



Kotara South Football Club – Grading Procedure

2019 - Rev 1



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PART A INTRODUCTION

1 PURPOSE

1.1 Procedure

The Grading Procedure of KSFC is based around the KSFC Grading Policy and is reflected within the document below and attached flow chart (Part B). Please read the flow chart as part of the following description.

1.2 Grading Panel

The Grading Panel is generally made up of accredited and/or experienced coaches and / or senior players. The Grading Manager oversees the grading procedure to ensure it adheres with KSFC policy. The Graders are volunteers that assist the Grading Manager in assessing player's skills and are independent to the teams/age group being selected. The nominated persons should have a good knowledge of football and the skills required in order to differentiate player ability levels.

The Grading Panel are appointed at the AGM or prior to the registration process by the KSFC Executive/Committee. In the interests of obtaining a broad overview of player standards in a specific age group, all Graders are encouraged to observe as many matches as possible of that age group over the course of the preceding season.

The Grading Panel will use the KSFC Grading Assessment Criteria (Part C) to assess combined with observations from the previous year's coach/manager, to grade. The information from the previous season is used as a base from which comparisons are made against actual observations on the grading day.

- The appraisal sheets are required to be completed by the coach/manager prior to the conclusion of the previous season and sent directly to the KSFC Secretary info@ksjfc.org

1.3 Grading Session 1

In the first grading session all players will take part in a series of drills appropriate to their age group.

- These drills will be used to assess individual player skills

After this session the Grading Panel will discuss each player and correlate the information from the coach's appraisal against their observations from the first session.

1.4 Grading Session 2

In the second grading session players will be divided into small sided teams where they all will have the opportunity to play in a team environment, pressure free, but with encouragement. Players will be rotated between teams when it is required, as team balance is being considered at this point.

The player's football qualities from the first session are important to the selection process, but the main objective here is to observe team play, game and positional awareness.

At the end of this session the Grading Panel will again discuss their assessment of players and potential team placement.

If the panel requires a third session, parents and players will be notified at this time and given information for this extra session. If a third session is required, it will be conducted in the same manner as session two.

If no further grading is required, the Grading Panel shall form teams based on observations from the grading sessions and information from the coach appraisal form if required.

A member of the Executive/Committee will communicate how the teams will be announced.

- There may be cases where only one grading session is required and will be an assessment of the Grading Manager/Committee approved by a representative of the Executive/Committee.

1.5 Grading Appeal Process

Once teams have been communicated, if a player or parent has an issue with the selection process, they must address their issue or concern by following the KSFC Grading Appeal Process, which can be located on the Club's website (ksifc.org).

Please note that issues relating to the selection process will not be discussed on the day.

1.6 Coaches & Managers

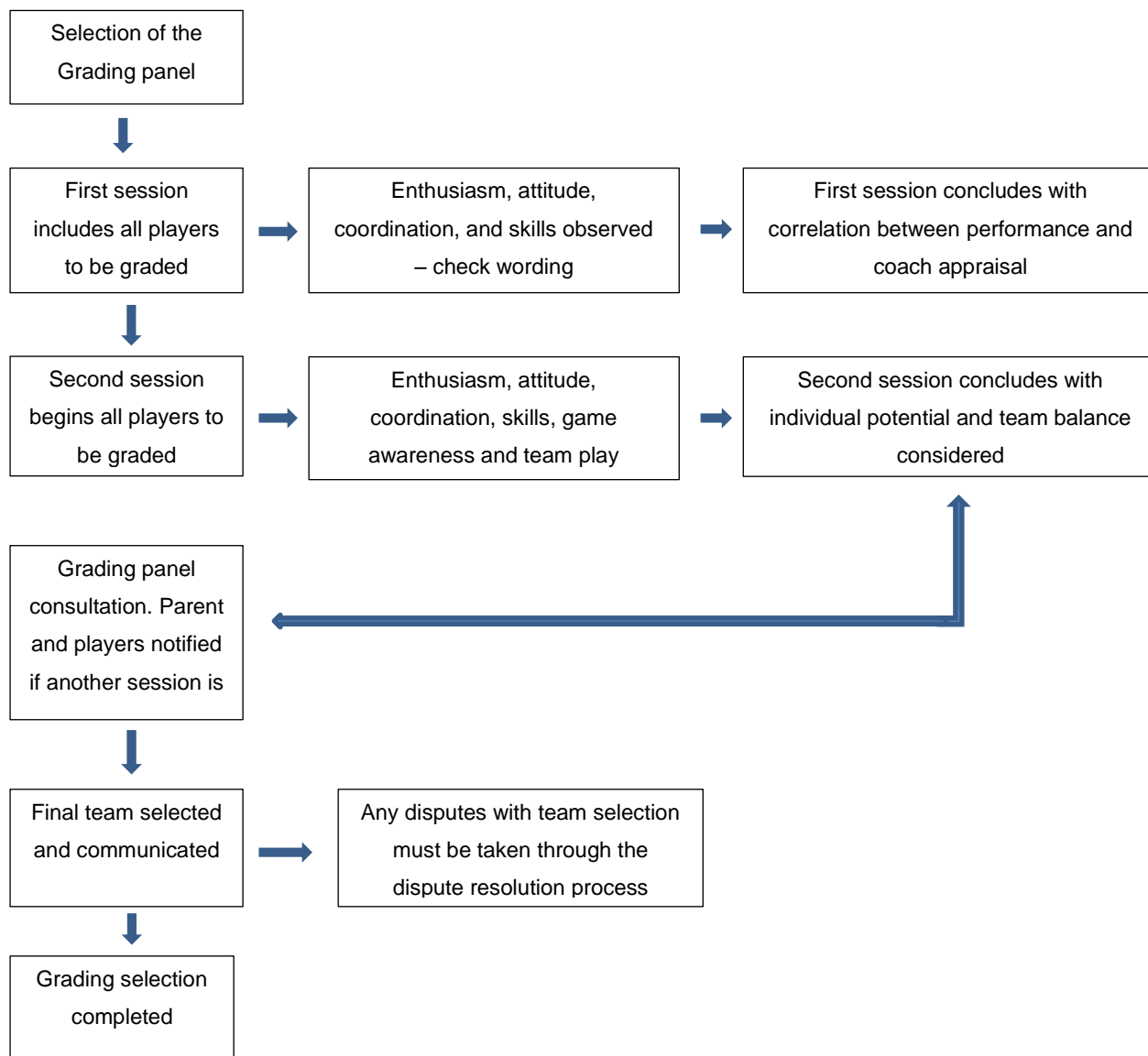
The final part of the Grading Procedure is to appoint Coaches and Managers to teams. If there is not returning coach or manager, these roles must be filled on a voluntary basis before the team is registered to take part in competition. All Coach and Manager appointments are at the discretion of the Executive/Committee.

1.7 Further Note

The Grading Policy and Grading Procedure may not suit your requirements in a community football Club, therefore it is important that you read and understand the KSFC Grading Policy and Procedure prior to deciding whether to register with this Club.

If you are part of an accepted Social team you will still be required to attend your age group grading session as your team needs to be assessed for correct grade nomination.

PART B GRADING PROCESS FLOW CHART



PART C KSFC GRADING ASSESSMENT CRITERIA



KSFC GRADING & ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

| Season: | Age Group: | | Division: | Coach / Manager names: | | |
|-------------|--------------|------------------|---------------|------------------------|------------|---------------|
| Player Name | Ball control | Passing accuracy | Ball Striking | Running with the Ball | Commitment | Sportsmanship |
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