

Willetton Netball Club

2024 Registration Information Pack



Welcome to the 2024 netball season at Willetton Netball Club!!

This pack contains important information you need to know regarding the upcoming season. Please read through carefully to ensure you understand all the grading registration requirements and important upcoming dates.

Information is regularly announced on our website: www.willettonnetball.club

You can also follow us on the below social media pages:

https://www.facebook.com/willettonnetballclub/

https://www.instagram.com/willettonnetballclub/

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General Information

Members and their families are reminded of their obligations to act in accordance with the various Codes of Conduct whilst playing netball for Willetton. Copies of these Codes of Conduct are available on the Fremantle Netball Association website.

In joining Willetton, all Club members and parents live these values (even in the face of adversity) to ensure Willetton remains both a highly respected and respectful Club.

For any general registration questions or information please contact our Registrar Liz Fogarty on 0401 249 174 – Strictly no calls before 5.30pm or email willettonnetball@gmail.com

Key Dates:

Season Start: 20th April 2024 Long weekend Bye: 1st June 2024

School Holiday Bye's: 29th June, 6th July, 13th July

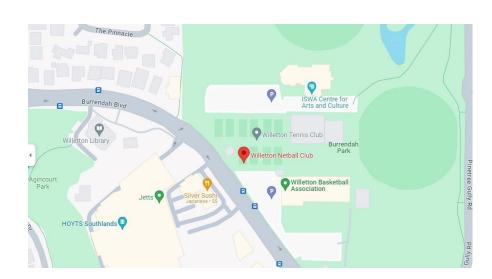
Finals

Semi Final 31st August Preliminary Final 7th September

Grand Final 14th September

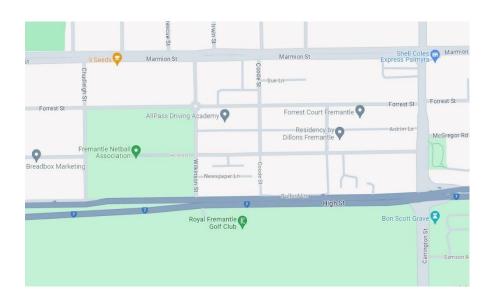
GRADING COURTS/TRAINING COURTS

Each week our teams train in Willetton. Our courts are located along Burrendah Blvd (shared with Willetton Tennis Club) opposite Southlands Shopping Centre next to Willetton Basketball Stadium.



PLAYING COURTS

Each Saturday our teams play at Fremantle Netball Association (Gibson Park), located on High Road, Fremantle.





REGISTRATION PROCESS

For Player, Coach, Team Manager, Volunteer & Official

Willetton is using the PlayHQ platform for all registrations, to register online we recommend using Google Chrome, the link is via our website:

www.willettonnetball.club

Who registers?

All Players, Coaches, Team Managers, Volunteers and Officials – Only players are required to pay fees.

From 2022, PlayHQ replaced the registering platform of My Netball. You will need to create a new PlayHQ account if you have not previously registered.

Fees are payable in full at the time of registration. Unless full fees have been paid, the player is not covered by the Fremantle Netball Association (FNA) Insurance Policy, therefore players who are not financial with the club will be ineligible to trial. Complete your online registration via PlayHQ and pay in full using your debit/credit card, click here for information on fees. Player HQ has now teamed up with PayPal pay in 4, Apple Pay, Google Pay and also Visa or Mastercard.

Kidsport Applicants – families considering Kidsport must **APPLY** for their unique code **PRIOR** to registering on our website as you will require the code to be eligible for the discount. Click here for further information.

Statement: In registering with Willetton, you (The player and, if the player is less than 18 years old, the first-named parent), each understands and agrees as follows:

- 1. Players will be graded into teams in accordance with Club policy.
- 2. Willetton Netball Club endorses the Fremantle Netball Association (FNA) codes of conduct. Therefore, you are agreeing to abide by these codes, as well as all other rules, policies and regulations established by the Willetton Netball Club, including the Willetton Constitution and By Laws.
- 3. I give permission for my or my child's details to be used for all administrative tasks within the Club, including the sharing of contact details with coaches, managers and other Club officials.
- 4. If I am a new player and younger than 18, then I (or my parent/legal guardian) may be asked to produce appropriate proof of my age to a Willetton official when grading commences.



IMPORTANT MEDICAL INFORMATION

MEDICAL INFORMATION: Please ensure that the coach and manager are notified of any conditions, medical or otherwise, prior to the start of the season. Should any injury occur during a game at FNA, you are required to go to the first aid room to lodge a record of injury for insurance purposes. If you are injured at training, please advise the coach or manager immediately so that an insurance claim can be lodged.

PLEASE NOTE: Ambulance travel, if required, will not be covered by FNA Insurance and you will be required to contribute to a gap payment if you do not have your own appropriate ambulance insurance. Please make yourself aware of the limits of your health fund coverage.

WITHDRAWALS

If you decide to withdraw after you have registered, you must apply via email to Liz Fogarty willettonnetball@gmail.com to see if you are eligible for a partial or any refund. The amount refund is dependent on the time of the withdrawal and if other fees and costs have been incurred. It is important to note that Netball WA will not be issuing any refunds after the Club has commenced grading and trials.

Members who withdraw after 19th April 2024 will not be entitled to any refund.

For any questions with the registration process, please contact our Registrar Liz Fogarty via email: willettonnetball@gmail.com

2024 Fees – Players Only

8's to 10's & under (SET & GO) Year of Birth 2014 to 2017 - \$250

Junior Registration Year of Birth 2008 - 2013 - \$270

Under 18's Year of Birth 2006 - 2007 - \$290

Senior Registration - Year of birth 2009 onwards - \$290

*Please note that the fees for players in all Junior and 18 & Under teams include umpire payments for the 2024 season

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Help kids connect with local sporting opportunities.

Tell your community about KidSport today.

www.dlgsc.wa.gov.au/kidsport





Enables eligible Western Australian children aged 5 to 18 years to participate in community sport and recreation by offering them financial assistance of up to \$300 per year towards club fees.

You must APPLY for your unique code PRIOR to registering.

For further information on Kidsport, please click on the below link:

https://kidsport.dlgsc.wa.gov.au/kidsport/apply-for-kidsport-1/

If you require further assistance regarding the above, please contact – **Liz Fogarty** (**Registrar**)





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Grading Process

Grading is based on year of birth **NOT** school year, as per FNA and Netball WA requirements.

Every endeavour is made by the Grading Committee to place members appropriately in teams taking into consideration personal skills, application, team balance and player requests. Previous years coach's assessments may also be taken into consideration. We cannot guarantee to place you/your child with your/their friends but if you have any concerns, please advise our Grading Convenors **PRIOR** to the announcement of teams.

Once a player is graded and the teams announced, the Club's policy is not to move that player to another team, other than where there are exceptional circumstances – an example of this maybe where a player is seriously injured, and this necessitates another player to be moved.

All teams are submitted to Fremantle Netball Association with Willetton's grading requests. The grade of the team is then finalised by FNA, and fixtures are released approximately 2-3 weeks on player HQ before the commencement of the season.

<u>It is Compulsory for players to attend ALL grading sessions listed on next page unless otherwise advised</u>. <u>Failure to attend or contact the below graders, may result being placed in a team wherever there is a vacancy.</u>

If you are unable to attend, please contact the following **asap:**

Senior Grading Convenor

Lauren O'Connor – Mobile: 0426 265 770 Email: lauren j91@hotmail.com

Junior Grading Convenor (including SET/GO)

Nicole Fleming – Mobile: 0413 446 020 Email: N1kk189@live.com

Fremantle Netball Association Change of Grade Structure for 2024

There are some changes to the grading structure for the Winter Competition for 2024. For our current members who would be aware that the junior grades have been JA, JB, etc. These grades have now been superseded with grades reflective of the actual age group. For example, the JA grade will be known as 15's & under, JB – 14's & under, etc.....The Junior grades will be going up to and including 16's & under.

The 19's & under grade has now been updated and replaced with the 18's & under grade, which is for 18- and 17-year-old players.

The Senior grade will now be known as the Open grade and players from 19 years old to open are able to play in this competition.

If you have any questions regarding the new grade structure, please contact the club.

The game timeslots for these grades will be released in January/February 2024.



GRADING DATES

Juniors

| Year of Birth | Grade | Day | Date | Time |
|---------------|------------|--------|----------|--------------|
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| 2013 | 11's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| 2012 | 12's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| 2011 | 13's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 5pm - 6pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| 2010 | 14's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| 2009 | 15's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 5pm - 6.30pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| 2008 | 16's under | Monday | 12th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |

18's & Under

| Year of Birth | Grade | Day | Date | Time |
|------------------|-------|--------|----------|--------------|
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| 2007 | 17's | Monday | 12th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| 2006 | 18's | Monday | 12th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 6.30pm - 8pm |

Seniors/Open

| Year of Birth | Grade | Day | Date | Time |
|---------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|
| | | Wednesday | 7th Feb | 6.30pm - 8.30pm |
| 2005 - Open From 19 years | Wednesday | 14th Feb | 6.30pm - 8.30pm | |
| | | Wednesday | 21st Feb | 6.30pm - 8.30pm |

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8's to 10's Grades (Set/Go)

Players from the age of 8-10 years play in the Set & Go grades, are modified games perfect for young beginners starting their netball journey with learning how to play and enjoying a team environment.

Expressions of interest are currently being taken. Please contact our Registrar Liz Fogarty if you have a child interested in playing in the Set and Go division:

Liz Fogarty – Mobile: 0401 249 174 - No Phone calls before 5.30pm

Email: willettonnetball@gmail.com

We do not hold grading sessions for these players, however, we do run some fun skill training sessions during the grading process, so our new potential players learn about the game and get to meet some members of our club. You **must** contact the club with your expression of interest for your child to join, as we may cancel these sessions without notice if there is no interest. Please see below for times:

| Year of Birth | Grade | Day | Date | Time |
|---------------|-------|--------|----------|-----------|
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| 2016 | 8's | Monday | 12th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| 2015 | 9's | Monday | 12th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| | | Monday | 5th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| 2014 | 10's | Monday | 12th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |
| | | Monday | 19th Feb | 4pm - 5pm |

Team Allocation

Team Allocation sessions will take place on Monday 26th February for all Junior teams and 18's under teams at our training courts. It is most important that all players attend the session as Players/Parents will meet their coaches/managers for the season and will be able discuss/confirm training day and time that suits everyone. Failure to attend may result in a training day/time that is not suitable for you.

Senior players will be notified via the Willetton Netball Facebook/Instagram page, your coaches contact you directly.

Please see below table for the times for each age group for team allocation for Monday 26th February:

| Grade | Time |
|---------------------|-----------------|
| 8's to 10's grades | 4.30pm - 5.00pm |
| 11's to 16's grades | 5.00pm - 5.30pm |
| 18's & under | 5.30pm - 6.00pm |



Uniforms

The compulsory uniform on game day is our Willetton Netball Club dress and shorts. Ordering is online, **please do not purchase a uniform** until you have tried on a dress, as the size of the dresses are not standard:

Dress \$65.00



Shorts \$35.00



Order via our online supplier:

https://clubsshop.net/willettonnetball

Other optional wear is available through the Club Shop website or contact our uniforms convenor if you have any questions.

Samples will be available to try on in February on two dates only: Saturday February 10th and Saturday 17th. More details of location and times will be posted on Facebook and Instagram closer to the dates.

To ensure orders arrive in time for your first game, please order before 8th March 2024. Any queries please contact **Sally Grlusich (Uniform Convenor) on 0437 316 403.**

NOTE – 2nd Hand Uniforms to sell/buy are advertised by the individual via our Facebook Page.

If you are intending on selling a dress, please list on the Facebook page as soon as possible and remove your post once you have a buyer confirmed.

As mentioned above, please do not wait to the last minute to order uniforms, as players will not be allowed to go on court until they are in full uniform.



Volunteering

Willetton Netball Club is a community club, without the help of parents and senior players, we cannot keep the club running. There are many ways you can volunteer at the club, help out at the cake stall, assist with fundraising, etc Most importantly we are always looking for Coaches and Team Managers for our teams.

Coaching

It doesn't matter if you know a little bit about netball or have plenty experience. We welcome anyone who would like to volunteer to be a coach. Our club offers support to our Coaches throughout the season, and we also have our Coaches Convenor that you chat to with any concerns or ask for guidance through the season. There are some great coaching resources, encouraging apps and courses available which our convenor can assist you on.

Coaches are appointed to teams after discussions with the Coaches Convenor, when grading of the players has been finalised.

Coaches' polo shirts are available to buy should you require one.

Assistant coaching opportunities for those wanting to coach, but not ready to coach a team on their own.

As a coach, you will have a Team Manager who will assist with administrative duties and equipment.

Coaches must obtain a Working with Children Check if they are over 18 years old and not a parent. This must be provided to the club prior to the season commencing. To complete the required WWC form please follow the link:

https://workingwithchildren.wa.gov.au/applicants-cardholders/applying-for-a-wwc-check/how-to-apply.

WNC will reimburse the \$11 out of pocket expense.

If you think you might be interested in coaching, please contact our Coaches Convenor:

Lauren Damm: willettonnetball@gmail.com



Team Manager

Behind every Coach is the amazing support of the Team Manager. This is a valued role that assists the Coach greatly through management of rosters, the equipment bag, liaising with parents and team members and overall, helping the team to bond and maximise their potential during the season. Team Manager's receive support from the Senior and Junior Convenors throughout the season, depending on the grade your team is on.

How do I become a Team Manager?

Once a team/coach has been advised, usually on team allocation night, the next step is to get someone to volunteer to be a Team Manager. Parents can nominate themselves to be a manager of your child's team and seniors can nominate as their way of giving back to the club. – **please** volunteer to be the team manager.

Umpiring

SENIOR teams will need to umpire or supply an umpire for their allocated umpiring duty during the course of the season. FNA will impose a fine of \$50.00 for failure to umpire, along with a team penalty of 2 premiership points. Any Willetton team that incurs a fine is responsible for the full payment owing. It is recommended that senior teams look for a suitable umpire as early as possible.

All Set & Go, Junior grades, 18's & under Teams will be provided an umpire for the season.

Umpires need to complete the Rules of Netball theory course via https://netball.com.au/netball-learning and be registered on Player HQ as an umpire (separate registration to playing). This includes all umpiressupplied for Senior Teams.

Willetton Netball Club encourages players from the age of 14 years old who would like to learn umpiring to contact our Umpiring Convenor Mikey Campbell (details listed below). During the season we aim to provide ample opportunities for both new and experienced umpires to develop their umpiring abilities through one-to-one mentoring and other skills development programs.

New umpires will be required to complete the Rules of Netball Theory course and achieve at least 70% to qualify. We also require new umpires to engage with a skills development course prior to the season starting. Umpires will then be placed on a roster to gain hands on experience under the direct supervision of one of our more experienced umpires.

We also support individuals who have umpired previously to achieve national accreditation (C badge or higher). Costs associated with courses/badges may be reimbursed, please contact our Umpires Convenor for further details.

If you would like to umpire or are interested in developing your skills, please contact our Umpires Convenor – Mikey Campbell Mobile: 0423 643 679 Email: mikeycampbell2001@gmail.com



2024 Committee Members

President Jacinta Gabbey

Vice President Christine Robbins

Secretary Karen Bovell

Registrar Liz Fogarty

Treasurer Andrea Manning

Umpires Convenor Mikey Campbell

Uniform/Equipment Sally Grlusich

Senior Grading Convenor Lauren O'Connor

Junior Grading Convenor Nicole Fleming

Coaches Convenor Lauren Damm

Publicity Margaret Hackwill

Senior Convenor William Perez

Junior Convenor Lara Passauer

Social Convenor Candice Gilchrist

Grants/Fundraising Katie Gordon

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