



# THE FDP KEY INFORMATION

## PROGRAMME ENTRY

We will run a 6 week introduction to the Petone FDP, open to all participants that have registered for the programme (free of charge).

This 6 week period will include:

- (a) an introduction night for parents to understand the programme,
- (b) 6 trainings so players can get a feel for the environment,
- (c) a parent induction night for us to meet parents and get sign off on policy for the year.

At the end of the 6 week period players & parents will be asked to decide if they wish to be in the programme. Confirmation of decision needs to be made by the **5th of April**.

If we do not have capacity for everyone:

- We will provide entry to players and parents that we believe have best met our development criteria.
- All players that are not invited into the programme will be placed on a waiting list and also offered a place in our Skill Builder sessions.
- We will attempt to find additional local coaches that wish to follow the Petone F.C. coaching approach and create an additional FDP team.

## KEY TIMES AND DATES

Introduction training period:

- (a) **Introduction night:** Monday 27th Feb, 6pm
- (b) **6 weeks of trainings:** Wed Feb 22nd - 29th March.  
4.15 - 5.15pm
- (c) **Parent FDP parent sign-up:** Wed 5th April 5:00pm

Winter season trainings:

- (a) Start date: Thursday, April 27th.
- (b) Finish date: Thursday, September 21st.
- (c) Training times: Tuesday & Thursday 4:15 - 5:15pm
- (d) Training venue: Petone Memorial Park
- (e) No training public holidays or school holidays

## COACHING

Our approach to coaching is to develop local volunteer and youth coaches by providing them with curriculum, mentoring, and support from our experienced lead coaches to grow local coaching while ensuring quality session planning and delivery.

**Session delivery:** Team coach

**Lead coach:** Sam Pickering

**Technical Director:** Ryan Edwards

## TEAMS

We will run as many teams as we have FDP coaches for.

The teams will train twice a week and play on Saturdays.

## COST

Club subs : \$150

Programme development fee : \$400

Training Kit - see page 16

The programme development fee goes towards:

- Technical Centre costs
- Coach development & coach mentoring;
- Curriculum provision & development;
- Programme equipment, gear, & general expenses;
- Turf bookings
- Volunteer support initiatives

Please note the club is a not-for-profit organisation. These fees are to support the growth of the programme. The programme cost is already subsidised by sponsors and other club programmes to lower the cost for participants.



# OUR TECHNICAL CENTRE EXPLAINED

## AIMS FOR OUR TECHNICAL CENTRE

- 1) Provide all players in the FDP with an opportunity to develop their football skills.
- 2) Offer players a fun, well coached, and professionally run training environment.
- 3) Develop our volunteer coaches and train them to deliver good sessions that follow a training curriculum.
- 4) Build relationships across the football community for players, coaches, and parents.

## KEY TIMES AND DATES

### Term 2 Technical Centre

- (a) Start date: Thursday, April 27th.
- (b) Finish date: Thursday June 29th.
- (c) Training times: Tues & Thurs 4:15 - 5:15pm
- (d) Training venue: Petone Memorial Park

### Term 3 Technical Centre

- (a) Start date: Tuesday, July 18th.
- (b) Finish date: Thursday, September 21st.
- (c) Training times: Tues & Thurs 4:15 - 5:15pm
- (d) Training venue: Petone Memorial Park

No training public holidays or school holidays

## ENTRY

This is for all players placed into the FDP programme. These training sessions will serve as the team's two training sessions per week during the season.

## COST

\$400 for the year (excl. club subs).

The programme fee pays towards:

- Programme equipment, gear, & general expenses;
- Coach development & coach mentoring;
- Curriculum provision & development;
- Coaching costs & support.

Please note Petone is a not-for-profit organisation. These fees only contribute towards supporting the growth of the programme.

## COACHING

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