# BFQ Incorporated
# 2023 Schedule of Fees

BFQ Incorporated (BFQ) runs on a not for profit basis. The costs of each season are spread equally amongst member teams. Any and all profits made are invested back into BFQ for the purchasing of equipment, promotion of BFQ and the support of various charities on an occasional "when funds are available" basis.

In 2023, BFQ has absorbed any increase in fees for its teams in line with rising costs of insurance in order to keep team fees as low as possible. 2023 fees are as follows:

| **Season Fee Type** | **Amount** |
|---|---|
| Team Fees | $1670.00 |
| Forfeit Fee Bond * | $140.00 |
| Good Behaviour Bond * | $140.00 |
| Public Liability Insurance | $200.00 |
| Representative Football | $60.00 |
| Match Fee - Paid Directly to Referee at each match | $100.00 per game |

Total Season Fees Payable – New Team: $2210.00 (*including bonds)
Total Season Fees Payable – Existing Team: $1930.00
Above totals do not include match day payments to referees.

For fees details for the Women's competition, please contact the Treasurer at treasurer@bfq.org.au.

***Payment Details***
BFQ direct deposit facility for payment of accounts.

Direct Deposit

Direct Deposits can be made using the following details:
Bank: Commonwealth Bank
Account Name: Baptist Football Queensland
BSB: 064-123
Account: 1017 7734
Note: Please enter your team name/s in reference field.

Early Payment Discount

An early payment discount of $100.00 is available for the full payment of season fees no later than the first week of the Pre-Season Grading Manning Cup.

***Payment Schedule***

If you wish to make scheduled payments, rather than making full payment upfront, then the following payment schedule must be adhered to. Any late payments, may result in the team being excluded from the remainder of the season (unless an alternative payment plan has been negotiated and approved by BFQ).

Please note that payments made in accordance with the below schedule will not attract the early payment discount.

| | Payment 1 | Payment 2 | Payment 3 |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Due Date** | 31 March 2023 | 31 May 2023 | 1 July 2023 |
| **New Teams** | $1100.00 | $560.00 | $550.00 |
| **Existing Teams** | $820.00 | $560.00 | $550.00 |

BFQ strongly urges clubs to request a sign on fee from each player and then a weekly game fee. Teams that operate this way tend to have few problems in ensuring the prompt payment of their bills.

BFQ recommends that teams charge a minimum $200.00 sign on fee then a minimum weekly fee of $5-$7 per player for games played. This should enable your club (based on 15 players) to save a little for replacement of playing strips when required at a later date.

## ***Other Expenses to Consider***

### *New Playing Strips*

Clubs are reminded that BFQ does offer an interest free loan facility to clubs wishing to purchase new playing strips. The new strip is able to be paid off in instalments over a two year period. This offer is only available to continuing clubs that have completed at least one season of BFQ football. Our preferred supplier of playing strips is Gorilla Sports whose details are as follows:

KPI Sports
Contact: Declan Rooney
U1/143 Granite Street
Geebung QLD 4034
Ph. 3265 2900

Please speak only to Declan and advise him you are a member club of BFQ.

### *Match Balls*

It is the responsibility of each team to ensure that they supply a suitable match ball for all games that meets the sizing requirements of their respective competition.

### *Training Lights*

BFQ does not normally supply any grounds for training purposes. Normally venues allowing teams to train will request a fee to assist in ground maintenance and lighting. Please ensure you know these charges and budget for them in your fees structure. They vary widely from ground to ground. Some grounds charge a moderate fee of around $10-15 a night for training and others can be as high as $60.00 per hour.

### *Representative Football*

Players selected in BFQ representative teams will be charged a fee which is based on the actual cost which varies due to the kit supplied. In the past, this has been between $80 to $120 per player, however could be significantly more in 2022 as the arrangements are considered by CFFA. These costs will be known as tournament costs and details are known from CFFA.