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November 2023

2024 INFORMATION

Below is general information and outcomes from the forward planning meeting held in November 2023.

NOTICE TO ALL CLUBS

Please read the information supplied regarding the 2024 Winter Season carefully. It is most important that all clubs take notice and organise their paperwork accordingly so that you can meet your commitments as they fall due. This sheet will provide the necessary information along with the WDNA website www.wdna.net.au.

Clubs will receive their 2024 Affiliation and Contact Information Form along with the 2024 Winter Uniform Registration Form in the AGM Pack. These forms need to be submitted to WDNA as early as possible via email to enquiries@wdna.net.au or mail.

*****The WDNA office will close on December 8th and reopen on January 8th, 2024.

WDNA will not be conducting a Spring competition in 2024 due to the court resurfacing and the results of the survey.

REGISTRATIONS

WDNA will be conducting two Administration nights to assist clubs with the PlayHQ system and setting up their registrations. These workshops will be held on **Monday 12 February** and **Wednesday 21st February** from **6pm to 8pm** in the WDNA club room.

Clubs will receive multiple PlayHQ registration invitations from WDNA - one for **Juniors/Seniors (12s-Opens)**, one for **NSG Set/GO (Year 2-5)** and *if applicable one for NSG Net*.

This means for participants to be registered as a NetSetGo participant and receive the associated benefits (including participant pack) they must be registered under the NSG competition on PlayHQ. Clubs will have to accept both the Set/GO and Junior/Senior PlayHQ competition invite and then create a club registration form in each competition which means you will then get a unique link to send to NSG participants and then a different one for Junior/Senior participants.

If a player registers into the incorrect competition they must have their registration cancelled, and then must re-register into the correct competition - there is no way to transfer across. Because of this we strongly recommend clubs send out expression of interests or finalise their teams and age groups before sending out the correct PlayHQ registration links.

This will make sure participants are registering in the correct competition and will reduce the number of cancellations and vouchers needed. Further information on these registrations changes and cheat sheets will be made available at the workshops.

Clubs will be invited to the 2024 Winter season by no later than **December 8th, 2023**. This invitation allows clubs to create their registration links and send them on to members at a time that best suits them.



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We recommend that clubs finalise their player numbers and allocate them in PlayHQ by **Sunday 17th March**. This then gives clubs a week to sort their team numbers before the **WDNA Close Date on Sunday 24th March**. Each team registering must list a minimum of seven players. Clubs may register further players after this date, but no further teams may be added or withdrawn from this time.

Clubs may register further new players in PlayHQ no later than 11.59pm on Thursdays for the Winter competition and 11.59pm on Mondays for the Spring competition. These players must also be allocated to a team at this time.

An invitation to register for the Winter 2024 Season will be sent out no later than December 8th, 2022.

Please ensure that you are vigilant when creating your registration links and to select the '**12 Month**' option otherwise your players may be charged a second fee from Netball WA if a lesser option is chosen. The 12-month option will ensure that the Netball WA fee is not charged a second time in the Spring season.

Refunds

WDNA player withdrawals will **not** be considered for a refund after **Game 5 (end of round 1) in winter and after Game 3 Spring, regardless of medical or change of circumstances reasons.**

GENERAL INFORMATION

Special Events

Indigenous Round – Round 10 – 19/20 July 2024

Inclusion Round – Round 13 – 9/10th August 2024

Club Open Day – 24th August 2024

COURTS

Courts required for grading purposes on dates between December and February can be requested by emailing the WDNA Association office from December 1st.

No requests will be accepted before this date.

Please note clubs are not guaranteed a preference for specific courts.

Game Rules

Changes to age groups in 2024 – Please note there will no longer be a 11 & Under division.

NSG – years 2,3,4 and 5

12s, 13s, 15s, 18s, **21s** and Open

Rolling Sub's

For winter season 2024 there will be Rolling Substitutions into the **Open Division 1, 2, 3 and 4, 21 & Under Division 1 and 2, 18 & Under Division 1 and 2, 15 & Under Division 1 and 2 competitions.**



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Players, Coaches and Umpires are likely to come from.

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For a substitution during play, **the substitute must tag hands with the player leaving the court.**

Hand tag to be done in front of their team bench.

Players **MUST** observe the offside rules as they enter/exit the court.

Players must ensure they do not interfere with the umpire's movement during the substitution.

Finals

Order of Play – For **all divisions except Open Division 1**

Semi Finals: 2nd Semi Final – 1 v 2, 1st Semi Final – 3 v 4

Preliminary Finals: Winner of 1st Semi Final v Loser of 2nd Semi Final

Grand Finals: Winner of Preliminary Final v Winner of 2nd Semi Final

Order of Play – For **Open Division 1 only**

Week 1: Team 1 has the bye, **Qualifying Final 2 v 3, Elimination Final 4 v 5**

Week 2: 2nd **Semi-Final** - Team 1 v Winner of qualifying final,
1st **Semi-Final** – Loser of Qualifying Final v Winner of Elimination Final.

Week 3: Winner of Second Semi-Final moves to Grand Final
Preliminary Final – Loser of 2nd Semi-Final v Winner of 1st Semi-Final.

Week 4: **Grand Final** – Winner of 2nd Semi-Final v Winner of Preliminary

Grading

There will be no regrade for Open Division 1.

Timeslots 2024 *Subject to number of registrations*

Fridays

4.00pm - NET

4.30pm - NSG SET

5.30pm -NSG GO

Saturdays

12U – 8.30am

13U – 10:00am

15U -11.30am

18U – 1.00pm

21U – 2.30 & 4.00pm

Open – 2.30 & 4.00pm



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AGE ELIGIBILITY

Refer to "What age group can I play in" Chart included in the AGM Pack and available on the WDNA website.

WDNA fees remain the same as 2023 with no increase. We are still waiting for confirmation from NWA re fees.

WDNA UMPIRING ACADEMY

The WDNA Umpiring Academy will allocate umpires for the following divisions in the following age groups for Winter 2024:

- 12&U – Div 1 to 4
- 13&U – Div 1 to 3
- 15&U – Div 1 to 3
- 18&U – Div 1, 2, 5 and 6
- 21&U – Div 1 and 2
- OPEN – Div 1, 2, 5 and 6

ALL other age divisions not listed will need to be allocated by clubs using club umpires including years 2, 3, 4, 5.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

Our full Calendar of events will be sent to club contacts in December.

Jan 15 -	Board Nominations close/Feedback on P & P changes close
Feb 5 -	WDNA AGM
Feb 12 –	PlayHQ Workshop 1
Feb 21 –	PlayHQ Workshop 2
March 17 –	WDNA recommended date for clubs to close winter registrations.
March 24 –	WDNA Close Date
March 25-	Club Officials Meeting
April 17 -	Compulsory Concussion Workshop
April 26/27 –	Game 1 – NSG and NET
May 3/4	Game 2
May 10/11 –	Game 3
May 17/28 –	Game 4
May 24/25 –	Game 5 -
May 27 -	<i>Close date for refunds</i>
May 31 -	General Bye
June 1 –	General Bye
June 7/8 –	Game 6
June 11 –	President's meeting 1
June 14/15 –	Game 7
June 21/22 –	Game 8
June 28/29 –	Game 9



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July 5/6 –	General Bye
July 12/13 –	General Bye
July 19/20 –	Game 10 – Indigenous Round
July 26/27 –	Game 11
August 2/3 –	Game 12
August 9/10 –	Game 13 – Inclusion Round
August 13 –	President's meeting 2
August 16/17 –	Game 14
August 23/24 –	Game 15 - NSG Final game- Club Open Day – Div 1 Open Semi Final
August 31 –	Semifinals -
September 7 –	Prelim Finals – Appreciation Function
September 14 –	Grand Finals
November 8/9/10 –	WDNA Forward Planning
December 13 –	Office closed.