



PUBLIC SCHOOL USE OF NORTH SYDNEY OVAL POLICY

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Policy Owner: Director Open Space & Infrastructure

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1. STATEMENT OF INTENT

1.1 That Public Schools located in the North Sydney local government area each will be allowed the use of North Sydney Oval on one (1) occasion per calendar year free of hiring fees and subjected only to the costs associated with using the facilities

2. ELIGIBILITY

2.1 This Policy applies only to all Public Schools within the local government area.

3. DEFINITIONS

3.1 Public Schools are defined as Government (or public) schools that are funded and operated by the NSW Government.

3.2 Costs associated with using the facility include but are not limited to: cleaning costs, reimbursement of wages for the provision of security, first aid and generally staff required to operate and prepare the venue for use.

4. PROVISIONS

4.1 Booking of North Sydney Oval is to be made on a seasonal basis in the first instance.

4.2 Applications for seasonal bookings will close each year as follows: Summer Season: First Friday in August Winter Season: First Friday in February.

5. RESPONSIBILITY/ACCOUNTABILITY

5.1 Council's Manager North Sydney Oval & Function Centre is the point of contact with stakeholders to address bookings and ground availability.

6. RELATED POLICIES/DOCUMENTS/LEGISLATION

The Policy should be read in conjunction with the following Council policies and documents:

- Community Strategic Plan
- North Sydney Oval Business Plan
- North Sydney Oval Plan of Management
- Sporting Facilities Booking Policy

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