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**FOOTBALL**  
B R I S B A N E

**BECOME A REFEREE**





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Course dates available on next page – PLEASE READ THE BELOW INFORMATION.

### **Level 4 Referee Entrance Course Program**

The minimum age requirement to attend a Level 4 Referee Entrance Course and register with Football Brisbane as a Match Official, is 13 years or older.

Participants attending this course must have completed the Online Laws of the Game and attained their certificate and bring a copy to the instructor on the day of the course.

### **COURSE Enrolment – STEP 1**

All intending Referees must first complete the ONLINE Laws of the Game component via the FFA Website.

[CLICK HERE](#) to go to the Online Laws of the Game page.

This provides a basic introduction to the Laws of the Game and their interpretations.

You must complete this to receive a certificate identifying you have demonstrated awareness in the Laws of the Game, and have the necessary knowledge to enrol in any of the Level 4 courses.

### **COURSE Enrolment – STEP 2**

Once you have completed and received your Certificate for the Laws of the Game in Step 1, you can then **REGISTER** for any available upcoming Level 4 Referee Entrance courses.

The Level 4 WORKSHOP will cover:

- Laws of the Game with practical demonstrations
- Field inspections
- Incident Reports and on-line reporting
- Positioning for Referees and Assistants
- Flag and Whistle use
- Advanced offside practical demonstration
- Foul identification
- Team sheets and match reporting of a football match
- Match official ethics



### **COURSE Enrolment - STEP 3**

**There is a participation fee of \$50.00 for all Level 4 Referee Entrance Courses.**

Please ensure you bring with you on the day: Online Laws of the Game certificate, Workbook (which will be emailed to you prior to the course), Fox 40 Whistle, pen and notebook, morning tea and lunch, sunscreen, water bottle, hat and clothing suitable for outdoor activities.

### **LEVEL 4 ENTRANCE COURSE DATES**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>Registration</b>
SAT 27 Oct	Samford FC, Harold Brown Park Clubhouse, Richards Rd., Samford.	<a href="#">CLICK HERE TO REGISTER</a> 

## COURSE Registration – STEP 4

Once you have completed the Level 4 Referee Entrance Course you will then be able to register as a Match Official with Football Brisbane.

This is done using the online registration system - [CLICK HERE](#)

Referee Registration fees for 2018 :

Junior Referee: (Aged Under 18 years of age) – \$138.50 (*subject to 2018 changes*)

Senior Referee: (Aged 18 years and above) – \$198.50 (*subject to 2018 changes*)

Development Fee: (For all referees if you register outside of Football Brisbane) – \$20.00

Once you have registered as a Match Official with Football Brisbane you will then be provided with information for the upcoming season including Fitness Training, Monthly Coaching dates, Seminar, Field testing for accreditation and Appointments.

## Football Brisbane Referee

- Appointed & regular games based on your availability within a 6 club radius.
- Full match fee Payment allowance (paid weekly directly to your bank account)
- Greater access to in depth coaching and support including monthly coaching nights and weekly fitness training sessions at South side and North side locations.
- Assessments
- Opportunity for advancement
- Career path
- Recipient of Football Brisbane Mentor program
- Talent Identification program
- Attendance at Preseason Seminar for all Football Brisbane Referees
- Field Testing for all new referees to gain their accreditation

### **\*\*Seminar / Practical field dates ONLY for ALL NEW Registered Referees**

1. **\*\* Dates to be advised**
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\*\*Note you book only on ONE DATE suitable to you for attendance

- All Attendees must bring with them: Laws of the Game Book, Notebook and Pen.
- Come dressed in appropriate clothing for outside work (shorts, shirt with cap or hat). Plus, Sunscreen.
- Change of clothes and towel as dressing room facilities will be available to change.
- Bring your FOX 40 WHISTLE (A requirement) and if you have - a set of FLAGS
- Bring with you DRINK BOTTLES with Water (More than 1 recommended).
- The Seminar / Practical day will have indoor theory and outdoor components.

\*\*A Seminar / Practical field day is a training day provided to you at NO COST by the Youth Referee group to better equip you with on and off field expectations from clubs and players.

You are also given practical advice to better deal with situations you may encounter as a first year referee.

Past years' participants have found value in attending this day.