Affiliated clubs

Clubs affiliate to unions and thus by definition are affiliated to the SABF and are subject to SABF rules and code of conduct. A primary condition for a club to become affiliated is that all of their members are members of the SABF.

In addition the following rules apply both to live and virtual clubs

Members joining after the 30th June need only pay half the annual SABF membership fee and those joining after the 30th September pay no fees for that year.

An exception is made for visitors who may play up to 5 times at an affiliated club after which time the above rule applies.

All affiliated clubs must maintain a current list of their members on the SABF online database.

Primary clubs

A primary club is defined as being the club through which a member chooses to pay their SABF subs and determines to which union they belong. Where a member pays their SABF subs directly to the union the union should ensure that this is allocated to a dummy virtual club on the database created specifically for this purpose