



# 2024

## AREA AGREEMENTS

ALINTA ENERGY GIPPSLAND LEAGUE





## 2024 Area Agreements – AFL Victoria

For the 2024 season the Alinta Energy Gippsland League has signed off written agreements with the following leagues:

### Agreements can be rolled over from season to season.

1. Central Gippsland Junior Football League
2. Ellinbank & District Football Netball League
3. East Gippsland Football Netball League
4. East Gippsland Junior Football Association
5. Mid Gippsland Football Netball League
6. North Gippsland Football Netball League
7. Omeo & District Football Netball League
8. Sale & District Junior Football Association
9. Traralgon & District Junior Football League
10. Warragul & District Junior Football League
11. West Gippsland Football Netball Competition
12. West Gippsland Junior Football Competition

Each Agreement can differ between leagues so please ensure you have a good understanding with all league area agreements your club will be utilizing.

Any Questions or concerns, please contact League Operations Manager – Brandon Milburn via email at [operations@gippslandleague.com.au](mailto:operations@gippslandleague.com.au) or Gippsland Region Manager – Tim Cotter via email at [timothy.cotter@afl.com.au](mailto:timothy.cotter@afl.com.au)

All 2024 Area Agreements can be found below.

**NOTE: Managing permits/team sheets are the responsibility of the club. Gippsland League will enforce penalties as per Gippsland League By-Laws or AFL Victoria Country Rules if a breach occurs.**





## **AREA AGREEMENT Gippsland League and Central Gippsland JFL**

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

### **PROVIDED HOWEVER:**

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

### **LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND CENTRAL GIPPSLAND JFL:**

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.

#### **PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:**

A permit request should only be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### **1. PERMIT CONDITIONS**

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

#### **2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS**

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Central Gippsland JFL.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

#### **3. REPORTED PLAYERS**

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

#### **4. PERMIT BREACHES**

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3

Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

#### **5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES**

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in

writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

**Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League  
of the Central Gippsland JFL**

**Name:** Brandon Milburn

**Dated:** 06/04/2023

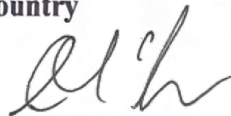
**Date** 7 / 4 / 23

**Signed on behalf**

**Name** Mark Micallef

**Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country**

**Name** Cameron McPhan



**Date** 14 / 04 / 2023





## AREA AGREEMENT

# Gippsland League and East Gippsland Football Netball League

An Agreement between the Gippsland League and the East Gippsland Football Netball League for the 2023 Season.

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) (Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iii) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (iv) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (v) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vi) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN THE GIPPSLAND LEAGUE UNDER 18s AND THE EAST GIPPSLAND FOOTBALL NETBALL LEAGUE UNDER 17.5s:

- 1) Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- 2) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior League match on the same weekend.
- 3) Registered Gippsland League players are ineligible to play in East Gippsland Football Netball League finals.
- 4) This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players from the Fourths/Under 16 and Thirds/Under 18 grades are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.

### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to this Agreement:

- 1.1 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet for a Gippsland League team.
- 1.2 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.3 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.4 East Gippsland Football Netball League Under 17.5s Permit players can only play for the one Gippsland League club in the one season.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.
  
- 1.6 The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Finals Permits between the East Gippsland Football Netball League players are permitted to play Gippsland League **U18 Finals** provided that the player must have played a minimum of 5 H&A games in the team of the grade in which he has been selected to play finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the East Gippsland Junior Football Association.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.1 Penalty for playing ineligible and/or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Dated: 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of the EGFNL

Name: *Rod Twining*

Dated: 6/4/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhan*

Dated 14/04/2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

# Gippsland League and East Gippsland Junior Football Association

An Agreement between the Gippsland League and the East Gippsland Junior Football Association for the 2023 Season.

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies parties to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN THE GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND THE EAST GIPPSLAND JUNIOR FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION:

- 1) Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- 2) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior League match on the same weekend.
- 3) No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.
- 4) Registered Gippsland League players are ineligible to play in East Gippsland Junior Football Association finals.

### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws
- 3) To ensure an EGJFA team achieves a maximum number of 22 players in which case, if using a Gippsland League Under 16 player, who is Under 15 as of 1st January 2023, no more than 22 players may appear on the EGJFA team sheet.



## 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to this Agreement:

- 1.1 If a Gippsland League team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 If an EGJFA Under 15s team has at least 1 Gippsland League Under 16 permit player, who is Under 15 as of 1st January 2023, they shall not be allowed to have more than 22 players on the team sheet.
- 1.3 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet for a Gippsland League team.  
A maximum of 4 Gippsland League Under 16 permit players, who are Under 15 as of 1st January 2023, shall be allowed on any one EGJFA team sheet.
- 1.4 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.5 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.6 A Gippsland League Under 16 permit player, who is Under 15 as of 1st January 2023, may play with only one EGJFA club in any one season
- 1.7 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the East Gippsland Junior Football Association.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.1 Penalty for playing ineligible and/or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Dated: 6/4/2023

Signed on behalf of the EGJFA

Name: *Rod Twining*

Dated: 6/4/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name: *Cameron McPhar*

Dated 14/04/2023



## **AREA AGREEMENT**

### **Gippsland League and Ellinbank & District FNL**

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### **PROVIDED HOWEVER:**

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### **LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND ELLINBANK & DISTRICT FNL:**

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- a) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- b) A permit to the EDFNL will only be issued to fill an EDFNL team to a total of 20 players.
- c) This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players from the Fourths/Under 16 and Thirds/Under 18 grades are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.
- d) Players under this agreement must register with either the Ellinbank & District FNL or Gippsland League and play on permit with only one Ellinbank & District club or one Gippsland League club.

#### **PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:**

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### **1. PERMIT CONDITIONS**

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Ellinbank & District FNL.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name *Brandon Milburn*

Dated 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of the Ellinbank & District FNL

Name   
Ken Moore

Date 06 /04/ 2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhar*

Date 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and Mid Gippsland FNL

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND MID GIPPSLAND FNL:

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- a) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- b) This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players from the Fourths/Under 16 and Thirds/Under 18 grades are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.
- c) Players under this agreement must register with either the Mid Gippsland FNL or Gippsland League and play on permit with only one Mid Gippsland club or one Gippsland League club.

#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.



- 1.2 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Mid Gippsland FNL.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Signed on behalf of the Mid Gippsland FNL

Name: **Brandon Milburn**

Name *Pauline Tantau*

Dated: 6/4/2023

Date **06/04/2023**

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name Cameron McPhan



Date 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and North Gippsland FNL

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

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#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND NORTH GIPPSLAND FNL:

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- a) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- b) No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.
- c) This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players from the Fourths/Under 16 and Thirds/Under 18 grades are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.
- d) Players under this agreement must register with either the North Gippsland FNL or Gippsland League and play on permit with only one North Gippsland club or one Gippsland League club.

#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should only be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

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- 1.2 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the North Gippsland FNL.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3

Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Dated 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of the North Gippsland FNL

Name

Date

*14 / 4 / 23*

*DAVID KYLE  
President.*

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name Cameron McPhan

*CMcPhan*

Date 19 / 04 / 2023



# AREA AGREEMENT Gippsland League and Omeo District Football Netball League Junior Competition

An Agreement between the Gippsland League and the Omeo District Football Netball League Junior Competition for the 2023 Season.

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

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## **PROVIDED HOWEVER:**

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

## **LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN THE GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND THE OMEO DISTRICT FOOTBALL NETBALL LEAGUE:**

- 1) Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- 2) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior League match on the same weekend.

## **PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:**

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

## **1. PERMIT CONDITIONS**

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:



- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 2 permit players shall be allowed on any one Gippsland League team sheet.  
Under this Agreement a maximum of 2 Gippsland League permit players, who are Under 15 as of 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023, shall be allowed on any one Omeo District Football Netball League Junior Competition (Under 16s) team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

The Omeo District Football Netball League Junior Competition (Under 16s) requires a Gippsland League permit player, who is Under 15 as of 1<sup>st</sup> January 2023, to play 8 permit games to qualify for the ODFNL Under 16s Finals.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Omeo District Football Netball League Junior Competition.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.
- 2.2 Under this Agreement a maximum of 2 Gippsland League permit players, who are Under 15 as of 1st January 2023, shall be allowed on any one ODFNL Junior Competition (Under 16s) team sheet.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.1 Penalty for playing ineligible and/or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Dated: 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of the ODFNL

Name: *Rod Twining*

Dated: 6/4/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhar*

Dated 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and Sale & District JFA

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND SALE & DISTRICT JFA:

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same day.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.
- Any player selected to play Interleague matches shall not be granted a match permit by his club/league on that day.

#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.

- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.  
1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Sale & District JFA.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Signed on behalf of the Sale & District JFA

Name *Brandon Milburn*

Name *Ross Bennell*

Dated 30/03/23

Date 13/04 /2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhar*

Date 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and Southern Gippsland JFC

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### **PROVIDED HOWEVER:**

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### **LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND SOUTHERN GIPPSLAND JFC:**

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.

#### **PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:**

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### **1. PERMIT CONDITIONS**

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.



1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Southern Gippsland JFC.

2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Signed on behalf of the Southern Gippsland JFC

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Name: *Simon Whelan*

Dated : 06/04/2023

Date 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhan*

Date 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

# Gippsland League and Traralgon & District JFL

An Agreement between the Gippsland League and the Traralgon & District JFL for the 2024 Season.

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

### **PROVIDED HOWEVER:**

That this permit is in force for the current season only.

- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iii) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet.
- (iv) Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause (iii) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

### **LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN Gippsland League AND Traralgon & District JFL**

- Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- To qualify for TDJFL finals a player must play a minimum of 5 games in the Traralgon & District Junior Football League.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.

### **PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:**

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Gippsland League By-Laws

## 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2 INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Traralgon & District JFL.

- 2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.1 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFL Gippsland Region Manager.

### Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Date: 19/03/2024

### Signed on behalf of the Traralgon & District JFL

Name: *Pauline Pansey*

Date: 20/03/2024

### Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country (Region Manager)

Name: *Tim Cotter*

Date: 19/03/2024



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and Warragul & District JFL

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND WARRAGUL & DISTRICT JFL:

- Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.
- Overriding Section 1.1 – A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one teamsheet
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#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 20 players on the team sheet
- 1.2 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet
- 1.3 A player may play a maximum of 10 permits in total, including finals, in any one season
- 1.4 Permits may be issued in more than 1 league but must not exceed 10 in total

1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply

**2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS**

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the Warragul & District JFL.

2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

**3. REPORTED PLAYERS**

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

**4. PERMIT BREACHES**

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

**5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES**

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

**Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League**

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Dated: 14/04 / 2023

**Signed on behalf of the Warragul & District JFL**

Name



Date 14 / 04 / 2023

**Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country**

Name Cameron McPhan



Date 14 / 04 / 2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and West Gippsland FNC

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND WEST GIPPSLAND FNC:

- a) Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.
- b) Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- c) This local Interchange Agreement overrides AFL Victoria Country rule (iv) listed above. Players from the Fourths/Under 16 and Thirds/Under 18 grades are allowed to play on permit on bye weekends including before the start of either League's season.
- d) Players under this agreement must register with either the West Gippsland FNC or Gippsland League and play on permit with only one West Gippsland FNC club or one Gippsland League club.
- e) Players using this agreement from a club not fielding a team in that players age group shall be exempt from permit condition 1.2.

#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should only be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS



The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 4 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.
- 1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the West Gippsland FNC.

- 2.1 Any player who plays seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3  
Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

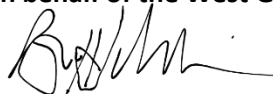
Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Name *Brandon Milburn*

Dated 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of the West Gippsland FNC

Name



Date 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhan*

Date 18/04 /2023



## AREA AGREEMENT

### Gippsland League and West Gippsland JFC

This agreement is signed pursuant to AFL Victoria Country rules and regulations pertaining to permits and in particular Clause 2.4 – Area Agreements, whereby an interchange of players between clubs of the abovementioned Leagues may take place without a transfer and is subject to any provisions contained within this agreement.

Area Agreements / Interchange Agreements are ongoing from year to year unless revoked by one of the football bodies party to the agreement by advising AFL Victoria.

#### PROVIDED HOWEVER:

- (i) That this permit is in force for the current season only.
- (ii) Prior to each match the player shall obtain permission electronically from their parent club using a Season permit.
- (iv) Players of any club having a bye will not be allowed to play with another club on that day, unless they have previously played with that club in the current season under this agreement. The club playing the player from the other League shall show their registered club on the match team sheet. Players of third 18 teams of Senior Grade competitions are not to be classified as players of Junior age competitions.
- (v) A local interchange agreement can override clause
- (iv) to restrict junior players playing on permit when their club has a bye.
- (vi) That this agreement cannot be altered unless agreed to by the Region Manager.
- (vii) That in order for a player playing under such Area Permit to participate in a finals series in that season the player must have played a minimum of five (5) matches in the team of the grade in which they have been selected to play in the finals and has met any additional league eligibility requirements.

#### LOCAL CONDITIONS BETWEEN GIPPSLAND LEAGUE AND WEST GIPPSLAND JFC:

Registered players must be given preference over any permit player.

- Any player who has played District League Seniors shall not be eligible to play in any Junior Matches in the Gippsland League on the same weekend.
- No permits are issued for Senior or Reserve grade.

#### PERMIT PURPOSE STATEMENT:

A permit request should **only** be approved providing that at least one of two purposes is achieved:

- 1) A player is being permitted to a higher level of football being Junior or District player to a Major League in which case up to 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) may appear on the team sheet. Or
- 2) To ensure a team achieves a maximum number of players as per the Leagues By-Laws

#### 1. PERMIT CONDITIONS

The following Permit condition shall apply to all AFL Gippsland League Agreements:

- 1.1 If a team has at least 1 permit player, they shall not be allowed to have more than 24 players (fourths) or 22 players (thirds) on the team sheet.
- 1.2 A maximum of 10 permit players shall be allowed on any one team sheet.
- 1.3 Permits shall not be issued to any player after June 30<sup>th</sup> unless they have played on an eligible permit with that team prior to June 30<sup>th</sup>.
- 1.4 Permit players shall only play in the one team on the one day.

1.5 AFL Victoria Country and League finals eligibility criteria shall apply.

## 2. INTERCHANGE OF PLAYERS

The following Permit condition shall specifically apply to Permits between the Gippsland League and the West Gippsland JFC.

2.1 Any player who plays major league seniors or reserves shall be ineligible to play in any junior league match on the same weekend.

## 3. REPORTED PLAYERS

A player playing on permit that is reported shall face the Tribunal of the League of which the offence was committed. Any penalty that is imposed shall apply in all competitions.

## 4. PERMIT BREACHES

Any breach of Permit arrangements and agreements will be referred to AFL Victoria Country Rule 1.3 Penalty for playing ineligible or unregistered players.

## 5. SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Any clubs requesting special circumstance considerations must apply in writing to the AFL Gippsland Region Manager prior to June 30<sup>th</sup> annually.

This agreement has been agreed to by the relevant major and junior/district leagues and will remain valid unless revoked by the AFLG Region Manager.

Signed on behalf of the Gippsland League

Signed on behalf of the West Gippsland JFC

Name: *Brandon Milburn*

Name *Simon Whelan*

Dated : 06/04/2023

Dated: 06/04/2023

Signed on behalf of AFL Victoria Country

Name *Cameron McPhar*

Date 14 /04 /2023

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