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Information Pack 2024

REGISTRATION

- [Registrations](#) are open from **8th January 2024**
- Registrations need to be finalised by **2nd February 2024**
- Players can register and pay online without attending a sign-on venue.
- **You will no longer be able to pay registration fees directly to the club.**
- Payment platform (SQUADI) offers multiple payment options including credit card, direct debit, instalments and payment plans.
- Fair Play vouchers will be accepted on SQUADI and the discount will automatically be applied to fees
- Email a copy of your Fair Play voucher to the club treasurer at treasurer@cufc.org.au
- You will only be required to attend a sign-on/information day if you are a new player needing to provide identification, or to purchase/pick up socks and shorts.
- Account holders must be over 18 years, if registering a child for the first time, you need to create an account for the parent /guardian
- **Registrations on or before 29th January receive a \$20.00 discount.** A special thank you to Cooroy RSL for helping us make fees more affordable for our members. **Use code (CUFC2024) at the payment page.**



[Click here to register now](#) or visit <https://registration.squadi.com/login>

Sign-on / information days will be held at CUFC clubhouse

- **Saturday 20th January 2024 9am-1pm**
- **Sunday 28th January 2024 9am-1pm**

Assistance will be available for registering online plus socks and shorts will be available for purchase (or pick up if purchased online).

Birth Certificate/identification – all **new** players are required to provide a Birth Certificate (for miniroos & juniors) or photo identification (for seniors). These can be sighted at sign-on/information days.

All players, coaches, managers, and volunteers in 2024 must self-register on Squadi

PLEASE NOTE: Registration does not **guarantee** a place in a team; it is simply an expression of interest on which team selections are based. Obviously early registrations have an advantage. Preference will be given to returning 2023 players **until midnight 2nd February 2024.**

FEES

- **Fee schedule** is attached (see page 6). Please note that registrations on or before **29th January** receive a **\$20.00 discount**. **Use code (CUFC2024) at the payment page.**

A sibling discount is also offered:

- 1st Sibling \$10
- 2nd Sibling \$30
- 3rd Sibling \$50

The Committee is required to nominate teams for the Football QLD competition **by Friday February 2nd 2024**. If you cannot register by **Monday 29th January 2024**, please contact Larissa Chapman at registrar@cufc.org.au for assistance.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Payment of fees will all be made through the SQUADI platform regardless of the payment option selected. Multiple payment options are available at the time of registration including credit card, direct debit, instalments and payment plans. Fair Play vouchers will also be accepted and the discount applied to fees (Please email a copy of your Fair Play voucher to the club treasurer at treasurer@cufc.org.au). You will no longer be able to pay registration fees directly to the club.

Instalments

Instalments are paid over 5-6 months. The final payment date is 14/6/2024. The first instalment is all the Governing Body Fees (refer page 6) plus the first month's instalment.

Payment Plans

Payment plans can be arranged which provide more flexibility than the above Instalment option. Select the payment plan option upon registering and contact our treasurer (treasurer@cufc.org.au) to arrange a plan suitable for you.

Fair Play is a Queensland Government support programme to assist affordability of sporting club fees for children 5 to under the age of 18. This programme is available to parents, carers, and guardians who hold a current Centrelink Health Care Card or Pensioner Concession card, or those identified by two referral agents. Eligible children and young people are presented with a voucher that provides up to \$150 to help with the costs for membership and participation fees. For more information and how to apply, visit <https://www.qld.gov.au/recreation/sports/funding/getinthegame/getstarted/apply/>

TEAM PREFERENCES

Players are encouraged to play in their own age group as set out in the Football QLD Player Age Policy and the 2024 player age eligibility. Players will only be able to register in their

own age group on Squadi; however, consideration will be given to requests to play outside of their age group. Any team preference requests (including team preferences within own age group) can be submitted at a sign-on day or by email to registrar@cufc.org.au and must be received by 1pm 29th January. Although every effort will be made to meet requests for particular team allocations, the committee is unable to guarantee such requests will be met. The Committee will be allocating players to teams, based on those registered at the time, immediately after second sign-on/information day, 29th January. Team preferences after 29th January will only be considered if already formed teams are not affected.

PLAYING EQUIPMENT REQUIRED

Club colours are navy shorts and navy socks. Players require:

- **Socks (\$15) and shorts (\$25).** These will be available for purchase at sign-on/information days plus online when registering. After sign on days, purchase/pick up will be subject to volunteer availability.
- **Boots and shin pads** are required for training and games; Intersport Noosa is the preferred provider – mention CUFC to receive a 10% discount on soccer merchandise.
- **Player jerseys-** Under 6s to U12s will be given a jersey at the beginning of the season. Under 13s to 18s and Seniors jerseys are looked after by the team managers.

TRAINING

Training commences as soon as teams are formed and Coaches are ready to go. Training days are dependent on volunteer Coach availability. Coaches and Managers will contact players advising them of training times.

GAME DAY INFORMATION

All game day information is available on Squadi. Game venues vary depending on team/division/draw. All draws are determined by Football QLD. Games/carnivals may be held at any club within Sunshine Coast Football.

Age Groups

- **MiniRoos** (Non-competitive, male and female mixed teams). Under 6 to Under 12 (If sufficient numbers we will have Girls Under 9 and Under 11). The categories of MiniRoos are Quokkas (beginners), Wallabies (Intermediate most teams) and Kangaroos (Very high level competition).
- **Competitive**

Male: Under 13
Under 14
Under 15
Under 16
Under 18
Senior Men
Over 35s

Female: Under 12/13
Under 14/15
Under 16/17
Senior Women

Players must be turning 16 years of age (male), or 15 years of age (female), during the calendar year to be eligible to play in senior men and senior women competitions. Where an

eligible junior player (15 Girls/16 Boys – 18 Girls/Boys) is participating in the Senior competition only, they must be registered as a Senior player.

Team numbers

- **U6/7 teams** play 4-a-side with no goalkeeper, maximum of 3 substitutes.
- **U8/9 teams** play 7-a-side, including goal keeper, maximum of 4 substitutes.
- **U10/11 teams** play 9-a-side, including goalkeeper, maximum of 5 substitutes.
- **U12 Boys** play 9-a-side, including goalkeeper, maximum of 5 substitutes.
- **U13 to Senior teams** have eleven players, including goalkeeper, maximum of 5 substitutes.

Rescheduled Matches

Re-schedules due to wet weather usually take place as follows:

1. Friday night matches to the following Tuesday night
2. Saturday junior matches - U16 and U18 matches to mid-week
3. Saturday junior matches - U13, U14, U15 matches to Sunday week
4. U10/11s **Kangaroos** matches to Sunday week

All competitive matches must be re-scheduled and played. In the first instance Under 10 Kangaroos and Under 11 Kangaroos will be re-scheduled and must be played, however if the match is required to be re-scheduled a second time clubs can apply for the match not to be played.

INSURANCE

Player insurance is included in the FQ component of player fees. The insurance plan provides basic levels of cover for players and others participating in Football, but is not all encompassing and does not seek to replace the need for private health and other insurances. All players and officials are encouraged to take out their own private health insurance, life insurance and 'Top Up' coverage over and above the coverage provided under this plan.

VOLUNTEERS

Yes! The club would love your help.

CUFC is run entirely by volunteers, and always welcomes any assistance, in any form.

Opportunities for volunteering exist in many areas including, but not limited to:

- Committee membership
- **Coach/Team Leader/Team Manager**
- Ground official
- Ground and building maintenance
- Working bees
- Canteen
- Sponsorship
- Media/Communications
- Fundraising

All volunteers must hold a Working with Children (Blue) Card. More information about Blue Cards and how to apply can be found at <https://www.bluecard.qld.gov.au/index.html>.

If you, or anyone you know, are able to assist in any way, shape or form, please contact our Secretary, Barry Luckman, at secretary@cufc.org.au.



PLAYER FEES 2024

Division/Age Group	Age	Governing Body Fees	CUFC Fees	TOTAL
Senior Men	16 & older	164	306	470.00
Over 35s	35 & older	164	306	470.00
Senior Women	15 & older	164	286	450.00
Division/Age Group	Year of Birth	Governing Body Fees	CUFC Fees	TOTAL
U18	2006/2007	80.50	259.50	340.00
U16	2008	80.50	259.50	340.00
U15	2009	80.50	259.50	340.00
U14	2010	80.50	259.50	340.00
U13	2011	80.50	259.50	340.00
U12	2012	80.50	229.50	310.00
U11	2013	64.50	225.50	290.00
U10	2014	64.50	225.50	290.00
U9	2015	64.50	180.50	245.00
U8	2016	64.50	180.50	245.00
U7	2017	64.50	180.50	245.00
U6	2018/2019	64.50	180.50	245.00