

MACKAY NETBALL ASSOCIATION INC



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REPRESENTATIVE



INFORMATION

2022

Welcome to Mackay Netball Associations Representative program for 2022.

This information pack is to provide you with information about this year's program.

Mackay Netball will be entering teams in the following State Events in 2022.

| EVENT | COMPETITION DATES (not inc travel) | VENUE/ACCOMMODATION | APPROX COST |
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| Senior Nissan State Age Championships <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 15 Years• 16/17 Years | 30 April – 2 nd May, 2022 | Hinterland District Netball Association Somerset Dr, Mudgeeraba, Qld, 4213 Accommodation Mantra Sun City 3400 Gold Coast Hwy, Surfers Paradise | \$1250.00 |
| Junior Nissan State Age Championships <ul style="list-style-type: none">• U/12• U/13• U/14 | 2-7 July, 2022 | Pine Rivers Netball Association Les Hughes Sporting Complex, 119 Francis Rd, Lawnton, Qld, 4501 Accommodation Oaks Mono Komo 99 Marine Parade, Redcliffe | \$1400.00 |

Parents/Guardians are requested to check the above date. If your child is unavailable for these dates, please advise immediately.

2022 TEAM OFFICIALS

12 year Coach: Bec Hagenbach
12 Year Coach: Chelsea Moohin
13 Year Coach: Tracey Zeller
13 Year Coach: Cynthia Simpson
14 year Coach: Marnie Walsh
14 Year Coach: Caitlyn Lindsey-Wilmott

Managers and Umpires to be advised.

CONTACTS:

Rep Team Convenor contact email: rep@mackaynetball.com

TRAINING AND SELECTION

All selections and trainings are compulsory. If a player is unable to attend any training session, the following people must be notified a minimum of 24 hours prior to the session and state the reason for being unable to attend.

Email: Team Coach. Your coach will advise contact details at the first squad day

Email: rep@mackaynetball.com

Selection of a player who is absent from final selection will be at the discretion of the selection committee and selection shall not be automatically assumed.

Senior State Age teams have already been selected. Team training days and times as advised by your coach.

12, 13 & 14 YEARS AGE GROUP SQUAD & SELECTIONS

PHASE 1 - SQUAD TRAINING DATES – 12, 13 & 14 Years

Squad coaches will advise squad training times

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| Week One | Thursday 17 th February |
| Week Two | Thursday 24 th February |
| Week Three | Thursday 3 rd March |
| Week Four | Thursday 10 th March |
| Week Five | Thursday 17 th March |

PHASE 1 – SELECTIONS – MNA courts

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| Thursday 24 th March | |
| 14 Under | 5.30pm -7.00pm (warm up 5pm) |
| 13 Under | 5.30pm -7.00pm (warm up 5pm) |
| 12 Under | 5.15pm - 8.00pm (warm up 4.45pm) |

PHASE 2 – FINAL SELECTIONS – MNA courts

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| Thursday 31 st March | |
| 14 Under | 5.30pm -7.00pm (warm up 5pm) |
| 13 Under | 5.30pm -7.00pm (warm up 5pm) |
| 12 Under | 5.15pm -8.00pm (warm up 4.45pm) |

Teams Announced on Facebook – Saturday 2nd April at 7pm

For those selected into a team, a payment of \$200 must be received by Friday 8th of April to secure your spot on the team. If the deposit is not received by that date your spot is no longer assured and may be offered to another player.

Training will be every Thursday from 5.30pm to 7pm or at such other times and day as Coach may advise. Whether training will be held on School holidays and/or Public Holidays will be at the discretion of the coach.

COMPULSORY CLOTHING FOR SELECTIONS/TRAINING

It is a requirement of Mackay Netball Association that all players wishing to be a part of the MNA representative program be dressed in suitable attire for training and selections.

SQUAD - For squad players can either wear the MNA rep training singlet, or a plain t-shirt – not club apparel. Please wear MNA or black shorts.

TEAM TRAINING – MNA rep training singlet and MNA shorts or plain black shorts.



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| MNA Rep Training Singlet | \$35.00 |
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TRAVEL INFORMATION

| EVENT | DATES | TRAVEL |
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| Mackay Netball Association Rep Carnival – Senior State Age teams only | Starting 4.00pm 2 nd April to all day 3 rd April | Parents to drop players to team officials and pick up at end of each day. |
| Senior Nissan State Age (15, 16 & 17 YEARS) | 30 April to 2 nd May | <u>FRIDAY 29th APRIL 2022</u> Virgin Flight VA 600 Depart: MKY 06.00am <i>Travel by Coach from airport & return</i> <u>TUESDAY 3rd MAY 2022</u> Virgin Flight 607 Depart: BNE 10.40am Arrive: MKY 12.20pm |
| Mackay Winter Carnival – all Junior teams | 4-5 June 2022 Mackay Courts | Parents to drop players to team officials and pick up at end of each day. |
| Junior State Age Championships (12, 13, 14 YEARS) | 2-5 July 2022 | <u>FRIDAY 1 JULY 2022</u> Virgin Flight VA 600 Depart: MKY 06.00am <i>Travel by Coach from airport & return</i> <u>TUESDAY 5 JULY 2022</u> Virgin Flight 621 Depart: BNE 20.10pm Arrive: MKY 21.50pm |

UNIFORMS

The playing dress will be available for hire for \$25. The dress will remain in the possession of the team manager prior to carnivals and must be given to the team manager prior to the conclusion of the carnival.

COMPULSORY

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| Backpack | \$Nil – provided by MNA |
| Bucket Hat | \$Nil – provided by MNA |
| Water Bottle | \$Nil – provided by MNA |
| Travel Polo | \$50.00 |
| Training Singlet | \$35.00 |
| Bummers | \$35.00 |
| Tracksuit | \$145.00 |



OPTIONAL

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| Socks | \$9.00 |
| MNA Travel Bag | \$50.00 |
| MNA Jersey | \$75.00 |



REP PLAYERS MUST WEAR THE MNA TRAVEL SHIRT WHILE TRAVELLING AND DURING THE CARNIVAL.

FEES

To participate in Squad a fee of \$50 was charged when you registered. A payment of **\$200.00** is required to be paid within 7 days of your child's selection to secure her position in the team. A payment plan is outlined below for the remainder of the fee.

If your child has been selected to represent MNA at the State Age Championships and withdraws without providing a Medical Certificate, the **\$200.00** deposit is **NOT REFUNDABLE**.

Total fees will include: -

- Playing Uniform - hire \$25.00
- Travel – flights and coach travel
- Accommodation
- Breakfast
- Dinner each night. For Junior state age the girls will need money to purchase dinner at the airport Tuesday night
- Lunch & snacks – does not include lunch on the first travel day
- Backpack, water bottle, hat for those players new to Rep in 2022

Does NOT include -

- MNA Apparel – see Rep Apparel merchandise list
- Pocket or additional spending money

PAYMENT PROCEDURE

- Selection deposit \$200 payable within 7 days of your child's selection
- Your invoices for the total carnival fees and any uniform optional extras will be emailed to your designated email address.
- Payments are **NOT** to be paid to the team manager or coach.
- Optional uniform extras will not be released until all items have been paid for in full.

You might be asking why a payment is required now. Mackay Netball has paid deposits towards all accommodation already booked for the locations where players will be staying for the nominated carnivals as well as flights and buses.

If a player withdraws without providing a Medical Certificate the Association will not refund the \$250.00 selection payment.

MNA PREFERRED PAYMENT METHOD IS BY EFT TO:

Account Name - Mackay Netball Association Inc
BSB – 704 640
Account Number – 4182 2087
REFERENCE: **Players Surname, Age Division**

**Please forward remittance note by email - treasurer@mackaynetball.com*

ETFPOS and VISA options are available on request or by making prior arrangements with Rep Convenor.

PAYMENT DATES

Senior State Age: Total \$1250.00

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| Selection deposit | \$200 | Already Paid |
| | \$350 | 06.03.22 |
| | \$350 | 31.03.22 |
| | \$350 | 24.04.22 |
| Total | \$1250 | |

All monies for Senior State Age are due by 24.04.22. Team apparel is an extra cost and must be paid 1 week before departure to State Age.

Junior State Age: - Total \$1400

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| Selection deposit | \$200 | 08.04.22 |
| | \$400 | 29.04.22 |
| | \$400 | 20.05.22 |
| | \$400 | 16.06.22 |
| Total | \$1400 | |

All monies for Junior State Age are due by 16.06.22. Team apparel is an extra cost and must be paid 1 week before departure to State Age.

ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE FINALISED AS PER INFORMATION ABOVE

This is the minimum required schedule. You can pay more at any time. Failure to pay by the above date may mean automatic removal from team and Selection payment will not be returned.

MACKAY NETBALL IS MORE THAN HAPPY TO WORK WITH PARENTS TO PROVIDE A PAYMENT PLAN BUT IT IS YOUR RESPONSIBILITY TO CONTACT THE REP CONVENOR OR THE TREASURER AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

FUNDRAISING

Players and Parents are to communicate with managers if you want to be part of the fundraising efforts. Only those who assist will get the financial assistance from the fundraising. We have a rep committee designed to focus on fundraising – headed up by Sharon Sutherland - and any ideas are welcome. Individual teams can fundraise themselves with prior approval from Pam Johnstone or Sharon Sutherland.

In the past we have had Pie Drives, Chocolate sales and cake stalls. All ideas are welcome and we will communicate these with you in the near future.

TEAM COMMUNICATION

Your coach and manager will set up a team Messenger chat for team communication. We require 1 parent or guardian per child to be included in this group chat. Parents or guardians are included for supervision purposes only and not to comment or participate in the chat.

Your team coach and manager welcome parent communication via email or face to face.

PLAYERS RESPONSIBILITIES

- Attend all training and game sessions as required by the Coach.
- Return the Players' Information, Players' Medical History, Parental Consent and Uniform and Optional Extras FORMS to the Manager at the first training.
- Participate in all fundraising associated with the trip.
- No player shall go anywhere by themselves. Even when going to the toilet you must be in the company of another person from your team.
- Do not at any time leave the designated area (generally the tent or the court sideline or motel room) without ensuring that the Manager is aware of where you are going and how long you shall be.
- Listen to what you are told carefully, do not talk whilst being spoken to. If you have any questions ask them, then follow the instructions given.
- Clean up after yourself:
 - a. Wash your dishes after you have used them and return them to the cupboard.
 - b. Keep your "space" tidy. Do not leave your clothes scattered all over the place.
 - c. Place your towel where it will dry; you will have to reuse it.
 - d. Make your bed.
- Uniforms shall be washed each day. Shirts, skirts and socks are to be placed in the designated area within the designated time for washing. Underwear and other items are your own responsibility for washing. Please bring a wash bag clearly labelled. ALL ITEMS SHOULD BE CLEARLY NAMED!!!!
- The eating of healthy food and adequate portions is your responsibility. You are playing no less than 12 games of netball during the 3 days. It is no time for food fads or dieting.
- Serious breach of the Code of Behaviour in the opinion of the team officials will result in the player being banned from the remainder of the championships, the parents being notified and the player being sent home by the first available means of transport. Any additional expenses incurred will be the responsibility of the parents. It may also result in the player being suspended from selection for a period of time to be determined by the Board.
- Compete by competition conditions and rules. Be a good sport. Treat all players as you would like to be treated.
- Never argue with an official. If you disagree, have your Captain; Coach or Manager approach the official during a break or after the competition.
- Control your temper; verbal abuse of officials or other players is not acceptable or permitted.
- Work equally hard for yourself and your team. Your team's performance will benefit and so will you.
- Show appreciation and co-operate with your Coach, Manager, Umpire and fellow team members. Without them you would not be able to compete.
- Show respect for your opponents and their skill.
- Remember to play for fun and the enjoyment of netball and not just to please Parents and Coaches.

GENERAL – CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

- 1 Respect the rights, dignity and worth of others.
- 2 Be fair, considerate and honest in all dealings with others.
- 3 Be professional in and accept responsibility for your actions.
- 4 Be aware of, and maintain an uncompromising adherence to Mackay Netball standards, rules, regulations, policies & procedures.
- 5 Operate within the rules of the sport including state guidelines which govern Netball Australia, Netball Queensland, the Affiliated Associations and the Affiliated Clubs.
- 6 Do not use your involvement with Mackay Netball or an Affiliated Club to promote your own beliefs, behaviours or practices where these are inconsistent with those of Netball Australia, Netball Queensland or Mackay Netball.
- 7 Demonstrate a high degree of individual responsibility especially when dealing with persons under 18 years of age, as your words and actions are an example.
- 8 Avoid unaccompanied and unobserved activities with persons under 18 years of age, wherever possible.
- 9 Refrain from any behaviour that may bring the Sport of Netball into disrepute.
- 10 Provide a safe environment for the conduct of the activity.
- 11 Show concern and caution towards others who may be sick or injured.
- 12 Be a positive role model.

JUNIOR PLAYER – CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

- 1 Participate because you enjoy it, not just to please parents and coaches.
- 2 Play by the rules/ know the rules.
- 3 Participate fairly and safely.
- 4 Abide by decisions, without argument or bad temper.
 - Captains have the right to approach an umpire during an interval or after the game for clarification of any rule.
 - Approach the umpire in a courteous and polite way.
- 5 Cooperate with your coach, and other players.
 - Verbal abuse of officials or other players, deliberately fouling or provoking an opponent and throwing/damaging equipment is not acceptable or permitted.
 - Treat all players as you would like to be treated.
 - Ensure that at all times your behaviour is fair.
 - Be a patient and enthusiastic supporter of fellow players.
- 6 Work equally hard for yourself and/or your team. Your team's performance will benefit, so will you.
- 8 Be a good sport. Applaud all good plays whether they are your team or the opposition. Your team should assemble after the game and give 3 cheers to your opposition.
- 9 Applaud all good play, by your own team and opponents.
- 10 Be a responsible team member.
 - Always be on time.
 - Encourage and assist all players.
 - Attend all training sessions.
 - Ensure you always bring the appropriate uniform and equipment to training and/or matches.
- 11 Do not engage in practices that affect sporting performance (alcohol, tobacco and drug use.)
- 12 Respect and acknowledge the contribution of those who create the opportunity for you to play.
 - Volunteers (scorers, coaches, timekeepers, administrators and umpires).

PARENT – CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

1. Children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
2. Encourage children to participate, don't force them.
3. Focus on efforts & performance, not winning or losing.
4. Encourage children to participate according to the rules.
5. Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or their team losing a game.
6. Remember that children learn best by example. Applaud good plays by all teams.
7. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
8. Respect official decisions and teach children likewise.
9. Show appreciation of volunteer coaches, officials, administrators. Without them, children could not play.
10. Parents are requested to be Smoke-Free at netball venues.

SPECTATOR – CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

1. Remember children play sport for their enjoyment, not yours.
2. Applaud good performance and efforts from each team. Congratulate all participants on their performance, regardless of the game's outcome.
3. Never ridicule or scold a child for making a mistake. Positive comments are motivational.
4. Condemn the use of violence in any form, be it spectators, coaches, officials or players.
5. Show respect for your team's opponents. Without them there would be no game.
6. Encourage players to follow rules and officials decisions
7. Respect official decisions and teach children to do same.
8. Do not use foul language or harass players, coaches or officials.
9. Spectators are asked to be Smoke-Free at netball venues.

GUIDELINES FOR PARENTS

It would be appreciated if Parents attending Representative Carnivals in a non-official capacity observe the Parental Code of Behaviour, as set down by the Australian Sports Commission, together with the Mackay Netball Association (MNA) Guidelines below:

1. Please be aware you have officially signed the care of your child to MNA Officials for the duration of the Carnival.
2. Managers must be permitted to have complete control of all players in their care, at all times.
3. Unless special circumstances apply, and/or official approval has been obtained, no player/s will be released to any family member/s at any time, until the team has returned to Mackay.
4. Remember that children play sport for their enjoyment.
5. Focus on the child's efforts and performance rather than winning or losing.
6. Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a game.
7. Encourage children to always participate according to the rules.
8. Respect official decisions and teach your children to do likewise.
9. Show appreciation of volunteer coaches, officials and administrators, without them, your child could not participate.
10. Team officials will include any breach of the Parental Code of Behaviour in their Carnival Report to the Board of Mackay Netball.

All MNA coaches and officials are volunteers & give freely of their time. In the interest of both Players and Officials, we would appreciate your consideration & courtesy in all communications and dealings.