



TINGARA NETBALL CLUB

NEWSLETTER - 8 MAY 2012

Hi All Tingara Members

The Management Committee hopes everyone is enjoying the start of the 2012 netball season. The wet weather has arrived a bit earlier than usual but all Tingara teams look positively radiant in their new uniforms!

We are now 2 games into the first round and a number of Tingara teams have achieved some excellent results. Congratulations to the following teams for their unbeaten start to the year:

SB5, JC6, JD2, JD3, JE1, JE3, JE5 and JG4

As the Tingara mission statement says, we strive to achieve with integrity. For all the other Tingara teams, it is still early days and there are lots of opportunities to move up the ladder and set team and individual goals.

A BIG THANKS to all our fantastic coaches and managers who have volunteered their time, energy and enthusiasm for this season. All of the Tingara teams now have coaches in place.

Please note that this Saturday 12 May is FNA PINK NETBALL DAY. FNA has requested, and the Tingara Committee strongly supports, all players to wear something pink this Saturday, such as ribbons, head-bands or socks.

Each player should have now received their copy of the Winter 2012 FNA Information Booklet, which the Committee encourages you to read as it contains a lot of useful information. A reminder that the FNA fixtures can be accessed on the Tingara website – just hit the “teams, fixtures, results and ladders” tab.

The new Tingara uniforms have come up a treat and the Club teams look terrific on the courts (eg see the photo on the next page!). Thanks to Gill Ryan for all her hard work in leading the Club’s effort with the ordering and distribution of the new uniforms.

The Management Committee is pleased to announce that it has now booked the following venues for the three end-of year wind-ups:

- **Junior Group (JF to JH)** – Late Saturday afternoon, 1 September 2012 at Tropical Twist, O’Connor
- **Middle Group (JA to JE)** – Late Tuesday afternoon, 25 September 2012 at Mt Pleasant Bowling Club
- **Senior Group (17s, 19s and seniors)** – Sunday breakfast, 30 September 2012 at Swan Yacht Club

The Tingara Committee would like to remind all its players and their families that they are required to adhere to the FNA Codes of Conduct. There are separate Codes relating to players, coaches, administrators, officials and parents. Copies of the various Codes are contained in the FNA Information Booklet and they are also available on the FNA and Tingara websites (each under the respective “policies” sections of those websites).

We are again very pleased with the strong support provided by Tingara’s umpires so far this season. A friendly reminder to all parents and players that umpiring is sometimes a difficult job and the girls are always doing their best. Please support our Club umpires (and indeed all umpires at our games) during the season and treat them with respect.

We ask all Tingara coaches and managers to please ensure that photos of their respective teams are emailed to our Club President, Murray King, at murray.king@hotmail.com, for the photos to be placed on the Tingara website. The first of the of new team photos for the 2012 season is already on the website – well done to our JA2 team!

Tingara has a number of keys for access to the training facilities at Brentwood Primary School. Over the years, the tracking of who has these keys has become problematic. Accordingly, the Committee will be introducing a formal Key Register. To assist in this regard, can anyone who has a key please contact our Equipment Manager, Meridee Stratton (email: meridee_stratton@bigpond.com and mob: 0417 986 723), so that we can start with an accurate Key Register.

Finally, we hope that all the Tingara mothers have a wonderful Mothers Day this Sunday and are spoilt rotten by their adoring daughters...

Good luck girls and ladies for the rest of the 1st round of 5 matches. **GO TINNIES!**

kindest regards
Tingara Netball Club
Management Committee



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NEWSLETTER – 2 APRIL 2012

Giddy All Tingara Members

Its great to see the Tingara teams getting back on the netball courts at Brentwood Primary School! The Club's successful grading process has been completed and training is now in full swing.

This season, we have 275 players in 32 teams. Notwithstanding the FNA-imposed cap on team numbers, we were able to increase our team numbers by one this season when a last minute vacancy was offered to Tingara, which we gratefully accepted to accommodate as many players on our wait-list as possible.

FNA has now completed its own team grading processes and the details have been posted on our Club website (refer to the Teams, Fixtures, Results and Ladders page). This will allow you to know which grade your team is playing and at what time or times during the season.

As we all know, grading is a long and difficult task. The Committee would like to sincerely thank the following ladies who assisted our two Grading Co-ordinators, Tania Logothetis and Julie Brennan, over the last few weeks of intensive grading sessions:

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| Katrina Connell | Meredith Thorn | Ruth Hegney |
| Anne Fisher | Susi Dennis | Lori Patterson |
| Jane Lade | Wendy Yates | Penny Lindley |

Also thanks to the follow players who assisted at the grading sessions by umpiring and helping with warm-ups etc:

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| Rebecca Gleave | Laura Hegney | Niamh Connell |
| Alana McNamara | Ellen Townsend | Caitlyn Kelly |
| Aleisha Brennan | Brooke Townsend | Emily Carver-Smith |
| Jodi Fisher | Lauren McKernan | Isabella Tolardo |
| Emily Hegney | Gill Hocken | |

All teams except 1 or 2 in the senior grades now have coaches and managers. We are aiming to fill these final positions as soon as possible. **Thanks to all the family members, players and friends of the Club who have volunteered their time and energy to take on these very important roles.** Please note that there will be a Coaches and Managers Meeting on Tuesday night 24 April. More details will be sent to the coaches and managers in the next few days.

We are very pleased that a number of players from our middle and senior grades have volunteered to coach a number of the Club's junior teams – a great effort ladies! As usual, we ask all parents to please ensure that at least 1 parent (preferably 2) stay with the young ladies during the training sessions to ensure that they are safe and secure until all the equipment is packed away at the end of each training session. In addition, it will be much appreciated if all players and parents can assist the coaches and managers in packing away the netball gear at the end of each training session.

The Management Committee earnestly asks **all players to commit to:**

- mid-week training at Brentwood Primary School
- punctual attendance for all games and training sessions
- clear, timely and regular communication with your team coach and manager if, for any reason, you cannot make a game or training session.

Congratulations to **Mellery King** on her selection in the Under 18s Coastals team for the 2012 WA State Netball League season.

Congratulations also to the following Tingara players on their selection in FNA 2012 representative teams in their respective years:

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| Abbie Bain-Price | Zoe Fisher | Kate Pickerill |
| Emma Calder | Lauren Hyde-Cooling | Cheyenne Yates |
| Elysia Henley | Jane Lewi | |

We would also like to congratulate **Emma Calder** for being selected in the FNA "Launch Up" umpiring program.

As usual, the Club cannot operate without our wonderful umpire volunteers every season. At the moment, our umpiring stocks are good for the junior levels but we are short of umpires for the senior levels. Any new volunteer umpires for Under 17s/19s and senior games will be greatly appreciated.

Please note that FNA is running a Parent Rules Workshop on Saturday 21 April for anyone interested on educating themselves and gaining a better understanding of umpiring and the rules of netball. Registration forms are available on the FNA website umpires page. Tingara is also offering 2 workshops for its younger/newer umpires on Monday 9 and 23 April 2012, to be run by our Umpiring Co-ordinator, Keryn Rae, and also Hannah Adams (thanks ladies for this!). Further details for all these workshops are available from Keryn (mob 0409 030 687 and email kmraes@optusnet.com.au).

We are very pleased that the majority of players have already received their new Tingara Club uniform for 2012. They look terrific! For those who have ordered but not yet received their new uniform, the final delivery of uniforms for this year is due in the next few weeks. Our Uniforms Manager, Gill Ryan, will contact you as soon as possible after this final order is received.

Unfortunately, due to supply issues, the new netballs with "Tingara Netball Club" printed on them for purchase by Club members was cancelled.

The Tingara Committee would like to sincerely thank its Club sponsors for 2012, **Mt Pleasant Physiotherapy** and **Australian Financial Solutions Group (AFSG)**. The sponsors' logos appear below. Please refer to the Club website for details of the services provided by our great sponsors and also for links to their respective websites.

The Tingara website, at www.tingaranetball.com.au, is continuously being updated with new information, team photos etc. Please ensure that the Club website is included in your "favourites". There is now a Facebook page linked to the website, as a forum to discuss all matters relating to Tingara.

Can all coaches and managers please ensure that team photos are emailed to our Club President, Murray King, as soon as possible once all team members have their new club uniform. The team photos will then be placed on the Club website.

The 2012 Management Committee is very excited about our new season and wishes the best of luck to all our Tingara teams.

GO TINNIES IN 2012!

Kind regards
Tingara Netball Club
Management Committee



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NEWSLETTER - 3 FEBRUARY 2012

Hello All Tingara Members,

The Management Committee of Tingara Netball Club would like to extend a warm welcome to all our members for the 2012 season.

A reminder of 2 very important dates for Tingara in the next few days:

- Special Uniform Open Night - **Wednesday 8 February 2012** from 4pm to 7pm at 20 Davenport Road Booragoon. Please note that:
 - The sizing of the new uniform differs from the old one and therefore it would be prudent if all Club members try on the new skirts and tops to ensure the correct sizes are ordered.
 - Only pre-paid orders, cheques and money orders will be accepted at the Uniform Open Night (ie no cash).
- Club registration day on **Sunday 12 February 2012** at Brentwood Primary School from 10am to 12 noon. Please note that the registration day this year will be held at the area near the training courts (**not** at the verandah near the school hall as it was last year)

Please refer to the registration pack on the Club website for relevant forms and all registration information. To those members who will make a donation to cover the cost of new bibs and netballs, your contributions will be much appreciated.

It is very important to note that FNA has put a cap on the number of teams all affiliated clubs can register for competition this year. This effectively means that all clubs (including Tingara) will need to closely monitor its registration numbers and may have to turn away prospective players if the numbers get too high. Accordingly, Tingara is adopting a 1st come 1st served policy. **It is in everyone's interest to ensure that you register in a timely manner. There will be no guarantee that late registrations will be accepted.**

Please note that this year we are ordering netballs with "Tingara Netball Club" printed on them. They are good quality netballs and we have an opportunity of selling them to interested Club members at a cost of \$30. If you are interested, you can order and pay for these balls on registration day. The Club will then make a bulk order for the new balls and distribute them once we have received them.

A brief overview of the timetable for the 2012 season follows (please refer to the registration pack for further details):

- grading dates – 27, 28 & 29 February and 5,6 & 7 March
- 1st training starts – 19, 20 & 21 March
- season commences - 28 April
- season byes – 2 June, 7, 14 & 21 July
- finals series – 8, 15 & 22 September
- Tingara team windups – dates and venues to be advised

Congratulations to Mellery King who has been selected into the State 17s squad, from which the final State 17s team will be chosen in the next week or so.

All members are reminded to check out the Tingara website at www.tingaranetball.com.au. The website has all the key information that you will need during the season.

As the Club gears up for the start of the new season, we will be looking to our members (as well as their families and friends) to take on the very important roles of coaches and managers of each of our Tingara teams. Any volunteers in these roles will be greatly appreciated by the Club and the players. Our Senior and Junior Coaching Co-ordinators (Julie Brennan and Kate Collins respectively) will be seeking your support, so please contact them if you are interested.

The Club will be looking to its members to support its umpiring obligations with FNA during the year. To those members who take on these umpiring duties, we thank you for your efforts.

Please note that Tingara is again looking for **new club sponsors for 2012**. With over 250 playing members, the Club website provides enhanced opportunities for sponsorships and advertising. If there are any family businesses within the Tingara community that may wish to pursue a sponsorship deal, please contact our President, Murray King.

Thanks to all our Club members for your continued support. Best of luck to all junior and senior Tingara teams for 2012 **GO TINNIES!**

Kindest regards
Tingara Netball Club
Management Committee