## SACSSA NATIONAL SPORT POLICY – 2025

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## 1. **DEFINITION**

The SOUTHERN AFRICAN CHRISTIAN SCHOOLS' SPORTS ASSOCIATION (SACSSA) is a service organisation that promotes, co-ordinates and organises sport activities, courses and clinics amongst Christian schools, from inter-school to inter-regional, national and international level.

The Sport Policy is evaluated and will be updated after every National Board Meeting, if necessary.

#### 2. SACSSA STATEMENT OF FAITH

We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative, inerrant Word of God. (11 Timothy 3:16; 11 Peter 1:21)

We believe there is only one God, eternally existent in three persons – Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Genesis 1:1; Matthew 28:19; John 10:30)

We believe in the deity of Christ (John 10:30)

His virgin birth (Isaiah 7:14; Matthew 1:23; Luke 1:35)

His sinless life (Hebrews 4:15; Hebrews 7:26)

His miracles (John 2:11);

His vicarious and anointing death (1 Corinthians 15:3; Ephesians 1:7; Hebrews 2:9);

His resurrection (John 11:25; 1 Corinthians 15:4)

His Ascension to the right hand of the Father (Mark 16:19); and

His personal return in power and glory (Acts 1:11; Revelation 19:11)

We believe in the absolute necessity of regeneration by the Holy Spirit for salvation because of the exceeding sinfulness of human nature; and that men are justified on the single ground of faith in the shed blood of Christ and that only by God's grace and through faith alone are we saved (John 3:16-19; John 5:24; Romans 3:23; Romans 5:8-9; Ephesians 2:8-10; Titus 3:5)

We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; they that are saved unto the resurrection of life, and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation (John 5:28-29).

We believe in the spiritual unity of believers in our Lord Jesus Christ (Romans 8:9; 1 Corinthians 12:12-13; Galatians 3:26-28).

We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling in the Christian is enabled to live a godly life (Romans 8:13-14; 1 Corinthians 3:16; 1 Corinthians 6:9-16; Ephesians 4:30; Ephesians 5:18).

## 3. SACSSA REGIONS (see Annexure "C")

Regions may be formed in the following manner:

- 1. Geographical position
- 2. Association
- 3. Provincial Boundaries

## 4. MEMBERSHIP

## a) Full Memberships

Full Membership is seen as a total commitment from the school, which means that every pupil from the school [Gr 1 & up] is regarded as a SACSSA Member for the whole year.

All schools are required to firstly affiliate to the Region in which they are situated. The Regional Office will process all such applications and include the necessary information in the Regional Information Form.

Schools/Regions **on Full Membership**, do not join SACSSA for a specific sport, but join as Full Members, and therefore may take part in everything that SACSSA offers.

Schools that are situated in areas, where no SACSSA Region has been established yet, shall either affiliate with the closest existing SACSSA Region or if this is not possible, shall affiliate directly with the SACSSA National Office.

Schools that are situated within the specific boundaries of an existing Region, may apply for membership in another Region if acceptable reasons can be supplied. Such applications must be sent to the Regional Offices involved, as well as the National Office, who must then notify the National Board. The National Board will approve or decline such an application.

## b) Associate Membership

Under certain circumstances, schools may apply for Associate Membership, in which case they have the option of paying no monthly levy, with the understanding that their Entry Fees will be increased. Such applications must be made to the specific Regional Office and it is the Regional Committee's prerogative to approve or decline such an application.

See separate document on Associate Membership Policy.

## c) Individual Membership

Individual Membership can be offered to Christian families, who are not part of an existing SACSSA School, or have previously been members and who wish to participate in SACSSA Events. Such Membership must fall under a specific Region, if a Region exists. Should a Region not exist then the Membership shall fall directly under the National Office. The Membership Fee, must be paid either by the Individual directly into the Regional Account, or must be paid into the School, in order to be transferred by the School, into the Regional Account. The participants must obviously be in the correct age group.

## d) Benefit Membership [Regions]

A <u>Region</u> that is situated outside the borders of South Africa, eg Zimbabwe, Namibia, Swaziland, Mozambique, Botswana, etc can be granted **Benefit Membership**, with no Monthly levies.

The SACSSA Board can also approve Benefit Membership, for a new SACSSA Regions, that is situated within the borders of South Africa. Should extraordinary circumstances develop whereby a New Region, after the Benefit Year, are not yet ready to take up Full Membership, the SACSSA Exco can decide to grant them a Grace Year, with special guidelines.

## 5. MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

## a) Full Membership Benefits

Provision of sporting activities.

Use of the Sports Office

Participation in all sports activities organized by SACSSA

Sports clinics and courses for officials and coaches

Training clinics and courses for pupils.

Controlled access to sports equipment and facilities.

Will receive all communication.

Play an active role in the organisation.

## b) Associate Membership Benefits

May enter for all SACSSA events by following the same procedures as Full Members and by paying the stipulated Entry Fee for Associate Members.

## c) Individual Membership

May enter for all SACSSA Events, by following the same procedures as Full Members

## d) Benefit Membership [Regional only]

May enter for all SACSSA Events, by following the same procedures as Full Members.

#### 6. NATIONAL BUDGET & MONTHLY LEVIES

The National Co-ordinator, shall compile a "Proposed National Budget" for the following year.

The "Proposed National Budget" shall be presented to the Finance Committee, for discussion during the half year Exco/Financial Committee Meeting. The Financial Committee will then present it to the National Board, during the half year National Board Meeting, for approval. Based on the approved budget, the Monthly Membership Levy for the following year, shall be communicated to all the Board Members, by e-mail, **no later than the 31st of August**.

## 7. MEMBERSHIP LEVIES (see Annexure "A")

## a) Existing Full Members

A National Monthly Membership Levy is payable in accordance with the number of pupils in a specific school in a specific Region from Gr 1 to Gr 12.

The number of pupils in a School/Region must be established on the 10<sup>th</sup> school day of the New Year and may be adjusted before the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month thereafter.

Every Regional Office will be invoiced on the 20<sup>th</sup> of every month and fees are payable on, or before the 10<sup>th</sup> of the next month.

The levy is payable over 10 months, with the first payment being made on or before 10 February and the final payment being made on or before 10 November. If updated regional/school numbers for the new year, are not available, then the first payment, shall be based on the regional/school numbers at the end of the previous year.

Levies for the following year will be determined by the National Board, no later than 15<sup>th</sup> August of the previous year.

Regions whose levies are outstanding, will not be allowed to enter for any SACSSA National Events, unless a written and acceptable agreement has been made with the National Board

School that are Full Members and that have more than 300 students, will be capped at 300.

## b) Associate Membership

School that fall under Associate Membership, pay no Monthly Levy. See separate policy on Associate Membership.

#### c) Individual Membership

Regions will follow their own discretion, with the understanding that the minimum National Levy and Entry Fees, are payable.

## d) Benefit Members (Regions outside the borders of South Africa)

Regions outside the borders of South Africa, will fall under Benefit Membership. They will pay no monthly levy and will pay the normal Entry Fee, for all SACSSA National Events.

## 8. MISSION SCHOOLS [see Annexure C]

Mission Schools are schools within the existing SACSSA Regions, which are identified as Mission Schools, due to specific financial constraints.

Such schools must complete an Application for Mission Status and forward such application to their Regional Representatives, who are responsible for bringing such applications to the National Board. Such applications must serve before the National Board, during the final meeting of the year and the Board will decide to what extent such schools will be assisted financially or otherwise.

Once granted Mission School status, such schools must put in an annual application to continue to be regarded as such.

## 9. PENALTIES (see Annexure "A")

All penalties that are handed down by the National Office, will be followed up with the school/region concerned.

## 10. NATIONAL CO-ORDINATOR

- a. The National Co-ordinator shall be appointed by the National Board.
- b. The position shall be regarded as a permanent employment.
- c. It is the task of the National Co-ordinator to compile, together with the National Board, the National Calendar, with dates, venues and organisers, for all National Activities to take place.
- d. It is the responsibility of the National Co-ordinator, together with the Financial Committee to do the necessary Customer Controls according to SACSSA Policy.
- e. It is the responsibility of the National Co-ordinator to ensure that SACSSA Policy is adhered to.
- f. The National Co-ordinator shall send out notices on the following term's sporting activities, with guidelines as decided by the National Board.
- g. The National Co-ordinator shall be responsible for organising/co-ordinating all National events.
- h. The National Co-ordinator shall do all communication via the Regional Offices, until such a time that specific individuals/teams are invited for National Activities, after which, communication may be done directly to the schools involved, as well as to the Regional Office.
- i. The National Co-ordinator may employ an assistant and the salary of such an assistant shall be determined by negotiation with the Financial Committee and the amount decided on shall be paid from the National Account

## 11. REGIONAL CO-ORDINATORS

- a. Every Region shall appoint a Regional Sport Co-ordinator.
- b. It will depend on the specific Region, whether such a person is appointed on a full time or part time capacity.
- c. The Regional Sport Co-ordinator shall be re-imbursed by the Region, based on a negotiated package between the Region and the appointed Co-ordinator.
- d. The Regional Co-ordinator shall compile, together with the Regional Committee, the Regional calendar, with dates, venues and organisers for all Regional Activities to take place.
- e. The Regional Co-ordinator shall be the liaison between the Region and the National Office.
- f. The Regional Co-ordinator shall complete an updated SACSSA REGIONAL INFORMATION FORM, on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of each term and send it through to the National Office, as well as to all the schools in their Region.
- g. This form will be provided by the National Office.

## 12. SACSSA NATIONAL BOARD

Each Region may appoint two representatives to the SACSSA National Board. The Regional Coordinator should be an automatic appointment.

The Chairman and Vice-Chairman will be appointed by the Board from the current Board Members. The chairman and vice-chairman are appointed for a period of three years and may be re-elected, or released earlier, if necessary.

Each Representative shall have one vote and a Representative is entitled to cast a vote on behalf of another Representative, who may be absent.

## 13. SACSSA EXCO & FINANCE COMMITTEE

The SACSSA National Board shall appoint people to serve on the **Exco & Finance Committee**. These appointments shall be made during the last Board Meeting of the year and the appointments shall be for a three year period.

The duties of the Finance Committee shall be the following:

- a. To look at the proposed National Budget as presented by the National Office for the following year and make recommendations to the National Board, at or before the half-year Budget Meeting.
- b. To look at the Individual Sports Budgets as compiled by the National Office and make recommendations to the National Office before the Entry Fee is established.
- c. Compile the Financial Policy

## 14. NATIONAL BOARD EXPENSES

If finances allow, the National Account, shall cover 50% of the expenses for travelling, accommodation and catering to and during the Board Meetings, while the individual Regional Offices are responsible for the outstanding amount.

## 15. CO-OPTED MEMBERS

The National Board shall appoint certain persons as co-opted members, for specific tasks. The expenses of such Co-opted Members, should their presence be required at any of the Meetings, will be covered by the National Account.

## 16. HOSTING SCHOOLS/REGIONS

Schools/Regions will be asked from time to time, to host National Activities, or to assist in certain functions connected to a National Activity.

## 17. EXPENSE CLAIMS

The Hosting School or Individual Organiser, may submit claims on certain expenses incurred during the hosting or organising of National Activities, provided that a budget has been submitted.

## 18. NATIONAL CALENDAR (see separate document)

The National Co-ordinator shall compile a Provisional Calendar for the following year, which shall be presented to the National Board, during the half-year meeting, for approval. The National Calendar for the following year, should as far as possible be finalized by the end of August

## 19. REGIONAL CALENDARS

Every Region shall set its own Annual Calendar. When setting the Regional Calendar, the following must be kept in mind:

- The Regional Activities as per term, must be set with the National Calendar in mind.
- Regions that wish to be represented at the various National Championships, must schedule their final Qualifying Regional Event, at least three weeks before the National Event, unless otherwise stipulated.
- Regions must submit their Regional Calendars to the National Office, no later than the end of September of the current year
- Regional Calendars must include all dates for SACSSA National Events

## 20. REGIONAL RESULT FORMS

Regional Result Forms shall be issued to all the Regions, by the National Co-ordinator.

The completed Result Forms shall be submitted to the National Office, on or before the Due Date, as communicated.

Failure to submit the Result Form, with <u>all</u> the information as required, or beyond the Due Date, can result in a penalty, or the entry not being accepted. [see Annexure A]

Should no further communication be received, before the Final Cut-off date and time, then the organiser will accept that the entries have been checked and found to be 100% correct.

When submitting the Regional Result Form, the Regional Co-ordinator, must inform the National Co-ordinator, which school/s may not be invited to the National Event, due to finances outstanding.

## 21. PROVISIONAL ENTRIES

The National Co-ordinator, shall compile the Provisional Entries for the specific National Event. The Provisional Entries will include any individuals/teams that were originally indicated as Reserve Team, that can be accommodated. The National Co-ordinator will return the Provisional Entries to the Regional Co-ordinator, to be distributed to the Schools that have been invited. Schools will then have a specific number of days to accept the entries or to withdraw.

## 22. EVENT BUDGETS & ENTRY FEES

The National Office will compile a budget for each National Event, which will be presented to the Finance Committee for approval.

Based on the budget for every specific event, the Entry Fee will then be passed on to the different regions, at least 30 days before the event

Entry Fees for all National, Invitational, Inter-Regional and Inter-National Events are paid into the Regional Accounts.

Entry Fees for Individual Events will be based on the number of entries at the final check. Entry Fees for Team Sports shall be determined individually for every sport event.

Schools/Regions whose Entry Fees are outstanding for more than 30 days, may be prevented from taking part in future National Events, until such accounts are paid.

Participants/Teams withdrawing after the Final Check has been completed, are still liable for the Entry Fees.

All Entry Fees are to be paid into the Regional Account and must be done so within 3 days of receiving the invoice for the specific event.

#### 23. OFFICIALS

Regions shall be required to submit a specific number of qualified **and competent** officials, according to the number of entries.

Failure to submit enough qualified and competent officials, shall result in a fee to be paid per official that is in short supply [see Annexure A]

Hosting Regions may be asked to provide additional officials and will also be responsible for certain administrative tasks.

## 24. KEY OFFICIALS.

The Tournament Organiser will appoint certain key officials, such as:

- a. Tournament Referee [Volleyball, Soccer, Netball, Table Tennis, etc]
- b. Tournament Director [Chess]
- c. Event Manager.
- d. Other, as identified per event.

These Key Officials shall be reimbursed at the amount as stipulated under Annexure A. If a sufficiently qualified Tournament Referee cannot be found amongst the SACSSA Schools that have entered for the Tournament, then the Tournament Organizer may appoint a person from outside SACSSA or from a SACSSA school that has not entered for the Tournament. Should this be the case, then a travelling fee will be added.

#### 25. GENERAL APPEARANCE AND CONDUCT.

The National Office will give guidelines towards the expected dress code for all National Activities, for participants and officials.

It is the responsibility of every Principal/Sport Co-ordinator to ensure that the general appearance and dress code of participants and officials, is in accordance with stipulated dress code for the specific activity.

For the sake of clarity, the following general rules are laid down.

- a) No boy may participate in any activity organized by SACSSA, while wearing jewellery of any kind.
- b) Smoking and substance abuse by participants or spectators on or around the stands/courts/fields will not be tolerated.
- c) Any form of disrespect will not be tolerated.
- d) Arguing with an official by a participant or any related person could result in the individual / team being disqualified.

The National Sports Coordinator or National Board Members, or Events Manager may through general consensus decide to withdraw an individual/team from participating, should the general appearance and/or conduct not be regarded as representing the standards expected by SACSSA and the values for which it stands.

Officials and staff are expected to dress in a way to set a sound example for the participants.

All officials shall wear the stipulated dress at SACSSA National Events or other events, where SACSSA is represented. Should officials not wear the stipulated shirt, a shirt on loan may be issued by the organizing official.

See Annexure "H" for the SACSSA Code of Conduct.

## 26. JURY OF APPEAL

A Jury of Appeal shall be appointed for all SACSSA National Events prior to the event.

At least one member of the SACSSA National Board shall be represented on the Jury of Appeal.

## 27. REGIONAL IDENTIFICATION

Regions shall be identified by means of the following colours, especially in Athletics and Swimming:

Botswana
Free State
Crange
Eastern Province
White and Red

G7 Yellow

Royal Blue and Red Gauteng Kwa Zulu Natal Black and White Red and Blue Limpopo Mpumalanga Red and black Magalies Yellow/red/green Namibia Black/Turquoise/White Vaal West Green and Navy Blue Cobalt Blue & White Western Province

Zimbabwe Red with Zimbabwe written

New Regions are required to present their colours and pattern, by coloured sketch, to the National Board for approval

## 28. AGE GROUPS (see separate document)

Age groups are determined by means of the year of birth.

It is the responsibility of every school and region to ensure that participants are entered in the correct age groups.

It is under certain conditions acceptable for a younger participant to compete in an older age group, but never vice versa.

Participants who are entered incorrectly may be disqualified or if arrangements are made beforehand, such entries may be accepted as unofficial entries. Should members of a team, be found to be too old for the age group, the whole team may be disqualified at the discretion of the Jury of Appeal of the event.

During all SACSSA National Events, a copy of the participant's ID or Birth Certificate must be available, should it be requested.

#### 29. WITHDRAWING FROM AN EVENT

Should a team or members of a school or region withdraw from an event after entries have been finalised, without an acceptable reason, a withdrawal penalty will be levied, if the event is run on a Round Robin basis. [see Annexure A] Entry Fees, are still payable.

A participant or team that has entered for a meeting or tournament, is expected to participate for the whole duration of the event and may not withdraw at any stage before the end of the event, unless a medical condition or family trauma has occurred. The penalty in such a case will be the same as for a "No Show"

Acceptable reasons of withdrawal are: -

- a) Doctor confirmed sickness or injury. (Doctor's note)
- b) Family trauma

## 30. NON-APPEARANCE - "NO SHOW"

A school, contestant or official, who is unable to attend a meeting, for which they are entered, due to circumstances beyond their control, must notify the organiser immediately.

Circumstances beyond control, include a medical condition or family trauma.

An entrant who does not turn up at the event, shall be regarded as a "No Show" and a "No Show Fee" shall be charged in Round Robin based events. The Entry Fee is still payable.

An Officials' Fee shall be charged if the number of officials were in short supply or if the Official does not turn up at the event.

#### 31. COMPLAINTS

All official complaints by a participating school against another school or members of a school must be made by the Team Manager, directly to the Event co-ordinator/organiser and must be accompanied by an Appeal Fee. The fee will be returned, should the appeal be successful.

All official appeals will be followed up and a report given to the complainant.

Fees payable are set out in "Annexure A"

The following are the most common complaints that may occur:

- 1) Schools or Regions not responding on or before the deadline date.
- 2) Schools or participants withdrawing from a meeting after the entries have been made or accepted.
- 3) Schools or participants arriving late for their meetings.
- 4) Participants or Officials not dressed according to the prescribed dress code for the specific meeting.
- 5) Teams or individual participants not turning up at sports meetings, without prior notice.
- 6) Participants not taking part in their correct age groups.
- 7) Improper conduct of participants or members of a school, including officials and parents, e.g. bad language, disobedience, bad attitudes, defiance, use of tobacco or alcohol.

## 32. COMPLAINTS AND DISCIPLINARY STEPS

All official complaints will be followed up by the Jury of Appeal and if necessary will be brought before the National Board.

Steps taken against a guilty party can be one of the following:

- 1. A warning
- 2. Disqualification
- 3. Withdrawal from activity/event.
- 4. Disciplinary Penalty as laid out in "Annexure A"
- 5. Disallowing participation for a specific period of time.
- 6. Withdrawal of membership

Steps 1-3 will be at the discretion of the Jury of Appeal

Step 4, 5 and 6 will serve before the National Board

If a school or participant is found guilty, they will also be liable to pay any expenses incurred by the investigating team.

## 33. APPEALS AGAINST DISCIPLINARY STEPS

Schools or members of a school can appeal against disciplinary steps against them, by making an appeal to the Chairman of the National Board.

Such an appeal must be accompanied by an appeal fee.

The complainant may be required to state his/her case in person.

Should the appeal be successful, the fee will be paid back, but should it be unsuccessful, the complainant shall forfeit the fee.

No additional claims or costs, will be covered by the Regional Committee or National Board.

## 34. APPEAL AGAINST A RESULT

A Verbal Appeal against a result may be lodged immediately to the official at the event.

Should the Verbal Appeal not be accepted by the official, the participant should lodge a written appeal through the Team Manager or in the absence of a Team Manager, through another adult representative from the School or Region.

Such Appeals shall be made by completing the Official Appeal Form and by paying the Official Appeal Fee to the Meet Manager [see Annexure A]

In the absence of an Official Appeal Form, the appeal shall still be made in writing.

Without the Appeal being made in writing and paying the Appeal Fee, the Jury of Appeal may not hear any Appeal.

#### 35. NON-MEMBER PARTICIPATION

Schools that are not SACSSA Members, may be invited by the Regions to participate in Zonal and/or Regional Events, at the discretion of the Regional Committee. Such participation is seen as a way to reach out to Non-Member Schools to try and encourage them to become members of SACSSA. Such Non-Member participation, may never reach SACSSA National level.

Invitations can also be sent to Non-Members in events, such as Invitational Swimming and Invitational Athletics.

## **36.NATIONAL COLOURS**

See Individual Policies for specific Sporting Codes [Swimming, Cross Country, Athletics]

## 37.ORDERING & PAYMENT OF SACSSA NATIONAL CLOTHING

Individuals who are awarded SACSSA National Colours, shall order such clothing directly from the National Office by completing the relevant Order Form. A copy of the Order Form must also be sent to their own Regional Office. Payments must be made into the specific Regional Account.

## 38. GOVERNMENT SCHOOL LEAGUE OR CLUB PARTICIPATION

SACSSA Member School, may at their own discretion, participate in any Government or Private School Leagues or Club Competitions.

## 39. NATIONAL OFFICE COMMUNICATION

- a. National Office communication is done **primarily** by means of e-mails.
- b. Regional Offices and Schools are requested to obtain an e-mail address as soon as possible, either at their own premises or at a convenient contact.
- c. Communication intended for the schools, will be sent to the Regional Offices, whose responsibility it will be to forward such communication to their schools. Such communication will also be posted on the SACSSA website.
- d. The National Office may also find it necessary to communicate directly with the schools/parents, once specific participants have been identified and information from the schools is required urgently.
- e. It may be necessary for some communication to be done during times when schools are on holiday. It is the responsibility of the Regional Co-ordinators and schools to go onto the SACSSA website, to receive the information and to respond as requested. In such cases the Regional Co-ordinators must receive an SMS from the National Office, to warn them of such communication.
- f. The SACSSA Board has compiled a set of SACSSA E-mail Communication Principles, which must be sent to all Members and must be discussed during Regional Meetings. The Communication Principles will be updated from time to time.

## **40.AMENDMENTS**

Amendments to the Sport Policy can be made through majority vote during any of the National Board Meetings or by internet communication and will be communicated by the National Office to the

schools via the Regional Offices and the amendments will be made to the relevant document on the SACSSA website.

Should no answer on a suggested amendment be received from any of the Board Members, on or before the deadline date as stipulated, it will be taken for granted that the Board Member is in agreement with the suggested amendment.

Any amendments to the National Policy must be posted on the SACSSA website, within 7 days of the amendment being accepted.

#### IN CONCLUSION

Although physical development will always take third position after Spiritual and Academic development, let us recognise sport as one of the necessary components in the total development of a person and one of the great character builders. We believe that the contact made in sporting activities will create opportunities for Christian Fellowship and Healthy Competition.

The SACSSA Sport Policy must be read as an addendum to the SACSSA Constitution.

## "ANNEXURE A"

## **Levies, Fees and Penalties -2025**

<u>Page</u>	Levy / Fee / Penalty Description			<u>An</u>	<u>nount</u>
4	National Full Membership Levy	Per Pupil/Month Feb to Nov [Gr 1 and u	ıp]	R	5.50
3	Associate Membership	See separate document			
3	Individual Membership	To be determined by the Region			
5	Late Entry Penalty	Per Participant/Team/Official/per day		R1:	50.00
5	Special Additional Entry	Only Ind Sport / Only official mistake		R10	00.00
5	Incomplete Entry Form	Per School or Region per day		$\mathbf{R}$	50.00
6	Failure to supply enough Officials	Cost per Official per day in short supply	7	R40	00.00
7	Late Withdrawal Penalty after programme/start sheets have been finalized			R30	00.00
7	Key Officials' Fee	Volleyball, Netball, Six-a-Side Soccer,			
		7-a-Side, Chess, Table Tennis, Mini-Cri	icket	R90	00.00
9	Withdrawing during a Tournament I	Per Participant/Team/Official		R30	00.00
10	Complaints Fee	Per Complaint		R:	50.00
9	No Show Penalty [Round Robin Eve	ents] Per Participant/Team		R30	00.00
10	Disciplinary Penalty	Per Participant/Team/Official	R 50.00 –	- R1:	50.00
10	Appeal Fee	Per Participant/Team		R1:	50.00

Any of the above fees can be amended, depending on the specific circumstances.

## **ANNEXURE "B"**

## SACSSA REGIONS - 2025

Eastern Province - As established by the Provincial Boundaries

Free State [Free State & Northern Cape]

Gauteng – Johannesburg & Pretoria and Gauteng Provincial Boundaries.

G7 - Established by association between specific schools in Gauteng.

Kwa-Zulu Natal - As established by the Provincial Boundaries

**Limpopo** - As established by the Provincial Boundaries

Magalies – Brits and Hartbeespoort Areas

Mpumalanga - As established by the Provincial Boundaries

Vaal West - North West & Vaal Triangle

Western Province - As established by the Provincial Boundaries

## SACSSA BENEFIT REGIONS – 2025

Zimbabwe – As established by the borders of Zimbabwe. Namibia – As established by the borders of Namibia. Botswana – As established by the borders of Botswana Any other neighbouring Region, may apply.

## **ANNEXURE "C"**

## **MISSION SCHOOLS – 2025**

The following schools have been granted Mission School Status.

## Kwa-Zulu Natal

Domino Servite School John Wesley [Kosi Bay] John Wesley [Eshowe] John Wesley [Pinetown] Kings Word Academy Missio Dei Christian School

Joy House

## **Mpumalanga**

Adullam Christian Academy

#### **ANNEXURE "D"**

## SACSSA NATIONAL BOARD 2025

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## **REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVES**

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ANNEXURE "E" – SACSSA Age Groups [see separate document on www.sacssa.co.za]

ANNEXURE "F" – SACSSA National Calendar [see separate document on www.sacssa.co.za]

ANNEXURE "G" – Associate Membership Policy [see document on www.sacssa.co.za]

ANNEXURE "H" – Individual Membership [Check with the Regional Office]

**ANNEXURE "I" – Basic Code of Conduct [see separate document]** 

# Our prayer

"God grant us the wisdom to discover and develop the talents that You have placed in every individual pupil and teacher. Help us to develop these talents to its full potential. Help us to set an example in our conduct that everyone can follow"

**AMEN**