



## **2020 SATURDAY WINTER COMPETITION & REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

### **REGISTRATION**

Registration for GSNC is through the online portal for Netball Australia. The links are included below with instructions. Payment is to be made at the time of registering. **REGISTRATIONS CLOSE SUNDAY 1 MARCH 2020.**

### **MEMBERSHIP**

The Club invites all Good Shepherd Students, parents and their immediate family members, to register for the 2020 season. Membership is offered only to Good Shepherd families.

### **WORKING WITH VULNERABLE PEOPLE (WWVP)**

It is a requirement that all volunteers (coaches, umpires and officials) over the age of 18 hold their WWVP (Working with Vulnerable People) Cards. Registration with WWVP is free for volunteers and can be found following this link:

<https://form.act.gov.au/smartforms/servlet/SmartForm.html?formCode=1318>

We ask that if you do not already hold a WWVP card that you please arrange to be registered as soon as possible.

## SEASON DATES: 14 March – 19 September

Competition Dates Grading week 1	14 March
Grading week 2	21 March
Grading week 3 (Grading Disputes)	28 March
Round 1 (SET and GO Tiers commence)	4 April
Round 2 (NET program commences)	2 May
Round 3	9 May
Rounds 4 & 5 (split round-half games)	16 May
Round 6	23 May
Round 7	13 June
Round 8	27 June
Round 9 (venues swap for nominated divisions)	25 July
Round 10	1 August
Round 11	9 August
Round 12 (Net program finishes)	8 August
Round 13	22 August
Round 14	29 August
Semi Finals	5 September
Preliminary Finals	12 September
Grand Finals	19 September

\*Note: ACT Junior Championships will be held on 20-21 June (U13-15s) and 4-5 July (U11-12s).

\*No NCNC rounds are played on these weekends.

## LOCATION

The 2020 competition will combine the CNA (Canberra Netball Association) and BNA (Belconnen Netball Association) winter competitions, known as the NORTH CANBERRA NETBALL COMPETITION (NCNC). Some divisions of all categories will play at either of two venues: CNA outdoor courts, Southwell Park, Northbourne Avenue, Lyneham; or BNA outdoor courts, Lhotsky Street, Charnwood.

## DIVISIONS

Category	Ages*	Game Times	Fees
Net Tier GSNC does not run this	5-7 years	9:30am	\$94.95
Set Tier School years 1 & 2	7-8 years	**8:30am or 9:30am 4 x 10 min quarters 8 foot posts	\$190
Go Tier School years 3 & 4	9-10 years	**8.30am or 9.30am 4 x 10 minute quarters 10 foot posts	\$190
Juniors School years 5 & 6	11-12 years	**9:30am or 10:30am 4 x 10 min quarters	\$190
Intermediates High school students	13-15 years	**11:30am and 12:30pm 4 x 12 minutes quarters	N/A to GSNC
Seniors GS Mums and friends	16 years +	**1:45pm and 3:00pm 4 x 15 minutes quarters National Netball Rules	\$215

\*The age criteria are based on the age turned by 31 December 2020.

\*\* Time dependent on the division.

**Net Set Go! 'Net'** Net is the program for 5-7 year olds providing the basic skills for starting netball. The program is delivered by Canberra and Belconnen Netball Association coaches at both locations. (The program does not include matches).

For Good Shepherd this would be Kindergarten children.

**Net Set Go! 'Set'** a non competitive round robin, no finals are played.

Note: Modified game rules apply. For Good Shepherd this would suit players from Years 1-2.

**Net Set Go! 'Go'** a non competitive round robin, no finals are played.

Note: Modified game rules apply but with 10 foot posts. For Good Shepherd this would suit players from Years 3-4. (Year 4 depending on skill level may also play up into the junior category)

## **FEES**

The fee schedule this year does not include the umpire's fees for the 2020 season. Each team is expected to pay their allocated umpire every game. Your team manager will let you know how much this is at the beginning of the grading games. The fee will be between \$20 and \$25 depending on the number of players and numbers of games to be played. The umpire fee is separate to the registration fee.

Family discounts are not offered for the 2020 netball season.

A late fee of \$10 per player may apply for registrations received after the first grading game as per the NCNC schedule.

No refunds will be allowed after 14 March 2020 and will only be considered before this date for an injury or illness. No refunds will be given for a change of mind. Netball Australia/ACT will not process any refunds at any time.

## **TEAM COMPOSITION**

We will endeavour to have each team consist of approximately nine players and the committee will compile teams. However, if there are players who wish to play in a team with another player of the same age group please indicate this when registering. The Club cannot guarantee to meet all preferences but full consideration will be given.

If your child would like to remain in an existing team please say when registering.

Whilst we can try to accomplish the above, please remember that we may not have the exact numbers to make the teams as such and some teams could end up with more or less players depending on registrations. We want to be able to place all players in a team and will do the best we can with what we have.

First preference is given to returning players in existing teams.

## **TRAINING**

Training will take place at the Good Shepherd Netball Courts. Days and times will be finalised in consultation with coaches and players available days.

## **UNIFORMS**

For the 2020 season the girls will be wearing a Good Shepherd Netball dress as their uniform. The dresses have been purchased by the School Council and we are very grateful for this.

For this season ONLY the dresses will be donated to each player with the expectation that the dress will be returned at the end of the season. Each player (or parent of the player) must sign the dress out and if the dress is not returned the player (or parent of the player) will receive an invoice from the school to pay for the dress in full.

Senior dresses need to be purchased by the player.

Boys will be required to wear the Good Shepherd sports uniform as per previous years.

This uniform is the registered uniform for the club and will be worn during games. Please note that fights are not permitted under the dresses on the courts. But black leggings and black long sleeve tops may be worn by Modified/Set and Go players under their dress on those freezing cold days.

## **COACHES/MANAGERS/UMPIRES**

Like all sports, netball relies on volunteers. Our Club looks to parents and senior playing members to assist as coaches, assistant coaches, managers and umpires to support players.

All Go and Junior teams require a Coach, Manager and Umpire. Someone will need to score each week. It is recommended that there is a co coach or assistant coach for the Set teams.

If you need any more information to volunteer for any of these roles please email Kelly Eggleston [gsncpresident@gmail.com.au](mailto:gsncpresident@gmail.com.au). The Club provides team kits and assists coaches and umpires with development and support. A pre-season briefing and kit collection will be held once teams have been finalised.

### **\*For Coaches**

For coaches it is mandatory that you do the Australian Sports Commission 'Foundation Online Coach Accreditation' online course. The course contains ten modules, covering a range of general coaching topics including the role and responsibilities expected of a coach, planning, safety, working with parents, communication, group management and inclusive coaching practices. This course must be completed by 7 June 2020 then the proof of purchase plus the certificate of completion is to be submitted to obtain a refund from the school. The course can be accessed anytime at: <http://netball.com.au/get-involved/coaching/online-coaching-course/>. Throughout the season introductory coaching courses are conducted by Netball ACT. The course is approximately \$65.00. For more information contact Kelly Eggleston [gsncpresident@gmail.com](mailto:gsncpresident@gmail.com)

## **PARENTS AND SUPPORTERS**

This year we will not be partaking in the running of the school discos BUT we still need to raise much needed funds to keep our little club going. We have had to ditch most of our kit bags, get new balls and other equipment. This was not a cheap exercise. We have done our best to keep the registration fee low and still being able to use some of this money to buy equipment that we desperately need, we will also be running at least one(maybe two) BBQs at CNA. All teams participation is required to man these BBQs.

## **CODES OF CONDUCT**

The Club is committed to promoting netball and the personal development of players in accordance with the principles of good sportsmanship. All players, officials, parents and supporters are expected to abide by the NCNC

Codes of Conduct and promote the best interests of the Club, the Good Shepherd School and netball. A copy of the code of conduct is available online through the school website and upon request.

## **COMPETITION RULES**

The NCNC By-Laws provide details of the competition rules and are available for viewing on the NCNC website under the "Resources" link. It is in the best interests of the game and will assist individual players if all members (players, officials and supporters) become familiar with and gain an understanding of the rules.

**Please take the time to read the rules for the 'Set' and 'Go' Tiers**

## **INSURANCE**

All GSNC participants/players/volunteers will be covered by insurance under the ACT Netball Sports Insurance Scheme. GSNC does not accept liability for injuries incurred during games or while attending training sessions.

## **PRESENTATION DAYS AND AWARDS**

Presentation events are held at the end of the season and all 'Set', 'Go' Junior and Senior players receive recognition for their participation. In addition, the coach will choose a player to receive the Coaches Award for a Player's contribution and commitment throughout the season.

## **HOW TO REGISTER FOR 2020**

Each member will need to log into their own MyNetball account. All existing members (previous players/coaches) have a MyNetball ID. New members can search MyNetball to see if they have an existing account and if not will be able to create one. Payment is made at the time of Registration online only and incurs a small transaction fee from the provider.

### **SET TIER PLAYERS (YEARS 1&2) PLAYER REGISTRATIONS**

Please click on the below link. Please ensure you select the correct tier  
<https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/reg/welcome.aspx?type=6&id=87432&entityid=50317>

### **GO TIER PLAYERS (YEARS 3&4) PLAYER REGISTRATIONS**

Please click on the below link. Please ensure you select the correct tier  
<https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/reg/welcome.aspx?type=6&id=87432&entityid=50317>

### **JUNIOR (YEARS 5 & 6) AND SENIOR (parents and friends) PLAYER REGISTRATIONS**

Please click on the link below  
<https://netball.resultsvault.com/common/pages/reg/welcome.aspx?type=1&id=22003&entityid=50317>

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**For Further Information please contact a member of the GSNC Committee:**

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