



Sunshine Coast Netball Association Incorporated

SECTION 1

General Information

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PART A – SCNA INTRODUCTION

Welcome To SCNA

Sunshine Coast Netball Association (SCNA) is a small part of the larger organisation “Netball Australia” with our affiliated state body being Netball QLD (NQ). We are the largest of 6 other associations in the “Suncoast” region with the best facilities for over 13 clubs.

SCNA is a volunteer organisation managed by an **EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE** elected at our AGM. These volunteers manage the affairs and business of the Association. For more information regarding roles and responsibilities of committee members please contact the office.

The executive committee oversee a number of paid staff in the form of an ADMIN team, who attend to the day today running of the Office of the Association. During the season there is generally someone in the office Mon – Fri 9.30-2.30pm. During off peak the office is managed at less regular times. Email is checked regularly and there is an answering machine to take calls when the office is unattended. 07 54510416

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PART B - CLUBS

Being part of a club at SCNA is a journey we are happy to guide you through and while it is not the easiest thing you will ever have done it is extremely rewarding. Team work is an important part of any organisation and by us assisting you everyone reaps the benefit.

There are a number of requirements or conditions your club must fulfil in order to maintain your club status at SCNA. These things include, but are not limited to, umpire commitments per team, sub-committee positions per club, attendance at various meetings as well as maintaining your club and parent commitments. More information is outlined in our Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) to assist your understanding of these. All other requirements are detailed in *SOP-8 Clubs/Teams*

Registering As A Club

In accordance with the Standard Operating Procedures (*SOP – 8 Clubs and Teams*), each club must consist of at least 3 teams to qualify for voting rights and **MUST** register to play with the Association each year. (*Club Affiliation Form Section 3*)

Communication

Communication is **VITALLY IMPORTANT** to the success of your club which in turn adds to the success of the Association. There is a great deal of information passed from us to you which needs to filter through to your various club members.

Solving and managing small issues before they become big problems is vital and SCNA has developed a problem solving communication network which works to ensure that children and adults are playing netball in a safe and organised environment. Refer to *Complaints Policy Section 4*

Uniforms

Club Uniforms vary, however most clubs have chosen the “Dress” option. Clubs must submit a photo of their uniform upon first joining the association. Rules regarding uniforms are contained within the *SOP-8 Clubs/Teams*. Clubs wishing to make changes to their current uniforms **MUST** submit any changes to be approved by executive.

Rules relating to sponsorship on a club uniform are quite relaxed at SCNA. However, uniforms should not be so crowded as to obscure the overall design/pattern. Logos and signage on positional bibs must not obscure the umpires ability to read the bib position.

SCNA Association Representative uniforms must only be worn at SCNA sanctioned games and events.



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Court Use

The Multi sports complex here on Fishermans Rd is a council owned facility which we are tenants. However, we are responsible for the use and hire of the facility for netball events and training.

There is no charge for clubs to use the courts for training however bookings **MUST** be made through the Office Manager. Post pads must be used and the grounds and facilities left in a clean state after use.

The office space is also available for use for meetings or training and must also be booked through the office. There is also limited storage available for club tents etc.

Independent Teams

Players not able to form/join a club may prefer to form an individual/independent team either in the day or night competitions. Independent teams must also be prepared to meet a set of criteria similar to that of a club but have no voting rights when issues of expenditure or policy are being debated.

Training For Clubs

There are a number of opportunities for clubs to receive information and training through Netball Queensland (NQ) and SCNA (coaching and umpiring).

In 2016 NQ through Netball Australia introduced online registrations and web site infrastructure which enables clubs to have members complete their registrations and payments on-line. Each club is expected to ensure that members of their committees are trained how to administer this system. To that end SCNA and NQ hold training sessions each year which Club Committee members **MUST** attend.

Early each year SCNA also holds a Registrars meeting, this is a compulsory event and provides club committee members with all the information about completing all paperwork required by the association.

Coaches meeting, scorers and other various meetings are held during the season providing invaluable information for members. SCNA will also inform clubs of coach clinics and courses in our area which you can sign up for as well as online courses and umpire training available.

MY Netball System offers a number of online learning courses which are available to any registered member with a password and ID. Individuals will access this through My Netball. Once logged on, in the bottom right corner is My Learning click on More and available courses will come up.



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Club Of The Year

SCNA Club of the Year is aimed at rewarding a club for consistent management and productivity. All affiliated clubs are eligible to participate and points are calculated based on the following criteria.

1. The numbers of net set go teams.
2. Points for finishing positions on the ladder before finals.
3. Attendance at compulsory meetings. These meeting include – coaches meetings, umpire meetings, scorers meetings, general meetings, forums, graders meeting, registrars meetings and others as indicated by the executive from time to time.
4. Meeting deadlines on paperwork and having it correctly completed.
5. Points are also then lost for score sheet infractions. Clubs whose teams receive score sheet infractions will lose 1 point per infraction.

Ground Marshal

Each Club will be rostered on for Compulsory Ground Marshal duties at least once throughout the duration of the Day Competition. A detailed list of responsibilities is made available at the beginning of the season and may include but not limited to the following:

- Check all playing surfaces for damage debris
- Ensure post pads are correctly fitted, check and empty bins during the day and empty bins after games
- Conduct regular checks – around the courts and report unsafe conditions. Please report spectator chairs not on court surfaces.
- Check that there are **no dogs, bikes, scooters or skateboards near the courts.**
- **NO ALCOHOL (except in Football License areas)**
- **NO SMOKING** permitted within 10 metres Under-18 sporting events.
- Please listen for calls for Ground Marshalls required for other duties as they arise. eg Open gates and manage crowds if ambulance is required or to remove obstructions.
- During wet weather follow instructions from office regarding the removal water from court surfaces.
- Pick up all rubbish and lost property.
- Empty paper bins from toilets. Ensure toilets are left tidy.
- Complete final bin empty of carpark and canteen as above.
- Put buggy away and ensure it is plugged in.
- Ensure duties are complete before leaving.



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Club BBQ

Each season during the day competition clubs are given at least one opportunity to host an optional fundraising BBQ. The dates are rostered by the Association at the beginning of the season. If you do not wish to take this option you must let us know so we can allocate this day to another club to ensure that each week there is a BBQ.

Clubs should be setting up by 7.30 for an ideal 8-8.30 selling time. SCNA will provide one table (Officials bathroom behind the door), one Tent (rep equipment storeroom opposite disabled toilets), one BBQ and one gas bottle (both available in buggy/first aid room) which you must set up, clean and pack away. There is also a BBQ Box (with BBQ) with items you may need such as tongs, knives, cutting boards etc. All equipment from this box must be cleaned, dried and put back after use. Cleaning of equipment may be done in the club room sink or canteen where cleaning products are available. BBQ cleaning products are also available in the office, please ask when required. Please notify office if gas bottle becomes empty or nearly empty there is another one available.

Your Club should provide all other items you may require such as serviettes, rubber gloves, all food requirements including sauces etc and a float with change for the whole morning.

Clubs are permitted to sell any item that does not compete with canteen sales. No drinks, lollies, egg and bacon and burgers etc. Any items other than sausages, cup-cakes and raffle ideas should be submitted to Fixtures Admin prior to your event. Raffles are permitted but tickets must only be sold at the tent. Club members are not permitted to walk around the courts selling raffle tickets or food.



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PART C - MEETINGS AND FORUMS

There are a number of SCNA meetings which are compulsory for each club to attend. The dates for these meetings can be found on the SCNA Calendar (*See club Flash Drive*) and will also receive notification via email and or SMS. Every club and independent team MUST have a representative as outlined below:

AGM

Attendance is compulsory for a voting member for your club or a fine will be issued.

Graders Meeting

Attendance is compulsory for the grader for your club or her representative to ensure teams start in a suitable position for grading or a fine will be issued. This person must have first-hand knowledge of the process your club used and strong understanding of the teams/players abilities. This meeting is held after teams have been submitted each year and is an invaluable way of gathering more information in order to ensure your teams are graded correctly.

Fixtures/Umpires Forum

Attendance is compulsory for a delegate of your club or a fine will be issued. This is a great way to review the season and gather information from the clubs regarding the future direction of the Association. We analyse a number of aspects of the season, policy and SOP's to ensure the best for all members in our association.

Coaches Meeting

Held during grading weeks these meetings are held for Divisional coaches and a separate one for Net Set Go coaches. These are very important and provide a great deal of information to new coaches to SCNA. Attendance is compulsory for Coaches new to the association or who have not coached in the past 2 years or as directed by the registrar.

Scorers Meeting

Held before each round during the first Semi Final this meeting provides information about how to score and keep time during finals as this is very different to normal fixtures. We request that 2 representatives from each team participating in finals attend this meeting so one can act as backup for the other. If scorers have attended in the past 2 years they must sign the attendance sheet but need not attend the meeting.

Other Meetings

From time to time other meetings are held where members from you club might assist the Association eg. carnival committee meetings. There may also be a general meeting called by the Association to discuss important issues which might arise during a season.



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Sign On Day

While not a meeting as such, each season SCNA hosts a Sign-on day at Fishermans Road, usually the first Saturday in February. As players are now required to sign on to a club via My Netball online forms, this is no longer a compulsory event. However, clubs should use this as a great opportunity to speak face to face with new members and have uniform fittings etc. There are also SCNA committee members present that can help with questions and assist members with online registrations.

SCNA advertise this event and we get many enquiries by way of phone and email. The office encourages all interested players to come to that day so clubs may pick up extra members.



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PART D - VOLUNTEERING

At SCNA there are many ways clubs and individuals may help out. Each club is allocated Ground Marshal duties (*Section 1 Part B*) at least once during a season. Your club members will be called upon to perform a number of tasks during the morning they are rostered on.

Volunteers are always being sought for various outside fixtures events such as club and representative carnivals, clinics and NQ hosted events. Funds raised at these events goes back into projects which will benefit all players and families.

Committee and Sub-committee positions are also a way to serve at SCNA and are elected at the AGM or advertised from time to time.

Non-Playing Members

All adult members working with players during the season will be invoiced the SCNA membership fee to be paid by their club. Committee members will be listed on the Affiliation Form while coaches and managers will be listed on the team sheets submitted to SCNA and invoiced with the team. This requires that all these members create a profile on My Netball eg create a membership number with log on and ID

As an affiliated organisation with NQ we would advise all clubs to ensure that their members are covered with adequate insurance. NQ offers, coaches, umpires and committee members coverage under a non playing membership category. SCNA highly recommend that clubs pay the NQ component for ALL COACHES and UMPIRES.

Exceptions include:

- 1) members/players currently playing in an SCNA competition.
- 2) committee members or rep coaches with SCNA.

In 2018 all non playing members will be required to active themselves on MY Netball. Clubs will need to create a coaches/managers membership or saleable item form for these registrations.

Club Coaches



Often it is your club coaches on the ground on fixtures days and in order for us to keep everyone on the same page is vitally important “Coaches Meetings” are held during grading weeks.

We recommend that each of your coaches has a manager to assist with the requirements of the job and to help on game days with administration required by SCNA.

Net Set Go and Divisional Coaches Handbooks are also contained in Section 5 and must be distributed by clubs to their coaches at the beginning of the season.



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Umpires

Umpires at SCNA are provided by each club but rostered by the Association during fixtures. Your responsibility as a club is to ensure the development of your umpires by appointing a mentor. This person will also be rostered on by the umpire officer to assist our umpires on game days by mentoring and assessing their competency. While umpires are paid for their efforts they can only do the job if supported and encouraged by peers and adults in the netball community. Further information and course details can be obtained at sunnycoastumpires@gmail.com



Blue Card

All members 18yrs and over that are working with children MUST have a Blue Card which we can process for your members for free.

Teachers and other exempt categories are excluded from this. More information can be found on the “working with children” web site. <https://www.bluecard.qld.gov.au/>



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PART E - UMPIRING

Umpires

Umpires are a vital part of our game and we endeavor to train our umpires at various clinics and during games to improve their skills.

All umpires operate under the supervision of our Umpire Allocations Officer. Queries regarding a decision made during a game may be addressed by the team captain only in a pleasant manner during a break. Abusive behaviour of any form by players, officials or spectators will not be tolerated under any circumstances. Remember we all make mistakes.

We are grateful to any umpires and welcome all that are new to our region. We need volunteers all the time to assist with the program.

The Umpire Allocations Officer is a paid position at SCNA as are all our umpires. We offer opportunities at various levels from the Day Competitions to the Ladies Night Competition as well as NQ events for representative teams.

Umpire Workshop

SCNA offer an umpire workshop each year to which clubs may submit 2 participants. Numbers are limited to enable us to provide a high quality of learning and then positions to filter them through to umpiring to gain experience. Clubs MUST be highly selective as to who they put forward for this program and consider whether they will be suitable.

Umpire Rewards

This scheme is designed to reward those umpires who support the association by committing to umpiring regularly as well as to encourage umpires to complete further training. The reward bonus is paid at the end of the season in the form of a gift card corresponding to the reward value gained. The program was revised in 2011 with the introduction of the mentor.

This scheme is designed to reward those umpires who support our association and to encourage unbadged umpires to complete their training.



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Umpire Pathway

SCNA provide a unique pathway of training, mentoring and development for our umpires which leads them from an Association level to the National badges.

	Requirements	Level	Other
1.	<p>Participants to complete Rules of Netball Theory Exam (link below) prior to attending workshop.</p> <p>http://netball.com.au/get-involved/umpiring/accreditation/rules-of-netball-theory-examination/</p> <p>Require 70% or more to pass (valid for 4 years)</p>	Beginner	Print out Certificate and take a copy with you to the workshop.
2.	<p>Attend the Beginner Umpire Workshop (with Umpire Educators)</p>	Beginner	<p>Cost \$30 - includes Rules of Netball 2016 & whistle</p> <p>Registration submitted by club</p>
3.	<p>At the conclusion of the workshop, participants to umpire NetSetGo - Gold fixtures for the remainder of the normal competition.</p> <p>Assessment Form completed – Satisfactory moves to Phase 1.</p> <p>Participants may be umpire NetSetGo – White if assessed as competent before the end of the competition.</p>	Beginner / Mentoring Phase	Beginners will be mentored if mentors available. At least 1 mentor must complete a satisfactory assessment form before the end of the competition.
4.	<p>Following season – Start as a Phase 1.</p> <p>Umpire will receive payment.</p>	Phase 1	Complete online Umpire Registration Form. Complete ATO Hobby Form and return to Office.
5.	<p>Umpires to complete Foundation Umpire Course (link below)</p> <p>http://netball.com.au/get-involved/umpiring/accreditation/foundation-umpire-course/</p> <p>This course MUST be completed before moving to Phase 2 or 3.</p>	Phase 1	Print out certificate and submit to Saturday Umpire Officer.
6.	<p>Umpire 14 games or more at Phase 1 level.</p> <p>Games allocated by Saturday Umpire Officer</p> <p>Must have umpired a minimum of 5 games at Division 8.</p> <p>Umpire officer will track these games.</p>	Phase 1 / Coaching Phase	<p>Mentor to complete Phase 1 Assessment form.</p> <p>Feedback provided by Umpire Officer.</p>
7.	<p>On completion of 14 games, completion of Foundation Umpire Course and satisfactory assessment, umpire will move to Phase 2 or Phase 3 depending on age.</p>	<p>Phase 2 (under 16)</p> <p>Phase 3 (Senior)</p>	<p>Mentor to complete Phase 2 Assessment Form.</p> <p>Receive Umpire Shirt (Green) immediately on attaining P2.</p>



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	Requirements	Level	Other
8.	<p>Umpire Ladies Senior Competition (Tuesday) Umpire put forward by Saturday Umpire Officer. Coaching on A or B Grade Ladies Competition.</p>	Phase 2 / 3	<p>Mentor to complete assessment form. Mentor to advise when Umpire is ready to be tested.</p>
9.	<p>National C Badge</p> <p>[put forward by Umpire Officer / Mentor]</p> <p>Pre-requisite</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Umpire Course (integrated with Introductory Level Officiating General Principles) <p>Pathway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring • Practice Umpiring at appropriate level • Participating in Rules Discussion Workshops (Local, Region and State) • Attending Rules In Action Course(s) through Netball QLD <p>Assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rules of Netball Theory Examination 70 - 79% (valid for 4 years but would redo prior to testing) • Practical Test – Local Game (4 x 10, 12 or 15 minute quarter game) • 	C Badge	<p>Pass all Assessment Criteria – theory and practical. Qualification – National C Badge Receive Umpire Shirt (Gold) immediately on attaining badge.</p>
10.	<p>National B Badge</p> <p>[put forward by Umpire Officer/ Convenor; TID within Region or By NQ]</p> <p>Pre-requisite</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Umpire Course <p>Pathway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring 	B Badge	



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	Requirements	Level	Other
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice Umpiring at appropriate level • Participating in Rules Discussion Workshops • Attending Rules In Action Course(s) <p>Assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rules of Netball Theory Examination 80-89% • Practical Test – Local Game (4 x 15 minute quarter game) 		
11.	<p>National A Badge</p> <p>[TID within Region or By NQ]</p> <p>Pre-requisite</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rules In Action (2 parts) • Level 2 Umpire Course (includes Advanced Level Officiating General Principles) <p>Pathway</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mentoring • Practice Umpiring at appropriate level • Attend Umpire Development Programs • Self Reflection • Individual Development <p>Assessment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rules of Netball Theory Examination 90-100% • Practical Test – State League Game (4 x 15 minute quarters) 	A Badge	



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PART F - REPRESENTATIVE TEAMS

Each year Sunshine Coast Netball fields Association teams across a range of age divisions: 12 years to Open. These teams represent our Association in all Netball Queensland, Regional and other local Association Carnivals.

The Representative Program usually begins with two trials at the end of the season and one more in the following year for selection of two teams in each age group from 12-15. Nominees **MUST** attend all three selections unless permission is given in writing for extenuating circumstances. Please note trial dates and selections may change depending on the major competition format from NQ for the following season.

Our Representative Team structure provides a development pathway for players wishing to advance their skills and who aim for further Regional, State or National representative goals.

Being a member of a Sunshine Coast Netball Association Representative team can be a very rewarding and enjoyable experience. Not only will you benefit from the expert coaching you receive under our team of Rep Coaches, but you also have the opportunity to travel with friends and compete against teams from across Queensland.

Responsibilities & Commitments

Being a member of a SCNA Representative Team is an excellent achievement in any Players' career. However, along with the achievement come a number of responsibilities:

- It requires commitment to attend all training sessions and team competitions across the entire season (Feb - Aug).
- This means arriving on time, attending even when you may be injured or sick to observe, and being dressed and prepared for full active participation at all times.
- It requires dedication in respect to your fitness and skill training - you need to continually put in and work hard to ensure ongoing development.
- Finally, you need to be a team player and have the personal qualities that ensure you work well within a team.
- All teams are accommodated if overnight stays are required as decided by the Executive.

Part of SCNA Representative Program requires all selected players, and their parents to sign a Players' Agreement. This confirms their commitment and ability to meet all team responsibilities, competition dates and payment of fees.

Being a member of a Sunshine Coast Netball Representative team is a fantastic experience that you will remember for a lifetime!



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TID

Talent Identification is a program held each year where players turning 11 and 12 may nominate to be included in a day clinic. Nominees are trialled over an afternoon round robin event and successful participants are invited to attend the clinic. The program is particularly beneficial for those who feel they would like to follow netball through to the Rep Selections.

The Program offers information and concepts of what Rep may be like. Valuable skills are presented at the clinic by Rep coaches and other professionals. Past attendees have found it to be very informative and beneficial to their netball.

Both TID and Rep demonstrate a true commitment to netball which needs to be taken seriously by those trialling.



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PART G – OTHER GENERAL INFORMATION

Fees

Fees are ratified each year at the General meeting after the AGM and invoices are issued to clubs for each team. The fees are calculated on a number of components including affiliation and membership to NQ and NA, membership to SCNA as well as game fees covering umpires and administration costs including complex hire and maintenance, office staff and many other expenses. Clubs should also consider adding their own component to this for their expenses such as equipment, insurance and trophies.

A discount of \$10 per child applies to 3 or more children from the same family. Get Started Vouchers are also accepted by SCNA and these discounts will be deducted from invoices.

Other fees charged include late registration fees and fines for non compliance of various SOP's. SCNA also has a strict refund policy. (*Details in SOP 9*)

Behaviour

At SCNA a ZERO TOLERANCE policy exists for players, coaches and spectators who will find themselves suspended or worse for breeches of this policy. Codes of Behaviour are available in Section 4 of this document. All club/team behaviour issues should be handled by your club first. (*See Complaints Policy Section 4*)

If a serious breach of any Code of Behaviour needs to be reported by a club member then the club must complete a Set Penalties Form within the set time frame.

Verbal complaints and clubs letters will be noted and action taken as laid out in the Complaints Policy & Set Penalties Documents.

If there is an urgent matter that you feel needs to be dealt with court side please contact the office immediately during fixtures.

Lin Corbett Awards



The Lin Corbett Best and Fairest Player Awards are voted by umpires each week in the divisional competition only. Points are calculated over the season and a rather extravagant afternoon event is held at the end of the season to present players in the top 5 for each division. Nominee and Club invitations are sent out, photos of nominees are taken and clubs are requested to submit information regarding their nominees.

Formats and Venues change from time to time but this is a great event. Awards for umpires are also presented at this event as well as Best Club Award and Presidents Cup.



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Carnivals

Our amazing facility provides us with the opportunity to host a range of netball carnivals which bring much needed funds to the association. These funds are utilised for projects to improve the facilities benefitting the clubs, teams, players and parents. Past investments have included, extra lighting, seating and our buggy. Future plans include a building extension as well as additional seating and shade for the complex.



Club Carnival

SCNA host one club carnival per year for 10-18 year olds. This is a fun and friendly way for teams to bond and gain valuable game experience. Usually held near the beginning of the season, this carnival is a lot of fun and raises funds for long term and short term projects within our facility. We rely on parent volunteers from the clubs to assist with the running of this event. Each team must provide their own umpire for this event and pay them accordingly for their time. Clubs may also consider contributing to this cost and/or cost of registrations.

Representative Carnival

Representative carnivals are an opportunity for our rep teams to experience strong level of competition at little cost to them. We try to host at least one per year with the assistance of the parents of our rep players.

Club coaches and players are always welcome to come and watch these games as they are often great opportunities to learn more about netball.

NQ Hosted Events

On occasion we are asked to host major NQ events such as Vicky Wilson Cup and Primary Schools Cup as well as larger three day state events. This is a great honor but again we need the support of volunteers and parents to assist with BBQ's, gate takings, parking etc. These events are huge and do bring considerable revenue to the region and to the Association.

Calendars

These are sent out each year and highlight all events which will occur for the year. If you have any questions regarding anything on the calendar please don't hesitate to contact us. Changes are sometimes made at short notice and these will be communicated to the clubs. Clubs and players should watch our website and facebook pages carefully for extra events and clinics which we advertise on the behalf of other groups.



First Aid

SCNA use the services of Assist First Aid to supply qualified first aid responders to all our fixture games. This person should be used for all first aid issues requiring attention.



Members should not call an ambulance without first having been seen by the first aid officer.

Assist First Aid also offer first aid courses which we often host if you are interested.

Canteen

A full equipped and staffed canteen service is available during Saturday fixtures. We offer a range of fresh sandwiches, drinks, fried foods and lollies for all tastes at reasonable prices. Funds raised from this service go back into the development of the services and facilities SCNA provide to its members.

During fixtures on a Saturday SCNA also have on site Tim Adams Coffee and Colin from Tropical Sno. These vendors also offer the association remuneration which benefits all the members.



Parking



There are over 680 carparks available in the complex which are monitored by council parking inspectors on a regular basis. Please follow signage closely regarding correct and incorrect parking. Please let members know that Council Carparking officers do patrol regularly on weekend and fines are issued.