



NORTHERN SUBURBS FOOTBALL

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NSFA Alcohol Policy

The NSFA alcohol policy is provided to ensure that clubs / teams do not break council regulations and so that consumption of alcohol does not present a problem at soccer venues.

- Alcohol cannot be consumed in the public area of the soccer field. This is defined as the area hired from Council.
- If a venue has a licensed area all alcohol must be contained and consumed only in that area , **minors should have no access to this area.**
- The sale and consumption of alcohol should not take place at any junior fixture.
- Where the boundaries of the playing field are not clear alcohol cannot be consumed within
 - The fence or roped off area.
 - If not fenced, not within the flat field area.
 - If not fenced and not bounded by natural barriers, not within 15 metres of the field.
- Any Council regulations prohibiting alcohol over-rides any NSFA policy.
- The Ground Manager (or in their absence the team Captain) is responsible for ensuring this policy is policed.
- We seek the co-operation of clubs to ensure a responsible approach is taken at football venues for senior fixtures where alcohol is permitted.
- It is our earnest desire to work with clubs. We have an obligation to make sure alcohol does not become an issue in inappropriate or anti-social behaviour at senior level games.
- Failure to abide by the Alcohol policy is subject to severe discipline to the individuals and teams involved.