

Football For All — Gala Day — 2026

EVENT INFORMATION

SATURDAY 5th SEPTEMBER 2026
HOME OF THE MATILDA'S, BUNDOORA

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**FOOTBALL FOR
ALL ABILITIES**



**UNITING OUR VICTORIAN ALL ABILITIES
FOOTBALL COMMUNITY**

UNITY INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY



WHAT IS THE FOOTBALL FOR ALL GALA DAY ABOUT?

WELCOME

Football Victoria (FV) is proud to welcome you to the 2026 FV Football for All Gala Day. FV is committed to ensuring that football is a sport for all. The Gala Day is an opportunity for everyone to come together, enjoy football, have fun and celebrate All Abilities football in Victoria.

FV recognises our players, families, coaches, volunteers and clubs for their contribution to creating a welcoming and enjoyable football experience for everyone.

We wish you all a fantastic day of football!

OUR EVENT PRINCIPLES



UNITY

There are over 25 clubs in Victoria who host an All Abilities program. The Football for Gala All day aims to unite all the programs and bring everyone together.



INCLUSIVE

Our event is designed to ensure everyone can participate and enjoy football, in a safe, welcoming and supportive environment. It is to celebrate the diversity and strength of our community, and showcase talents of all abilities footballers.



COMMUNITY

The gala day aims to strengthen community bonds by connecting participants, families, supporters, partner organisations and build a community.

PROUDLY SUPPORTED BY



We extend our sincere thanks and gratitude to our valued supporters for their support of the 2026 Football for All Gala Day

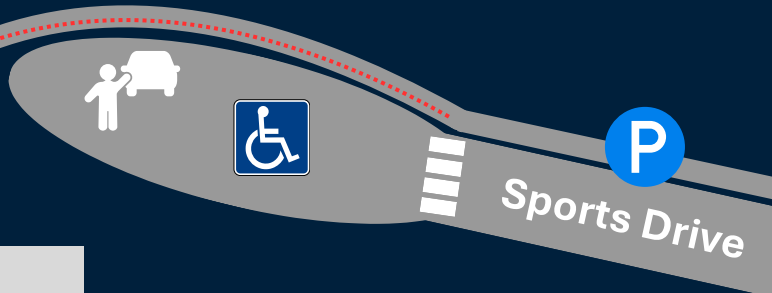
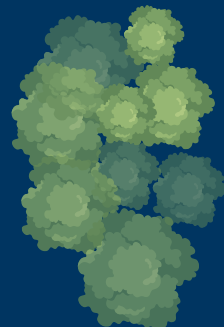


Plenty Road



EVENT MAP

Football For All
— Gala Day —
2026



EVENT MAP KEY:

	Drop off zone		Food / Drink		First Aid
	Accessible parking		Activity zone		Men's Changerooms
	Car park		Information / Lost and Found		Women's Changerooms
	Toilets		Evacuation point		Entry and exit points
	Changing places facility		Quiet rooms		Path to Venue Entry
	Parents room		Quiet Spaces		
	Drinking water taps		Facepainting		



FOOTBALL FOR ALL ABILITIES

WHAT HAPPENS AT THE GALA DAY?

There's plenty happening throughout the day!

Check out the activities, clinics and special appearances below.

MAIN ACTIVITIES OF THE DAY:



Teams play football matches
Friendly football matches between clubs



Grand-Finals
Grand-finals for the Senior Division of the Football Victoria All Abilities League



Clinics
FV All Abilities Football for fun Clinic & W&G CP Football Clinic

OTHER ACTIVITIES:



ParaRoos Player appearances
Professional football player appearances from the ParaRoos



Activity Zone & Facepainting
Facepainting, inflatables and activities



Special Olympics Training
Watch the Special Olympics Victorian team training in action as they prepare for the National Games!

TIMETABLE:

Time	Activity	Location
All Day	Football Matches	Pitches 1, 3, 4 & 5
9.30am-11.00am	Women and Girls CP Football Clinic	Pitch 4B
10.00am-2.00pm	Activity Zone	Pitch 4
10.30am-1.00pm	Face Painting	Foyer (Inside)
11.00am-12.00pm	FV All Abilities Football Skills Clinic (All Ages)	Pitch 4A
11.00am-12.00pm	ParaRoos Player Engagement	Pitch 3
12.15pm-1.15pm	FV All Abilities Football Skills Clinic (All Ages)	Pitch 4A
12.30pm-1.30pm	Watch the Special Olympics Victorian Football team train	Pitch 4B
1.15pm	Social & Senior Medal Presentations	Near pitch 1
1.40pm	Junior & Youth Medal Presentations	Near pitch 1

FIXTURES

JUNIOR DIVISION

10-MINUTE HALVES, 5-MINUTES HALF TIME

11.40am	TCHF Whittlesea United SC	VS	Hoppers Crossing SC	Pitch 3C
12.20pm	Footscray United Rangers FC	VS	TCHF Whittlesea United SC	Pitch 3A
12.20pm	Manningham United Football Club	VS	Northcote City FC	Pitch 3B
12.20pm	Maroondah United FC White	VS	Hoppers Crossing SC	Pitch 3C
12.20pm	Mitchell Rangers SC	VS	Maroondah United FC Teal	Pitch 3D
1.00pm	Footscray United Rangers FC	VS	Maroondah United FC Teal	Pitch 3B
1.00pm	Manningham United Football Club	VS	Mitchell Rangers SC	Pitch 3C
1.00pm	Northcote City FC	VS	Maroondah United FC White	Pitch 3D

YOUTH DEVELOPMENT DIVISION

15-MINUTE HALVES, 5-MINUTES HALF TIME

11.00am	Manningham United FC Blue	VS	Northcote City FC	Pitch 3A
11.00am	Footscray United Rangers FC	VS	Collingwood Eagles FC	Pitch 3B
11.00am	Hoppers Crossing SC	VS	Avondale FC	Pitch 3C
BYE - MANNINGHAM UNITED FC WHITE				
11.40am	Collingwood Eagles FC	VS	Manningham United FC White	Pitch 3A
11.40am	Northcote City FC	VS	Hoppers Crossing SC	Pitch 3B
11.40am	Manningham United FC Blue	VS	Avondale FC	Pitch 3D
BYE - FOOTSCRAY UNITED RANGERS FC				
12.20pm	Manningham United FC White	VS	Footscray United Rangers FC	Pitch 4C

MEDAL PRESENTATIONS

MEDAL PRESENTATIONS FOR MATCH-PLAYING PARTICIPANTS

1.40pm	Junior Division & Youth Division Medal Presentations	Near Pitch 1
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FIXTURES

SOCIAL DIVISION

15-MINUTE HALVES, 5-MINUTES HALF TIME

10.00am	Hampton Park United SFC	VS	DOC Football Academy White	Pitch 1A
10.00am	Victorian Para Football State Team	VS	DOC Football Academy Blue	Pitch 1B
10.00am	DOC Football Academy Yellow	VS	Northern Falcons FC	Pitch 5B
11.00am	Victorian Para Football State Team	VS	Hampton Park United SFC	Pitch 1B
11.00am	Mitchell Rangers SC	VS	Northern Falcons FC	Pitch 5A
11.00am	Glen Eira FC & Regional Rebellions	VS	DOC Football Academy Yellow	Pitch 5B
12.00pm	DOC Football Academy White	VS	Mitchell Rangers SC	Pitch 5A
12.00pm	Glen Eira FC & Regional Rebellions	VS	DOC Football Academy Blue	Pitch 5B

SENIOR DIVISION

20-MINUTE HALVES, 5-MINUTES HALF TIME

10.00am	Northern Falcons FC	VS	Collingwood Eagles FC	Pitch 5A
11.00am	Collingwood Eagles FC	VS	Mansfield Regional Rebellions	Pitch 1A
12.00pm	Mansfield Regional Rebellions	VS	Northern Falcons FC	Pitch 1B

ALL ABILITIES LEAGUE SENIOR METRO DIVISION GRAND-FINALS

25-MINUTE HALVES, 10-MINUTES HALF TIME

12.00pm	Hampton Park United SFC	VS	Oakleigh Cannons FC	Pitch 1A
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MEDAL PRESENTATIONS

MEDAL PRESENTATIONS FOR MATCH-PLAYING PARTICIPANTS

1.15pm	Social Division & Senior Division Medal Presentations	Near Pitch 1
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GETTING THERE

VENUE & ADDRESS



Address: The Home of the Matildas, – 3 Sports Drive, Bundoora 3083 VIC



The Home of the Matilda's in Bundoora, is a purpose-built, high-performance facility for the Australian Women's Football team, the Matilda's.

Please refer to the Visual Story developed for this event, for more information on wayfinding.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT



If you are coming by public transport to the event:

- Macleod Station is the closest train station to the venue
- 86 Tram Stop Browning St/Plenty Rd #58
- 301 Bus Stop Browning St/Plenty Rd
- 561 Bus Stop Browning St/Plenty Rd

CAR PARK INFORMATION



If you are travelling to the event by car:

- **Main Car Park:** There are over 200 car park spots located along Sports Drive
- **Payment:** Parking across the University is **FREE** on weekends.
- **Overflow Parking:** On large event days, the car park spots along Sports Drive are highly likely to fill up. There are overflow parking spots available.

MORE INFORMATION

OVERFLOW PARKING



- Overflow Parking is available.
- Please be prepared allow approximately 15 minutes to make your way from the overflow car park to the venue.

Please refer to the car park map for more information

ACCESSIBLE PARKING



- There are over 30 parking bays located close to the venue entry, dedicated to accessible parking permit holders only.
- Please present your accessible parking permit to the security guard.

Please refer to the car park map for more information

DROP OFF ZONE



- A designated drop-off zone is available in the 5-minute bay area.
- Ubers, taxis, and ride-share vehicles are permitted.
- The accessible parking and drop off zone will be monitored by a security guard.

Please refer to the car park map for more information

CAR PARK MAP



CAR PARK MAP KEY:

- Main Car park
- Overflow Parking
- Accessible parking & Drop Off Zone

Please note Sports Drive is a left in and left out only road

FOOD & DRINKS



- There will be food and drinks available to purchase.
- The venue Café and food truck will be open on the day.
- You are welcome to bring your own food.

ACCESSIBILITY

QUIET ROOM

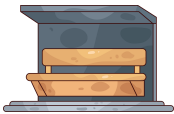


- Two Quiet Room's hosted by The Inclusion Project will be available at the event.
- It will include bean bags, fidget toys, sensory items and colouring activities.
- You can visit the Quiet Room if you need a break, feel overwhelmed, or just want some time in a calm space.



Please refer to the event map on page 2 for more information

QUIET SPACES



- Located on each full-sized pitch, the 'dugouts' will be designated as "Quiet Spaces".
- These spaces will include some fidget toys and will be a safe zone to visit when you need a break, feel overwhelmed, or just want some quiet time away from the game.



Please refer to the event map on page 2 for more information

VISUAL STORY



- To help you feel prepared for the event, Football Victoria developed a Visual Story in partnership with Aspect.
- The Visual Story can help you become more familiar with a place or event, and know what to expect before I attend.
- You can find the Football for All Gala Day Visual Story in a separate document.

For any further questions leading up to the event, please reach out to your team manager or Football Victoria. We can not wait to see you there!



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