

Annexure 9

State Cup Final

Article 1 - General

1. All rules contained within the FFA Cup Competition Regulations, NPLWA Competition Rules, the Competition Rules and Annexure 1 of those rules are applicable to the State Cup Final unless otherwise specified in this document.
2. Rules relating to clubs and Players of the Amateur League may be taken from Annexure 3 of the Football West Competition Rules and applied to the State Cup Final.
3. Where a rule in the NPLWA Competition Rules, the Competition Rules or Annexures 1 or 3 of those rules appears to conflict with these rules, the rule in this document takes precedence.

Article 2 - Event Ownership

1. The event is owned by Football West. The host club may negotiate with Football West to include activities at the event, but may not include any activities that have not been approved by Football West.

Article 3 - Competition Format

1. The winners of Round 7 Matches of the WA Preliminary Rounds of the FFA Cup will compete in the State Cup Final. Entry is compulsory.
2. Football West will hold a draw to determine the home club.
3. The State Cup Final will be held at a venue chosen by Football West. The decision on the venue is final and may not be challenged.
4. Should scores be level at the full-time whistle, two periods of extra time of 15 minutes per period will be played in accordance with The Laws of the Game.
5. Should scores be level at the end of the second period of extra time, the outcome of the Match will be decided by kicks from the penalty mark as described in the FIFA Laws of the Game.
6. The winner of the State Cup Final will receive \$4,000 as prize money.
7. The runner up of the State Cup Final will receive \$1,000 as prize money.

Article 4 - Players

1. A Player may not play for a Team in the State Cup Final if, in the same season, he has previously played for:
 - a) a different club in the WA Preliminary Rounds of the FFA Cup, the State Reserves Cup or State 18s Cup.

Penalty for Breach Forfeit
2. An unused substitute is deemed NOT to have played in a Match.

Article 5 - Match Officials

1. Match Official Fees will be paid by Football West.

Article 6 - Admission

1. Admission fees will be determined by Football West.

2. Where an admission fee is charged, a maximum of 21 people from each visiting Team will be provided with a free entry pass to the venue for use by the Players, club officials or a club's official guests only. The visiting clubs must inform Football West in writing the names to be granted free entry by **10am on Monday 12 July 2021.**

Article 7 - Squad Lists

1. Each club must inform Football West of the sixteen Players in its squad to compete in the Match by **10am on Monday 12 July 2021.**