

**SOUTHS UNITED FOOTBALL CLUB INC.**

# **Dress Code Juniors**

(MiniRoos and Divisional)



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## **Scope**

The Club acknowledges the flagship nature of the Junior SYL, Division 1 and/or Division 2 teams (including Junior Divisional Girls' Teams). It also acknowledges the more social intent of the Division 3 – 9 teams (including Junior Divisional Girl's Teams) and the development aspect of the MiniRoos teams. All players and team officials will be expected to abide by the Dress Code outlined herein.

## **Coaches**

### **SYL and Division 1 and/or 2 teams**

#### **Fixtures and Official Club Events**

Coaches have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The Coach must wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then either the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) must be worn. The Club jacket is available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Coaches must wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Coach may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

#### **Training Sessions:**

The Club has a standard training uniform (shirt and shorts). These can be purchased through the Souths Shop. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then either the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) must be worn. The Club jacket is available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

### **Division 3 – 9 teams**

#### **Fixtures and Official Club Events**

Coaches have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The Coach must wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. If weather conditions dictate

the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket may be worn. The Club's hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Coaches may elect to wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Coach may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

#### Training Sessions:

The Club has a standard training uniform (shirt and shorts). These can be purchased through the Souths Shop.

### **MiniRoos teams**

#### Fixtures and Official Club Events

Coaches have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The Coach must wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket may be worn. The Club's hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Coaches may elect to wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Coach and Assistant Coach may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

#### Training Sessions:

The Club has a standard training uniform (shirt and shorts). These can be purchased through the Souths Shop.

## **Managers**

### **SYL and Division 1 and/or 2 Teams**

#### **Fixtures and Official Club events:**

The Managers are required to wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures. These are available for purchase at the Souths Shop at a subsidised cost – for Managers only. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket, Club's hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Managers are encouraged to wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Manager may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

#### **Training Sessions:**

Managers may wear the Club polo and club jacket at training sessions however this is not compulsory.

### **Division 3 – 9 Teams**

#### **Fixtures and Official Club events:**

It is preferred that Managers wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures. These are available for purchase at the Souths Shop at a subsidised cost – Managers only. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket, Club's hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Managers may elect to wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures (though not compulsory) and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Manager may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

Training Sessions:

Managers may wear the Club polo and club jacket at training sessions however this is not compulsory.

**MiniRoos Teams**

Fixtures and Official Club events:

It is preferred that Managers wear the Club polo shirt to, at and from all fixtures. These are available for purchase at the Souths Shop at a subsidised cost – Managers only. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket, Club's hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

Managers may wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to, at and from all fixtures (though not compulsory) and as advised/requested, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below.

In extreme weather conditions, the Manager may wear black dress/walk shorts and joggers. See the standards for dress/walk shorts below. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

Training Sessions:

Managers may wear the Club polo and club jacket at training sessions however this is not compulsory.

## **Players**

### **SYL and Division 1 and/or 2 Teams**

#### **Fixtures and Official Club Events:**

The official Club uniform is to be worn for all fixtures ie Club Shorts, Club Socks and Club Jersey (provided by the Team Manager each week). The Jersey remains the property of Souths United Football Club at the end of the season. The Club playing jersey is to be tucked into the Club playing shorts for the duration of the fixture. Club socks must be worn for each fixture and any tape must be black in colour. The Club shorts and socks are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

**Shin pads MUST be worn during the entirety of each match.**

Players have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The player must wear the Club polo shirt to and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events. Players must wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below. The Club polo shirt is to be worn tucked into the long black pants. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) must be worn. The Club jacket is available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

In extreme weather conditions, players may wear black dress shorts and black shoes. See the standards for dress shorts and shoes below. Should dress shorts be worn by players, they must be purchased from the Souths shop. Extreme weather is if the temperature is 30° or above or as advised by the Club.

#### **Training Sessions:**

The Club's training shirt is the preferred uniform to be worn at training sessions. It can be purchased through the Souths Shop. Training shorts and socks are also available for purchase through the Souths Shop but are not compulsory. The preferred colour for training shorts and socks is black. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then either the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) or Club hoodie must be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

**Shin pads MUST be worn at every outdoor training session.**

## **Division 3 – 9 Teams**

### Fixtures and Official Club Events:

The official Club uniform is to be worn for all fixtures ie Club Shorts, Club Socks and Club Jersey (provided by the Club Manager each week). The Jersey remains the property of Souths United Football Club at the end of the season. The Club playing jersey is to be tucked into the Club playing shorts for the duration of the fixture. Club socks must be worn for each fixture and any tape must be black in colour. The Club shorts and socks are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

**Shin pads MUST be worn during the entirety of each match.**

Players have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The player must wear the Club polo shirt to and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events. Players may wear black dress shorts (on sale from the Souths Shop) or long black pants, black socks and black shoes to and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below. The Club polo shirt is to be worn tucked into the black dress shorts or long black pants. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) or Club Hoodie should be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

### Training Sessions:

The Club's training shirt is the preferred uniform to be worn at training sessions. It can be purchased through the Souths Shop. Training shorts and socks are also available for purchase through the Souths Shop but are not compulsory. The preferred colour for training shorts and socks is black. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then either the Club jacket or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) or Club Hoodie may be worn. The Club jacket and Hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

**Shin pads MUST be worn to every outdoor training session.**

## **MiniRoos Teams**

### Fixtures and Official Club Events:

The Club playing jersey will be provided to by the Team Manager on a weekly basis. The Club playing jersey remains the property of Souths United Football Club at the end of the season. The Club playing jersey is to be tucked into the Club playing shorts for the duration of the fixture. Players are required to purchase the Club's playing shorts and playing socks. Club socks must be worn for each fixture and any tape must be black in colour. These are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

**Shin pads MUST be worn during the entirety of each match.**

Players have been supplied with a Club polo shirt. The player must wear the Club polo shirt to and from all fixtures and as advised, to official Club events.

It is not expected that players U6 – U11 will be required to wear long black pants, black socks and black shoes to and from all fixtures, however special events for U9 – U11 may require some consideration for this level of dress code. This requirement will be discussed with parents well in advance. See the standard for pants, socks and shoes below. The Club polo shirt is to be worn tucked into the long black pants. If weather conditions dictate the wearing of warmer outer wear, then the Club jacket, Club hoodie or a plain black jacket (no writing or pictures) may be worn. The Club jacket and hoodie are available for purchase through the Souths Shop.

#### Training Sessions:

The Club's training shirt and shorts may be worn to training sessions. These are available for purchase through the Souths Shop but are not compulsory.

**Shin pads MUST be worn at each training session.**

### **ALL JUNIOR PLAYERS – MINIROOS to Under 16**

*The following is an excerpt from Law 4 – The Players' Equipment from the FIFA Laws of the Game 2013 Edition:*

#### Safety

*A player must not use equipment or wear anything that is dangerous to himself or another player (including any kind of jewellery).*

#### Basic Equipment

*The basic equipment of a player comprises the following separate items:*

- *A jersey or shirt with short sleeves – if undergarments are worn, the colour of the sleeve must be the same main colour as the sleeve of the jersey or shirt [will need to be white]*
- *Shorts – if undershorts or tights are worn, they must be the same main colour as the shorts [will need to be black]*
- *Stockings (socks) – if tape or similar material is applied externally it must be the same colour as that part of the stocking (sock) it is applied to [will need to be black] See Note below.*
- *Shinguards*
- *Footwear.*



## *Interpretations of Law 4 –*

### Jewellery

*All items of jewellery (necklaces, rings, bracelets, earrings, leather bands, rubber bands etc) are strictly forbidden and must be removed. Using tape to cover jewellery is not acceptable.*

Note: The Souths Shop (and canteen) sell black tape and 2 widths of black Velcro Shin Guard Holders.

### **Other Club Apparel / Merchandise**

A number of other items are available from the Club's Souths Shop. These include:

- Spray Jacket
- Beanie
- Scarf
- Key Ring
- Coffee Mug (insulated)
- Soft Back Pack
- Stubby Cooler

### **Additional Standards**

#### Long Pants:

- No Skins, jeans, denim, or cargo pants allowed
- Not to have different colour stitching showing
- Not to have adornments eg pictures or diamantes
- Not to be low cut, tight fitting, flares, ripped hems
- Not to be elasticised hems at the bottom of the legs
- Not to be drawstring waists
- Must be full length and not crop

#### Mens examples



### Women's examples



### Dress/Walk Shorts:

- No cargo pants allowed
- Must be black
- Not to have different colour stitching showing
- Not to have adornments eg pictures or diamantes
- No to be low cut, tight fitting, ripped hems
- Not to be drawstring waists



NOTE: These are available for order through the Souths Shop.

SYL, Div 1 and Div 2 players wishing to wear Dress Shorts

MUST purchase them through the Souths Shop so dress uniformity is maintained.

### Socks for long pants:

- Not ankle or Ped or low cut socks
- Acceptable length is ¾ socks



### Socks with Dress/Walk Shorts (Coaches):

- May be ankle or sports socks
- White or black in colour



Shoes for long pants:

- No thongs or boat shoes/stiletto or pumps
- Must be flat or low heeled
- No adornments eg diamantes
- Must be predominately black however totally black is preferred

Mens examples:



Women's examples:



Shoes with Dress/Walk Shorts (Coaches):

- Clean and presentable joggers are acceptable
- Not grass football boots

Examples



Shoes with Dress Shorts (Players):

- Black slip-on or lace up shoes

Examples

