club operations and reflects both community expectations and legal requirements.

Accountability

President, Registrar, Secretary, Treasurer to liaise with the Executive Committee