



ORANGE THUNDER TOUCH FOOTBALL STRUDDYS SUPER SERIES

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS (FAQs)

1. What is the Struddys Super Series?

The Struddys Super Series is a new competitive and elite level touch football competition being introduced at Orange Thunder Touch Football this season. It will comprise of a Mens and Womens competition, containing the best senior, open aged and junior players from Orange and Central West NSW.

This competition will have all nominated players enter into a draft, whereby elected team captains will pick their teams via this draft process. This process will ensure an equal spread of talent, youth and experience across all teams, making for an extremely competitive Super Series overall.

This Super Series will be a wonderful addition to our club for improving player confidence and interaction, creating a strong club culture amongst participants, promoting a 'club team self' attitude towards touch football and providing a solid touch football development pathway for all participants.

2. When will the Struddys Super Series take place?

The Struddys Super Series competitions will take place on Thursday evenings at Waratahs Sports Ground, with games being conducted in conjunction with Orange Thunder Touch Football social Mens and Womens competitions the same evening.

A 12-round format has been set, with first games being held Thursday 29 October 2020. There will be 7 rounds played in 2020, with a further 5 rounds being played in 2021 when touch returns after Xmas/New Years break.

There will be a 3 week finals series, with the Struddys Super Series Grand Final taking place on Saturday 20 March 2020. This will be the same day as Orange Thunder Touch Football social competitions hold their Grand Finals.

3. How much does the Struddys Super Series cost?

The Struddys Super Series will be unique as full playing uniform will be included for all players as part of their registration. Player registration will be just \$110 per player, which includes 12 rounds of action, playing singlet and shorts, affiliation and insurance. Players may use the Active Kids Voucher to pay for their registration.

4. Who can play in the Struddys Super Series?

This competition is available for anyone to be involved in. Our club would strongly encourage all former and current senior, open aged and junior (U14-U18) representative touch players to be involved, as well as any player wishing to be involved in a highly competitive and exciting touch football competition.

Nominations are open to any male and female player born 2008 or earlier.

5. How can I nominate to play in the Struddys Super Series?

To nominate simply go to <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/Struddys> and complete the short online nomination form. Our club will then contact all nominated players with instructions on how to register and pay for the Struddys Super Series.

6. Can I play in both the Struddys Super Series and the Orange Thunder social touch competitions?

Our club is aware of players wanting to be involved in the Struddys Super Series, but also wanting to be able to enjoy social touch football with their friends and family.

As such, all players ARE ALLOWED to play both Struddys Super Series and one of the Orange Thunder Touch Football social competitions on Thursday evenings.

7. What are the benefits of playing in the Struddys Super Series?

The Struddys Super Series will provide a fantastic touch football playing environment for all, with benefits which may include:

- Create an equal spread of talent and experience across all teams, leading to a consistent and competitive touch football competition. Talented players will be able to lead and assist newer players, senior players will be able to mentor junior players.
- Improve leadership skills and enhance player development for all players.
- Enhance player interaction and create new touch football friendships with players you haven't played touch with before.
- Provide a touch football development pathway for players, regardless of their current status in relation to representative touch football.

8. Where do I go for more information about the Struddys Super Series?

To view all information about the Struddys Super Series and the benefits it could bring all players, please go to <https://orangetouch.com.au/superseries/>. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact our club for assistance by email orgeseniortouch@yahoo.com.au.

**WE LOOK FORWARD TO YOU BEING A PART
OF OUR STRUDDYS SUPER SERIES**