

# Central Coast Oztag Association 2022 Senior State Cup Selection Policy

## Eligibility

In order for players to trial they must be registered in the 2021/22 summer competition or 2022 winter competition and must play a minimum of seven matches in a senior competition to be eligible to play at the tournament.

Players may trial in any number of age groups presuming that they are eligible as below; <u>Men's 20's / Women's 20's / Mixed 20's</u>: Players must still be 20 on the first day of the tournament.

Men's / Women's / Mixed Open: No age limit.

<u>Women's 30's</u>: Players must be 30 years or older by 31st December of the year of the tournament. Teams are entitled to TWO exceptions (must be aged 28 or 29 by the first day of the tournament). ONLY applies to 2022

<u>Women's 40's</u>: Players must be 40 years or older by 31st December of the year of the tournament. Teams are entitled to TWO exceptions (must be aged 38 or 39 by the first day of the tournament). ONLY applies to 2022

<u>Mixed Seniors</u>: Women must be 30 years or older by 31st December of the year of the tournament, men must be 35 years or older by 31st December of the year of the tournament (two under age players are permitted).

Men's 30's, 35's, 40's, 45's, 50's, 55's & 60's: Players must be the age of the division they are playing in or older by 31st December the year of the tournament.

## **Selections**

Teams of 16 and shadows will be named after the trials on Monday 21 March.

Central Coast Oztag will only be sending one team in each division unless agreed upon by the Committee after the trials. Should two teams be sent in a particular division, the coach of the first team reserves the right to call up a player from the second team for the tournament. A shadow would then be brought into the second side.

### **Shadows**

Shadows will be selected for each team and expected to attend training sessions. In the event that players don't attend training, the coaches can select from outside these shadow positions. Should shadows be attending training they will be selected if a position becomes available.

## **Selection Process**

All other teams will be selected by the coach at an open training session/trial. At least one independent selector will be assigned for each Opens and 20s trial.

Should the coach have a relative in the age group, the selection of them will be at the sole discretion of an independent selector.

Any player who can not attend the trial for any reason must notify the coach PRIOR to the trial commencing.