



Membership Fee and Entry Fee Policy 2023 ALL JUNIOR AND SENIOR CLUBS

Men's Canterbury Premier League (CPL), commencing on w.e of
Women's Premier League (WPL), commencing on w.e of
All other Senior competitions, commencing on w.e of
All Youth and Junior teams commencing on w.e of

Saturday 25 March 2023
TBC
Saturday 01 April 2023
Saturday 22 April 2023

1. TEAM'S ENTRY FORM (Christchurch competition)

Entry form (summary of all team/s entered) must be completed by club administrator and returned to Mainland Football by the dates set out below.

CPL/WPL team entries	due by dates communicated to clubs
All other Senior team entries	due by Sunday 26 February 2023
Canterbury Development League teams	due by Sunday 26 February 2023
Junior and Youth team entries	due by Sunday 19 March 2023

2. PLAYER REGISTRATIONS (input into Comet)

Please note: Players must be registered (with full details) in Comet to be eligible to take the field. It is very important that all player data is input by the due dates. Mainland Football staff will be closely monitoring Comet in 2023. Failure to input the player registrations by due dates may result in team/s being withdrawn from competition and certainly player eligibility penalties being imposed.

Players must be registered on Comet before the following dates otherwise no play as from the below dates:

CPL/WPL	No play 25 March 2023
All other Seniors	No play 01 April 2023
Junior and Youth	No play 22 April 2023

Mainland Football will continue to audit club team sheets. Clubs will be requested to provide team sheets throughout 2023. If players names on any audited team sheets are not registered in Comet, Mainland Football Regulations (and NZF Regulations) regarding ineligible players will apply. It is now the onus of every coach/team manager to ensure that team sheets are kept and stored safely with the club. If team sheets cannot be supplied, then these Regulations will apply, and penalties will result.

All players that are registered with the club must pay membership fees and levies unless proven the player was inactive and fees were refunded or not collected.

Any corrections for inactive members must be made in Comet before 31 July 2023. Any amendments after that will not be credited.

Player registrations are required to ensure Federation compliance with (1) the Incorporated Societies Act of 1908 and (2) comply with ACC requirements for accurate database management of membership.

3. MEMBERSHIP FEES

- i. The Mainland Football membership fee has increased by 3.9% which is lower than the CPI rate of 7.2%. These fees are detailed at the end of this document.
- ii. The Membership Fee will be applied on a **per player** basis.
- iii. Clubs will be charged in three instalments in 2023, as follows:
 - Instalment 1, based on 1/3 of registered players in 2022
To be invoiced 31 March 2023 and payable by 20 April 2023
 - Instalment 2, based on registered players in Comet as at 31 May 2023
To be invoiced 31 May 2023 and payable by 20 June 2023
 - Instalment 3, a washup of actual registered players
To be invoiced 31 July 2023 and payable by 20 August 2023

4. COMPETITION ENTRY FEES (DISCOUNTED)

CPL and WPL	Due 20 April 2023
All other Senior teams	Due 20 April 2023
Junior and Youth teams	Due 20 May 2023

- i. The discounted entry fees for 2023 will increase by the 3.9% (lower than CPI of 7.2%)
- ii. A club will receive an Early Bird discounted entry fee rate if it pays its entry fees on or before due dates (all teams within the club must have paid on or before this date to ensure a CLUB receives the discount). **Absolutely no club discount will be available after this date. A further invoice will be raised if the due payment date is missed to recover the discount not allowed.**
- iii. CPL/WPL leagues must be paid in full on or before **30 April 2023**.
- iv. All senior leagues except the CPL, WPL, Juniors and Youth teams must be paid in full on or before **31 May 2023**.
- v. Each club administrator has the responsibility to collect the competition entry forms and fees from ALL teams within their club and ensure payments and entry forms are received by Mainland Football.

5. SUSPENSION or WITHDRAWAL FROM COMPETITION

- i. Clubs that have **not paid their competition entry fees in full** by due dates will be dealt with as per the guidelines in the Financial Regulations 2023.
- ii. A club withdrawing teams from competition after commencement of the competition will not be eligible for any refund of monies paid.

6. NEW ZEALAND FOOTBALL LEVIES

New Zealand Football levies will be charged on a per player basis in 2023. There has been no increase in New Zealand Football levies. These levies will be charged at the same time as the Mainland Membership Fees.

Senior Fees Schedule 2023

Christchurch Competition

Grade	Mainland Membership (per player)	Discounted Comp. Fee (per team)	Full Comp. Fee (per team)	NZF Levies (per player)
Southern League	\$33.25	\$10,000 + GST (TBC) charged by NZF	N/A	\$25.00
WPL **	\$33.25	TBC Due 20/04/23	TBC Due 30/04/23	\$25.00
CPL **	\$33.25	\$1,454.60 Due 20/04/23	\$1,600.00 Due 30/04/23	\$25.00
All other Seniors (men and women)	\$33.25	\$1,039.00 Due 20/05/23	\$1,143.00 Due 31/05/23	\$25.00

** Exact cost to be confirmed based upon the final number of entries into this competition.

Junior Fees Schedule 2023

Christchurch Competition

Grade	Mainland Membership (per player)	Discounted Comp. Fee (per team) Due 20/05/23	Full Comp. Fee (per team) From 21/05/23	NZF Levies (per player)
18 th + Grade	\$28.05	\$218.20	\$239.00	\$15.00
13 th – 17 th Grade	\$28.05	\$202.60	\$223.40	\$15.00
11 th – 12 th Grade	\$28.05	\$202.60	\$223.40	\$10.00
09 th – 10 th Grade	\$28.05	\$192.20	\$213.00	\$10.00
Fun Football (7-8 yrs)	\$15.60	N/A	N/A	\$10.00
First Kicks (4-6 yrs)	\$15.60	N/A	N/A	\$5.00