

MWFA 2026 Refund Policy – Summer Football

1. Overview

The Manly Warringah Football Association (MWFA) recognises that circumstances may arise where registered participants need to withdraw from participating in the Summer Football 2026 season.

This policy outlines the conditions and process for de-registration and refund requests for the MWFA portion of registration fees. Note: this policy applies only to the MWFA component of the total registration fee. Refunds of the Football NSW (FNSW) are subject to their own refund policies and timelines.

The Policy covers any and all locations MWFA have been allocated by Northern Beaches Council to operate Summer Football Competitions.

2. Cut-Off Date for Refunds

The **final date** for full refund requests relating to the MWFA portion of registration fees for the 2026 Summer Football season is:

Sunday, 18th October 2026

Any request submitted post the cutoff date will not be eligible for a refund of the MWFA portion under any circumstances.

3. Eligibility for Refund Processing of the MWFA Portion of Fees

MWFA retains full discretion in approving each refund request. All refund requests will be reviewed on a case-by-case basis by the MWFA and must comply with this policy and relevant Football NSW regulations.

To be eligible for a refund of the MWFA portion of fees:

- A formal de-registration must be submitted via PlayFootball which must be approved by the MWFA Programs Manager on or before the cut-off date.
- Once approved a refund request can be submitted via PlayFootball.
- The two entities (below sections) must acknowledge the Refund request before the participant receives the refund from PlayFootball.

4. Other Components of Registration Fees

The total registration fee includes contributions to multiple governing bodies:

- FNSW Fee
- MWFA Fee

Each organisation manages its own refund policy and cut-off date. Therefore, the MWFA cannot guarantee or process refunds on behalf of FNSW.

5. Communication and Acknowledgement

All members are encouraged to carefully review this policy before registering for the 2026 Summer Football competitions. By completing the registration process, players and parents/guardians acknowledge and accept the terms of this policy.

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