



Mandurah City – Our 50 Year History

Mandurah City Football Club played its inaugural competitive season in the South West Soccer League in 1970 and **won the league** in 1972.

The club then joined the Western Australian Amateur and Social Soccer Association (WASSA), where it remained until 2002. During this period in the amateurs, the club won the amateur top flight championship in 1995 under the guidance of coach **Jim Mayers**.

In 2002 the club left the amateur ranks and joined the Western Australian semi-professional league and was crowned **Division 1** champions in 2006, gaining promotion to the Football West Premier League. After being competitive for four seasons in the top flight, Football West restructured the Premier League, and the club was relegated to allow the WA NTC development team to remain in the top flight.

Although we missed out in the inaugural years we did join the WANPL in the 2015 season under the stewardship of Director of Football Doug Hesketh and we look forward to challenging working towards WANPL again the future.

Mandurah City FC are excited to be heading into State League One for the 2022 season under the new stewardship of our new head coach John Baird. John has played for the likes of Falkirk, Raith Rovers, St Mirren and Queen of the South and his professional experience and expertise along with the assistant coaches Pete Taylor, Graham Tough & Gary Byrne, we are excited to see what the squad have in store for the 2022 season. Mandurah City FC have produced a number of WA representative players and coaches both at amateur and semi-professional levels, notable representatives have been Danny Dewhurst, Oscar Thompson, Steve Worthington, Stuart McNeil, Paul Dixon, Sean Kearns, Neil Patten-Williams, Andy Brown, Jeff Bright, Dave Coward and Jim Mayers.



The club's home ground is GenesisCare Stadium, which is one of the **premier** football stadiums in the league. The facility has a fully licensed restaurant and bar, it is family friendly and regularly has live music and functions for the benefit of members and guests. The club has hosted a number of A-League friendly matches and the Singapore national team.



Mandurah City FC has close to 500 registered players which includes MiniRoos, NPL Juniors, Social, Amateurs, Women, State League and Masters teams. We also regularly host walking football events in association with Peel Regional Football Council.