



## How to dress Waterloo Park...

The Gladesville Hornsby Football Association (GHFA) requires that all grounds be ready for play at least 30 minutes before the start of the first game. If the field is not ready a fine can be imposed on our club.

### Setting Up

It is the responsibility of the team playing at home to dress the field. Every Coach and Manager must ensure that this is done. We suggest organizing three people and allow 30 minutes to complete this task. Everything needed is in the canteen storeroom. Please return the bucket, hammer and anything else you use to the storeroom after use.

1. Corner flags are to be placed at each corner of the field.
2. Halfway flags to be placed approximately 1 metre off the sideline, adjacent to the centre line of the field.
3. Nets are to be firmly attached to the goal posts. Velcro strips are to be used to attach the net around the crossbar and uprights, securing the nets together with the Velcro strips. Yellow Plastic pegs are provided to secure the net to the ground. As a guide a peg should be placed at the foot of each post, the net stretched back and secured with a peg and at least one additional peg should be placed on each side of the net. Pegs need to be placed along the back of the net so that the ball cannot get under it. Also make sure the net is securely attached to the crossbar so that a ball cannot get through it. Pull the thin green rope firmly to the left corners of the net & secure in place with the yellow pegs.
4. The sideline rope is to be placed at least 2 metres from the sideline (Canteen side) and the rope is then looped tightly through the top of each post. A tent peg is driven into the ground at each end and the rope is attached to it. Please remember the ground setup must last all day.

### Packing Up

When undressing Waterloo Park please make sure you place all equipment (pegs, nets, rope, flags) in its correct place as you found it.

- All nets need to be stored in the large green tub
- All velcro & pegs to be stored in the blue carry tub
- All flags stored in the corner of the changeroom
- All rope is to be rolled up in the rope holder (untangled)

All this equipment is to be left the way you found it in the left side "home" change-room behind the door. Please remember to pull the door closed & locked on your way out.

We all appreciate a properly dressed ground; your assistance in this matter will ensure the Waterloo field is regarded as one of the better prepared grounds in the Association.

## Examples for goal nets

✓ Correct



✗ Incorrect

