# SCORER AND TIMEKEEPER DUTIES

(ref: Section 30 JNA Game Management Handbook 2024)

### **SCORER AND TIMEKEEPER**

(Scorers & Timekeepers must be a minimum age of 15yrs of age or over)

- i. The Timekeeper and Scorer shall sit together and check both the time and score with each other. The Timekeeper and Scorer are to sit on the chairs provided in the allocated area. The Timekeeper and the timing device must remain in the allocated area during the intervals and the scoresheet must remain on the scorer's chair at all times during intervals. The Timekeeper is to use an official timing device only (no watch or mobile timers).
  - a) During Spring season If games are centrally timed the second named team on the fixtures must still provide a Timekeeper to sit with the Scorer and must also have available a timing device if required.
  - b) Scorers & Timekeepers cannot be substituted during the game, with the exception of the OPENS Competition (refer to "Fines Table Ref. 14 (ii)). \*Exceptions may apply
- ii. The first named team shall provide the Scorer and the second named team shall provide the Timekeeper, unless otherwise stated on the scoresheet.
- iii. The Timekeeper is to advise the umpire when there are thirty (30) seconds and ten (10) seconds remaining prior to the start of the game and each quarter, at the end of an interval or a stoppage. Timekeeper to follow umpire, without speaking to the umpire, when there are 10secs remaining on clock for each quarter. When the Timekeeper follows the umpire for the final 10 seconds of each quarter, teams shall supply a second official to check on the scores with the Scorer.
- iv. Timekeepers and Scorers are to PRINT THEIR NAMES, IN BLOCK CAPITALS, on the scoresheet as indicated and together ensure that the scoresheet (front & back) is completed correctly and printed by all required parties, then returned to the JNA Match Office immediately following the conclusion of the game (penalties will apply if not completed correctly and fully, refer to "Fines Table").

## **GAME TIMING**

#### Winter

Matches played in the Winter GO 10U's, Juniors 11U's, 12U's & 13U's divisions, Junior (15U's & 18U's), Mixed and Open Competitions will consist of 4 x 15-minute quarters with a 3-minute interval at  $\frac{1}{4}$  &  $\frac{3}{4}$  times and 3 minutes at  $\frac{1}{4}$  time.

#### Spring

All Matches played in the Spring Competition will be centrally timed, however, the non-scoring team (2nd named team on fixtures) must still provide a Timekeeper to officiate and sit with the Scorer (refer to "Duties of Scorer & Timekeeper").

Each Match (excluding NSG 7U's to 9U's) shall consist of  $4 \times 12$ -minute quarters, with a 3-minute interval at  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{3}{2}$  times and 3 minutes at  $\frac{1}{2}$  time.

### NetSetGo

All matches in the SET 7U's & 8U's & GO 9U's Competition shall consist of 4 x 10- minute quarters with a 3-minute interval at  $\frac{1}{2}$  and  $\frac{1}{2}$  times and 3 minutes at  $\frac{1}{2}$  time. All matches in the GO 10U's matches will be the same as the times for Junior & Opens matches (refer "Matches – Winter No. (iii) & Spring No. (v)" for further information)"