



Newcastle Junior Oztag

Conditions of Play

COMPETITION DATES

Term 1 Start date: February 5th & 8th 2024

Term 1 End date: March 18th & 21st 2024

Term 4 Start date: TBA

Term 4 End date: TBA

Both competitions have a top 2 grand final which is played after the last round.

Both competitions have one week allocated for a washout round either on a Sunday or after the last round of competition, this is up to Newcastle Junior Oztag discretion.

REGISTRATIONS

You are welcome to sign up players up until round 1 of the competition if you have injuries or pull outs during the competition you can replace them but you must let Newcastle Junior Oztag know.

No refunds will be given for due to unpredicted incidents out of our control.

When registration closes your team must have the following paid for:

U6 & U8 divisions: 7 players paid.

U10s and above: 9 players paid.

Prior to commencement of the competition to be entered into the draw.

If your team does not have the required registered they will placed onto the waitlist and also given refunds a week prior to the competition starting if they are not entered back into the competition.

(We cannot refund active kids vouchers, these will be credited to next season)

UNIFORM



Players must wear official Ozttag shorts/tights

SHORTS SIZE CHART

OZTAGGER

BOYS YOUTH SHORTS	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"
WAIST (cm)	56	61	66	71	76
EQUIVALENT	K6	K8	K10	K12	K14

MENS SHORTS	32"	34"	36"	38"	40"	42"	44"	46"	48"
WAIST (cm)	81	86	91	96	101	106	111	116	121
EQUIVALENT	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL	6XL

TIGHTS SIZE CHART

OZTAGGER

GIRLS YOUTH TIGHTS	GIRLS 6	GIRLS 8	GIRLS 10	GIRLS 12	GIRLS 14
WAIST (cm)	42	47	52	57	62

LADIES TIGHTS	XXS	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL
WAIST (cm)	57	62	67	72	77	82	87
EQUIVALENT	L6	L8	L10	L12	L14	L16	L18

Short and Tights purchase times will be set for pre purchase at our office

7/7 Revelation close Tighes Hill.

Team organisers will be contacted to let their team know when these are being held prior to the competition starting.

PRICES:

Shorts \$35 and tights \$35 (Stock pictured above)

\$40-\$50 Sublimated Shorts and Tights

CASH ONLY

TEAM SHIRTS

Shirts must be correct by round 1 of competition which means all the same colour, style and must have an iron on number on the back (no text or tape).

We recommend Clique Sportswear for local supplier, Sportswear 3000 or Kmart/ big W for cheaper shirts and numbers.

If the iron on number comes off in the wash this is your responsibility to make sure you replace it with another one.

DRAW AND GAME INFORMATION

GAME LENGTH IS 15MIN HALVES, 30 MINUTES TOTAL.

TIME SLOTS

MONDAYS: 415PM, 450PM, 525PM, 620PM

THURSDAYS: 430PM, 505PM, 540PM, 615PM, 650PM

(TEAMS CAN PLAY AT ANY OF THESE TIMES THROUGHOUT THE COMPETITION)

Due to the increase in teams for our competition Newcastle Junior Oztag will send a message out to all teams prior to the FULL draw being completed. This message will ask if your team may need a be on a specific date then we can try our best to do so.

However if the division does not have a be or this is not asked for before the draw is completed then your team will have to forfeit that game. If your team has any school camps, dances etc towards the end of the competition and are unable to play it will be classed as a forfeit.

The FULL Draw will be completed after round 1 to allow for any changes to divisions to be made if needed. Times for round 1 will be messaged to team organisers and a full draw will be done and available on the website or Sports Fix app to view after round one.

HOW MANY PLAYERS ON THE FIELD FOR EACH DIVISION

U6 and U8s are played on a mod field with 6 players.

We allow one parent on the field from each team to help organise them but please allow the referee to control the game in U6/U8 divisions ONLY.

DIVISIONS/GRADING

Teams will be asked when signing up whether they are beginner, intermediate or advanced and will be placed into a division accordingly. If your team has played before and you opt for a division that is not suited to your team due to past competition results the committee will review this and your team may be placed into another division.

For age groups that are split into divisions Newcastle Junior Oztag will take into account the experience of teams and place more experienced teams together as for new beginner teams together to be a fair competition.

Grading **will not** be changed after round 1 due to the full draw being done.

UNSPORTSMANLIKE BEHAVIOUR

BULLYING. RACISM. ZERO TOLERANCE

We have a zero tolerance for bullying, racism and bad sportsmanship behaviour - there will be no chances given for this type of behaviour or any unwarranted behaviour such as swearing. The player/s will be asked to sit off for the rest of the game and their name/shirt number recorded.

SUSPENSION

If the referee deems the behaviour is warranted a suspension we will ask both team organisers to send a report to use when they get home and the committee will decide the length of suspension.

ABUSE OF REFEREES

The abuse of Referees **WILL NOT** be tolerated from parents, spectators or children playing. Long term and life time bans are in place for **ANYONE** who abuses a referee.

PENALTIES

Incorrect shirt 1st offence = Player cannot score.

Incorrect shirt 2nd offence = Player cannot score.

Incorrect shirt 3rd offence = Player cannot score + Loss of 3 points.

The Player needs to come to the canteen to get a stamp to be allowed to take the field and must show the referee.

UNREGISTERED PLAYERS

1st Offence - Warning letter to the team organiser, loss of game.

2nd Offence - Letter to the team organiser and a loss of ALL competition points.

3rd Offence - Team will be removed from the competition.

FORFEIT FEES

Newcastle Junior Oztag must be notified of a forfeit by 3pm the day of competition otherwise the team will be required to pay a forfeit fee of \$30 before they take the field the following week.

COMPLAINTS/CONCERNS

If you have a complaint, concern or issue that the referee may not have seen as they cannot see everything or hear everything.

Please make sure that you come to the canteen to report the incident in a calm, respectful manner so we can deal with it straight away not after the incident has had time to escalate further.

We appreciate any feedback so please feel free to message us or come and see us.

Please assist us by contacting myself Rhiannon and our committee if you have any questions/feedback during the season via email newcastlejnrs@oztag.com.au

Let's have a great competition! :)

