



Financial Assistance Policy

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Definitions

BV = Basketball Victoria, MBA = McKinnon Basketball Association

The Club = Moorabbin Magic Basketball Club

Club Executive = President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer of the Moorabbin Magic Basketball Club

Committee = Executive and General Members

Purpose

This policy has been created to provide guidance in requests for financial assistance.

Financial Assistance policy

As part of our commitment to supporting our community, Moorabbin Magic offers support to ensure our community can continue to be involved in basketball. This policy outlines the financial assistance available to eligible players experiencing financial hardship.

This policy applies to:

- Junior players (under 18 years)
- Families already registered with Moorabbin Magic
- Basketball programs relating to training and competition

Eligibility criteria

Applicants must meet one or more of the following:

- Hold a valid Health Care Card or Pension Card
- Be experiencing temporary financial hardship due to:
 - Job loss
 - Illness or injury
 - Family crisis or bereavement
 - Natural disaster or emergency
- Be unable to pay full registration fees without assistance
- Have demonstrated a commitment to basketball

Support

- Full or partial waiver of Moorabbin Magic Club registration fees (Please note the club is unable to waive the fees set by BA, BV or the MBA, for details on these please refer to the registration page on [Moorabbin Magic Basketball Club](#))
- Assistance with uniforms
- Flexible payment plans

Applying for support

Flexible Payment Plans

1. **Option 1 - Paypal Pay in 4**
 - a. Select this option when registering on PlayHQ to automatically set up 4 payments.
2. **Option 2 – Payments directly with the club.**
 - a. [Contact Us - Moorabbin Magic Basketball Club](#) to request details of payment plans
 - b. Pay Moorabbin Magic registration fees across 3 monthly installments from the commencement of the season.

All Other assistance (full or partial waivers, or assistance with uniforms)

1. Submit a one-page letter to the club president (president@moorabbinmagic.org) detailing:
 - a. Circumstances of hardship
 - b. Type of support requested
 - c. Attach supporting documents (if available)
2. Applications are reviewed confidentially by Moorabbin Magic's Executive Committee
3. Decisions are made within 10 business days
4. Applicants will be notified via email or phone
5. All decisions are final, but applicants may reapply if circumstances change

Confidentiality

- All applications and personal information will be treated with strict confidentiality and used solely for the purpose of assessing eligibility for financial assistance.

Other Support

The club also recommends the following potential options for financial assistance:

- [Home - Team Sports 4 All](#)
- [KIDs voucher program | Get Active Victoria](#)

Contact

For questions, please contact: [Contact Us - Moorabbin Magic Basketball Club](#)