



JOONDALUP WOMENS FOOTBALL CLUB

RISK MANAGEMENT POLICY

RATIONALE

Risks are inherent in all aspects of Australian Rules Football and the Joondalup Woman's Football Club acknowledges the role of risk management as critical to the safety of the sport, its players, officials and spectators and the sustainability of the Club.

The Joondalup Woman's Football Club is committed to managing risk in accordance with the principles and guidelines described in the Australian/New Zealand Standard (AS/NZS) International Organization for Standardization (ISO) document 31000:2009 on Risk Management.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this policy is to provide a framework for the elimination or control of all risks associated with the Clubs' activities.

Our risk management framework is based on a hierarchical strategy that will seek to identify, assess, communicate, treat, monitor and manage risks that can adversely impact on the performance and standing of the Club.

The Club will ensure that risk management is an integral part of its decision making process and will use risk management to take advantage of potential opportunities while managing potential adverse effects.

The Club will implement and maintain a structured and documented process for risk management that is integrated within its activities and aligned with its strategic and operational planning processes.

The range of risks the Club needs to be prepared to deal with include:

- Public & Professional Liability responsibilities
- Occupational Health & Safety responsibilities
- Financial Management
- Organisational Management and Operational practices

OBJECTIVES:

The objectives of the policy are:

- Identify, report and analyse the Club's liability associated with its range of risks
- Encourage the ongoing identification and reporting of potential risks
- Determine the magnitude of risks
- Develop a risk register
- Develop, prioritise and implement ongoing plans and strategies to address risks
- Promote and support risk management practices throughout the Club
- Gain organisational support for risk management undertakings, and
- Educate members on good risk management practices

This Risk Management Policy is subject to review from time to time as new information comes to light and changes that directly affect the Clubs performance.