

TO: All Clubs










FROM: Football Operations

DATE: 27 November 2008

SUBJECT: 2009 FFV Metropolitan Competition - Key Dates (Updated)

Below are the Key Dates for all Football Federation Victoria Metropolitan Competitions for the 2009 season. Please review and make note of the important dates that are associated with your Club.

The key dates below encompass the following:

-  Commencement and Conclusion dates
-  Fixture Request Due Dates
-  League Structure and Fixture Release Dates
-  Catch-up Round Dates
-  Finals Series and Grand Final Dates
-  Professional and Amateur Player Registration Periods
-  De-Registration, New Player Registrations and ITC (International Transfer Certificate) Deadlines
-  New Club Application Deadlines
-  Team Entry Deadlines

If you require further information in regards to Competitions, please contact the Football Operations department on (03) 9474 1800.

Men's Premier League

Fixture Requests Due	Friday, 10 th October
Pre-season Registration Period	Monday, 5 th January – Friday, 20 th February
Fixture Release	Friday, 14 th November
Home-and-Away Commences	Friday, 27 th February
Easter Break	Friday, 10 th April – Monday, 13 th April
Mid-season Registration Period	Wednesday, 20 th May – Wednesday, 10 th June
Catch-up Round	Saturday, 6 th June & Saturday 4 th July
Home-and-Away Concludes	Saturday, 15 th August
Finals Series	Friday, 21 st August – Sunday, 6 th September
Grand Final	Sunday, 13 th September

Women's Premier League

Fixture Requests Due	Friday, 5 th December
Amateur Registration Period	* Tuesday, 5 th January – Wednesday, 8 th July
Fixture Release	Friday, 30 th January
Registration Deadline (24 players)	Friday, 3 rd April
Home-and-Away Commences	Tuesday, 14 th April & Wednesday, 15 th April
Catch-up Round	Saturday, 6 th June & Saturday 4 th July
Home-and-Away Concludes	Sunday, 23 rd August

Finals Series	Friday, 28 th August – Sunday, 6 th September
Grand Final	Sunday, 13 th September
Final day to lodge ITC request	Wednesday, 1 st July
Final day to de-register players	Wednesday, 8 th July
Final day to register a new player	Wednesday, 5 th August

Men's State, Provisional & Metropolitan Leagues

Provisional League Applications Due	Wednesday, 22 nd October
State 1 Fixture Requests Due	Friday, 5 th December
Amateur Registration Period	* Monday, 5 th January – Wednesday, 8 th July
Pre-season Registration Period (State 1)	Tuesday, 27 th January – Friday, 20 th March
Request For Postponement of Fixture Due	Thursday, 29 th January
NEW Club Applications Due	Friday, 16 th January
Fixture Release	Friday, 6 th February
Home-and-Away Commences	Saturday, 28 th March
Mid-season Registration Period (State 1)	Wednesday, 3 rd June – Wednesday, 24 th June
Catch-up Round	Saturday, 6 th June & Saturday 12 th September
Home-and-Away Concludes	Saturday, 5 th September
Final day to lodge ITC request	Wednesday, 1 st July
Final day to de-register players	Wednesday, 8 th July
Final day to register a new player	Wednesday, 5 th August

Women's State & Metropolitan Leagues

Amateur Registration Period	* Monday, 5 th January – Wednesday, 8 th July
NEW State League Club Applications Due	Friday, 16 th January
NEW Club Applications Due	Friday, 16 th January
Early Bird Team Entry Deadline	Friday, 20 th February
Request For Postponement of Fixture Due	Thursday, 5 th March
Existing Team Entry Deadline	Thursday, 5 th March
New Team Entry Deadline	Thursday, 19 th March
Revised League Structure Release	** Monday, 23 rd March
Fixture Release	Monday, 6 th April
Home-and-Away Commences	Sunday, 26 th April
Catch-up Round	Sunday, 7 th June, Sunday 5 th July & Sunday September 13 th
Home-and-Away Concludes	Sunday, 6 th September
Final day to lodge ITC request	Wednesday, 1 st July
Final day to de-register players	Wednesday, 8 th July
Final day to register a new player	Wednesday, 5 th August

Men's Thirds & Masters Leagues

Amateur Registration Period	* Monday, 5 th January – Wednesday, 8 th July
NEW Club Applications Due	Friday, 16 th January
Early Bird Team Entry Deadline	Friday, 20 th February
Request For Postponement of Fixture Due	Thursday, 5 th March
Existing Team Entry Deadline	Thursday, 5 th March
New Team Entry Deadline	Thursday, 19 th March
Revised League Structure Release	** Monday, 23 rd March
Fixture Release	Monday, 6 th April
Home-and-Away Commences	Sunday, 26 th April
Catch-up Round	Sunday, 7 th June, Sunday 5 th July & Sunday September 13 th
Home-and-Away Concludes	Sunday, 6 th September

Final day to lodge ITC request
Final day to de-register players
Final day to register a new player

Wednesday, 1st July
Wednesday, 8th July
Wednesday, 5th August

Under 18 Super League

Fixture Requests Due
Amateur Registration Period
Fixture Release
Home-and-Away Commences
Catch-up Round

Home-and-Away Concludes
Final day to lodge ITC request
Final day to de-register players
Final day to register a new player

Friday, 5th December
* Monday, 5th January – Wednesday, 8th July
Friday, 6th February
Friday, 27th March
Saturday, 6th June, Saturday 4th July &
Sunday 13th September
Sunday, 6th September
Wednesday, 1st July
Wednesday, 8th July
Wednesday, 5th August

Super & Junior Leagues

Amateur Registration Period
NEW Club Applications Due
Early Bird Team Entry Deadline
Request For Postponement of Fixture Due
Existing Team Entry Deadline
New Team Entry Deadline
Revised League Structure Release
Fixture Release
Home-and-Away Commences
Catch-up Round

Home-and-Away Concludes
Play-off Series

Final day to lodge ITC request
Final day to de-register players
Final day to register a new player

* Monday, 5th January – Wednesday, 8th July
Friday, 16th January
Friday, 20th February
Thursday, 5th March
Thursday, 5th March
Thursday, 19th March
** Monday, 23rd March
Monday, 6th April
Sunday, 26th April
Sunday, 7th June, Sunday 5th July &
Sunday September 13th
Sunday, 6th September
Sunday, 13th September & Sunday, 20th
September
Wednesday, 1st July
Wednesday, 8th July
Wednesday, 5th August

Small Sided Games

Amateur Registration Period
SSG Team Entry Deadline
Revised League Structure Release
Fixture Release
Home-and-Away Commences
Catch-up Round

* Monday, 5th January – Wednesday, 8th July
Thursday, 19th March
** Monday, 23rd March
Monday, 6th April
Saturday/Sunday, 25th – 26th April
Saturday/Sunday, 6th -7th June, Saturday/Sunday
4th - 5th July &
Saturday/Sunday 12th - 13th September

Home-and-Away Concludes
Final day to de-register players
Final day to register a new player

Saturday/Sunday, 5th – 6th September
Wednesday, 8th July
Wednesday, 5th August

** Please be advised that players who have NOT registered prior to the 8th July 2009 will be eligible to register after the 8th July deadline. This is not applicable to players in the Men's Premier League and Men's State League 1. The end date of the Amateur Player Registration Period (Wednesday, 8th July 2009) refers to Amateur Players Changing Clubs. This also applies to Interstate players changing clubs to register in Victoria.*

*** Please be advised that FFV will be releasing league structures prior to releasing fixtures, all clubs are required during this time to check and confirm all teams and any changes are to be communicated to FFV between Monday, 23rd March and Friday, 27th March in writing on club letterhead.*