



## Gladesville Ryde Magic Football Club

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# TEAM SELECTION POLICY YOUTH PROGRAM

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### Our Commitment

We believe that development pathways offered by our Club should be safe, enjoyable, inclusive and maximise individual development. Ultimately a young Player's enjoyment grows as skill improves and technique is developed. Our Club priority is developing young football Players to play with the right intent and to encourage creativity, perseverance and good judgement.

### What we will do

- Emphasise to Coaches and Parents that the Youth Program is about encouraging development and that positive match results will follow
- Adopt the Youth Program playing systems, rule adjustments and development outcomes specified by FNSW with a view of creating a superior learning environment for promising Youth Players
- Offer a development pathway for Youth Players to prepare for the technical and tactical challenges of National Premier Leagues NSW Competitions
- Provide the infrastructure and support for Youth Players to realise the opportunity to experience an enhanced football environment above that provided in community football

### What we ask you to do

#### Coaches

- Focus on promoting the Club Youth Football Philosophy centred around individual and team creativity, perseverance and good judgement rather than match results
- Ensure all Youth Players have a reasonable opportunity to play in the starting eleven over the duration of the season
- Maintain and exceed the required standard of professional development and accreditation



## Parents

- Provide assistance to your Team Manager where possible at training and games
- Focus on your child's effort and performance, not the match result
- Encourage your child and their team members
- Respect the selection decisions of the Coach
- Ensure you are financial Members of the Club

## All Members

- By continuing to be involved with our Club you agree that you have read and understood this policy. Furthermore, you agree to abide by this policy and will execute the following acknowledgement if requested.

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I, \_\_\_\_\_[INSERT NAME] have read and understood the policy and will abide by it as a Member of Gladesville Ryde Magic Football Club

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Signature of Player:

Date:

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Signature of Parent/Guardian (if under 18 years of age):

Date: