

# Brookvale Oval Operational Plan of Management

## Introduction

The following Management Plan is to be implemented for all night match and for all Monday Night fixtures that will occur from the start of the 2016 season. The club is committed to ensuring that this plan is implemented.

### 1. General Match Information

As a guide the Sea Eagles home matches played at Brookvale Oval may be scheduled on the day's list below.

In general the Sea Eagles lower grade matches are also scheduled on the same day as NRL matches and are played prior to this match.

Indicative NRL match times for the 2016 Season are detailed below. Gate times are based upon one NRL match and one other match being played as a part of the event. The majority of matches will include an NYC and/or NSW Cup match prior to the start of the main game however events may occur without a match prior to NRL and on such occasions alternate timings will be communicated.

**Thursday:** 20:05 NRL Kick Off  
17:30 Gates Open

**Thursday:** 19:50 NRL Kick Off  
17:15 Gates Open

**Friday:** 20:05 NRL Kick Off  
17:30 Gates Open

**Friday:** 19:50 NRL Kick Off  
17:15 Gates Open

**Saturday:** 15:00 NRL Kick Off  
12:30 Gates Open

**Saturday:** 17:30 NRL Kick Off  
15:00 Gates Open

**Saturday:** 19:30 NRL Kick Off  
17:00 Gates Open

**Sunday:** 14:00 NRL Kick Off  
11:30 Gates Open

**Sunday:** 16:00 NRL Kick Off  
13:30 Gates Open

**Monday:** 19:00 NRL Kick Off  
16:30 Gates Open

Other match times may exist for special NRL designated days, eg Easter and ANZAC Day.

Please note: times are indicative and are subject to change based on the operational requirements of the match broadcasters.

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## **2. Flood Light Levels**

### **Competition Level Lighting**

Depending on the level of natural light available on match day competition level lights will be switched on for the Holden Cup match.

### **Television Level Lighting**

By the conclusion of the Holden Cup match television level lighting will be operational to ensure that it is at full capacity prior to kick off. When necessary television level lighting may be in operation sooner if the level of natural light is lower than normal or the Holden Cup match is being telecast by the Broadcaster.

### **Reduced Level Lighting**

It is proposed that 60 minutes after the conclusion of the match lights will be reduced to competition level that will provide the crowd with enough time to depart the ground after which time they will then be reduced to training level. Once the crowds have fully dispersed from the ground lights will be reduced to ensure sufficient light for the broadcasters, this may include turning off light towers and having grandstand specific lights only.

## **3. Security and Police**

A minimum of 6 Security Personnel will be deployed at the conclusion of the each match to monitor the egress of patrons into the surrounding streets ensuring that patrons keep the noise to a minimum and do not loiter after the match. Security will have a designated patrol vehicle moving around the identified local streets ensuring leaving guests do not create a nuisance. These security patrols will only include the following streets as follows:

Pine Avenue, Federal Parade, Regina Avenue, Victor Road, Shackel Avenue, Binda Place, Alfred Road and Gulliver Street.

### **Police**

Up to 13 uniformed Police are in attendance for all Sea Eagles home matches at Brookvale Oval providing additional crowd control services on top of that provided by the Security Company. Please note that Police levels are determined by the NSW Police Service on a needs basis and are subject to their own Event Risk Assessment.

## **4. Provision of alcohol**

The provision of alcohol for all Sea Eagles home matches at Brookvale Oval is as follows:

### **Public Areas**

Alcoholic products are to be served in the following types of containers from all public bars within Brookvale Oval.

Full Strength Beer - shatterproof containers up to 375ml  
Mid Strength and Light Beer - shatterproof containers up to 375 ml  
Spirits - shatterproof containers up to 375ml  
Wine - shatterproof containers up to 285ml

The following conditions are in place at all public bars:

- A maximum of four (4) beers (including full strength, mid strength or light beer), or (4) mid-strength premixed spirits, or two (2) full strength premixed spirits / wines may be purchased at any one time from any public bar outlets within Brookvale Oval.
- Mid and light strength beer or premixed spirits will be the only alcoholic beverages available to be purchased after half-time in the main game. All bar outlets will be closed with fifteen (15) minutes remaining in the main game.

### **Corporate Facilities**

Alcoholic products are to be served in the following types of containers from corporate bars within Brookvale Oval.

Full Strength Beer - shatterproof containers or glass bottles up to 375ml  
Mid Strength Beer - shatterproof containers and glass bottles up to 375ml  
Light Beer - shatterproof containers and glass bottles up to 375ml  
Spirits - shatterproof containers or glass bottles up to 375ml  
Wine Served in standard size wine glasses or shatterproof containers

Where alcohol is served in a glass or glass bottle, the contents are to be poured into a plastic cup prior to removing from the corporate facility.

### **Corporate Facility Operating Times**

All corporate facilities may begin operating 120 minutes prior to the main game. This may change upon request dependant on Corporate Partner Requirements.

Service of alcohol in Corporate Facilities will cease no later than 20 minutes after the conclusion of the main game.

### **Management of patrons removing alcohol**

It is a condition that no alcoholic beverages are to be removed from the ground by patrons attending matches at Brookvale Oval. This procedure will be enforced by security personnel that are located at all exit points ensuring that no patron departs with an alcoholic beverage.

Bins are provided at all exit points so that patrons can dispose of their alcoholic beverages prior to them departing the ground.

### **Liquor Licensing**

All persons entering Brookvale Oval are advised that:

- They are entering licensed premises;
- Intoxicated persons will not be permitted to enter;
- Persons in possession of liquor will not be permitted to enter;
- Checking procedures will apply to prevent persons possessing liquor from entering;
- Persons may not remove alcoholic beverages from the premises;
- Intoxicated persons will be removed from the premises;
- A maximum of four (4) beers (including full strength, mid strength or light beer), or (4) mid-strength premixed spirits, or two (2) full strength premixed spirits / wines may be purchased at any one time from any public bar outlets within Brookvale Oval.
- Mid and light strength beer or premixed spirits will be the only alcoholic beverages available to be purchased after half-time in the main game All public bar outlets will close with fifteen (15) minutes remaining in the main game.
- It is an offence for minors to purchase and consume liquor;
- It is an offence to purchase liquor for (or supply liquor to) minors;
- Persons supplying liquor to minors will be reported to the Police and penalties apply under the Liquor Act 1982.

## **5. Internal Cleaning**

As part of the cleaning strategy for Brookvale Oval garbage bins must be strategically located around the ground for patrons to dispose of their rubbish during the match.

In addition bins are also located at the egress points around the ground to ensure rubbish is deposited as patrons exit the ground.

## **6. External Cleaning Operation**

Warringah Council in consultation with Sea Eagles Management will continue to monitor the cleanliness of surrounding streets as part of the ongoing evaluation process of this operation.

## **7. Brookvale Hotline, Ground and Media Announcements**

### **Announcements**

As a courtesy the ground announcer currently provides an announcement at the conclusion of each match reminding patrons to minimise noise when exiting the premises. As part of our match day announcements for Monday and Thursday night games the Sea Eagles will continue to inform patrons to be mindful of residents in the surrounding streets. This will be supplemented with a slide on the big screen that will insist that patrons reduce noise when departing the ground.

### **Hotline**

A complaints hotline will continue to operate on game days from gate opening through until 1 hour after the conclusion of each match. This will provide residents with a contact for any problems that they experience that are the result of matches played at Brookvale Oval.

This hotline will be staffed by Sea Eagles management or security contractor who will be in direct contact with the police control room so that reported issues can be actioned in a timely manner. A complaints register will also be kept with all reported incidents received that will include the date, time and contact details of the complainant. This will be reviewed after each match to ensure that all issues are addressed. It will also be used at the end of season review that will be completed at the end of each season.

The Match Day Hotline and Warringah Council Customer Service numbers will be distributed to the residents in the surrounding streets of Brookvale Oval at the beginning of each season:

Pine Avenue, Federal Parade, Binda Place, Alfred Road and Gulliver Street.

This may need to be increased to include:

Regina Avenue, Victor Road and Shackel Avenue.

The Match Day Hotline and Warringah Council Customer Service numbers are as follows:

Match Day Hotline: **0448 586 366**

Warringah Council Customer Service: (02) 9942 2111

## **8. Audio System for Monday and Thursday night Games**

The club will utilise a temporary ground level audio system for all games.

## **9. Parking & Traffic Management Plan**

All parking and traffic related points are provided in detail within the Parking and Traffic Management Plan.

## **10. Review Process**

Any variation to this document must be signed in writing by an authorised officer of Manly Warringah Sea Eagles and Warringah Council, and reflected in an updated agreement.

This OPOM is available on request by calling (02) 9970 3000 or can be downloaded from the Sea Eagles website at [www.mwse.com.au](http://www.mwse.com.au) or the Warringah Council website [www.warringah.nsw.gov.au](http://www.warringah.nsw.gov.au).

## **11. Authorised Officers**

### **Warringah Council**

1) Campbell Pfeiffer

Group Manager, Buildings, Property & Spatial Information

2) John Warburton

Deputy General Manager Community

### **Manly Warringah Sea Eagles**

1) Joe Kelly

Chief Executive Officer

2) Neil Bare

Chief Finance Officer