

# **Glasses Subsidy**

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## **Aim;**

To help players, needing to wear glasses to play, to be able to safely participate in our game of soccer.

## **Objective;**

To help with the extra cost, incurred, to ensure the glasses they wear conform to our vision correction equipment policy.

## **Information;**

We have a vision correction equipment policy, which we aim not to change, but to help those people who find it financially hard to conform to.

Some people can barely afford ordinary glasses, let alone sports goggles or glasses.

## **Method;**

When a parent purchases a new pair of glasses, a subsidy, equal to the cost difference, between an ordinary set of glasses and recognised safer glasses is paid, by the way of a payment direct to the parent.

**This Subsidy is set at \$ 60.00**

The parent is to pay the full amount and after a photocopy presentation of the account to E&DJSA, a payment is made to them.

This subsidy to paid from the existing Ambulance Fund.

## **Note.**

When purchasing a new pair of glasses, parents/guardians will still need to obtain a letter indicating, what materials the glasses are made from.

Recommendation from the optician, is that the acceptable materials for lenses is Polycarbonate or better still Tri-Vis.

Frames should be flexible plastic. (they bend instead of breaking)

Recommendation from the optician is, the frames should be silicon based.

A child should get their eyes checked every 2 years.

Only 1 claim per year will be allowed.

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