**FFA & Football West Registration System Changes:**

Football Federation Australia (FFA) & Football West (FW), introduced a new registration system for soccer in Australia in 2019. The [Play Football](https://www.playfootball.com.au/) portal powered by Interact Sports has been introduced to simplify and improve the registration process for all clubs, members and players.

The 2020 Junior Season is scheduled to commence – **5th April 2020**

**Registration Fees & Payments:**

As of the 2020 season, all registrations must be completed online through the Play Football website and **PAID IN FULL before 15th March 2020.**

**\*PLEASE NOTE: Olympic Kingsway SC is not issuing “Seasonal Payment Plans” this season.**

If you are experiencing financial hardship, the following options are suggested for you to consider and ensure fees are paid in full prior to the 15th March 2020:

1. Apply for KidSport subsidy (details below).
2. Alternatively perform a **"Self-Managed"** pre-season payment plan to pay weekly/fortnightly installments via bank transfer to the clubs account **before the 15th March 2020 cut-off date**. In doing so, please ensure the reference details (FFA# and Surname), are included for reconciliation of the amounts paid. Unpaid registrations by the season cut-off date will be declined.

**"Not Paid, Can't Play".**

Account Name:    Olympic Kingsway Sports Club Inc  
BSB:                      633 000  
Account:               163378748  
Reference:           FFA # and 'Surname'

**KidSport - Financial Assistance:**

If you're experiencing financial hardship, the KidSport subsidy is a great! option to consider.

KidSport is available in WA to eligible children aged 5 to18 years to help them participate in community sport by providing financial assistance of up to $150 per calendar year towards a sporting club. If you'd like to know more about KidSport, please read the information on the WA Government Site. You can apply for KidSport online [here.](https://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/funding/individuals/kidsport)

**Recommended Registration Steps:**

1. Apply for [KidSport](https://www.dsr.wa.gov.au/funding/individuals/kidsport) first, before commencing online registration through Play Football to ensure your KidSport eligibility is confirmed and to obtain the KidSport code.
2. Once you receive the KidSport approval code, immediately forward it via e-mail to [registrar@olympic-kingsway.com.au](mailto:registrar@olympic-kingsway.com.au) for the $150.00 subsidy to be approved in the registration.

**Sibling Discount:**

In 2018 Olympic Kingsway SC introduced the "Sibling Discount" for families with more than one child playing at the cub. This discount is $30.00 for each additional sibling. For example, if you have two children, you will receive a $30 rebate for the second child . If you have three children, you will receive a $60 rebate for the second and third child and so forth. The sibling discount rebate will self adjust if the families criteria match in the Play Football online system.

We trust this discount will assist appropriate families.

**Registration refunds: (including de-registrations & transfers)**

Registration fees refunds as subject to the club board, and may or may not be refunded under the following circumstances:

* De-registration prior to the commencement of the season, having not played a league game and not transferring to another club.
* Transferring to another club after playing one or more league games will be subject to a pro-rata refund between clubs.
* When a player has been graded, allocated to a team, accepted the selection confirmation and seeks transfer to another club.
* When a player’s membership is revoked due to breaching the Club’s Code of Conduct policy.
* Partial refunds may only be given at the discretion of the Football Committee under exceptional circumstances (e.g. severe injury) and excludes unrecoverable costs such as the FA and FW fee components.