



Welcome to Winter 2018

Welcome to all new players and those returning to SMAA for the upcoming Winter season. We hope that your time with SMAA is memorable and enjoyable for all players and families.

You may have noticed that trials are now in full swing. The last trial is on Wednesday 14th Feb (Happy Valentines day!) this is due to the postponement of the second trial, due to the heat. Only the U11, U13 & U15 players need to attend this trial.

Teams are due to be announced on Monday 19th February. You can log into your player portal after this date to see which team you have been placed in.

On February 25th @ 4pm we will hold our annual meet & greet at our clubrooms. This is compulsory for all players to attend. Its where players get to meet their team mates, coaches are finalized and training times are arranged.

During the season we have many other important dates, which we have included overleaf. If you have any questions or comments please don't hesitate to contact me on admin@smaanetballclub.com.au.

Please also refer to our website with any questions you may have. You will see many improvements on our website over the course of this season. Our main method of communication with members will continue to be emails supported by facebook posts, sms and team app. So please ensure your contact details are correct on your player portal, and that you have liked and stay active on our facebook page https://www.facebook.com/SMAANC/.

Tania Costello (Admin)

Positions Available

SMAA is still looking for persons to fill the roles of Equipment & Grants Officers. You do not need to be on the committee to assist with either of these roles. The equipment officer involves stocking the team bags & unpacking at the end of the season, so its not a continuous role. It is vital that this role is filled ASAP so we can get the bags out to the teams before training commences.



Reminder from the SMAA Treasurer

SMAA has a no pay, no play policy – so fees are due in full prior to the first game on April 7^{th} 2018.

If you require a sports voucher (primary school aged children only) you can download one from http://www.sportsvouchers.sa.gov.au/. Please return it to our treasurer.

Attention all budding coaches!

SMAA is offering a free coaching session to all persons interested in coaching a team this season. The session will be held at our clubrooms immediately prior to the meet and greet, on **February** 25th 2:30 – 3:30pm.

If you are interested in coaching a team please register your interest with admin@smaanetballclub.com.au. There will be plenty of support offered to coaches this year with a coaching mentor system being introduced.

We highly recommend that all coaches complete the online coaches foundation course with Netball SA. All coaches who successfully complete this course will be reimbursed the \$50 fee.

Are you interested in becoming an umpire?

Netball SA beginner umpires workshop. Sunday 18th March, 9am – 12pm @ Priceline Stadium. This is an excellent starting point for all those interested in becoming an umpire. Register online https://sa.netball.com.au/event/beginner-umpires-workshop/

SMAA is also offering an Umpires Training session with Glen Wooley on Mon 9th

from 7pm



Sponsorship

Do you know a business that could sponsor a SMAA Team? For \$600 your business name could be promoted on training attire, our website, newsletters & facebook. This is possible exposure to hundreds of members and others within our SMAA community. Please contact admin@smaanetballclub.com.au for a sponsorship application form.



SMAA Important Dates 2018

Date:	Event:
Wed 14 th Feb	Final Trial for U11, U13, U15
Mon 19 th Feb	Teams announced on player portals
Sun 25 th Feb	Meet & Greet. 4pm @ our clubrooms – 2 Retallack Ave, Marleston
	Compulsory for all players & coaches to attend
Sun 25 th Feb	SMAA Coaching course for future coaches. 2:30 – 3:30pm (prior to meet
	& greet) 2 Retallack Ave, Marleston
Sun 18 th March	Netball SA Beginner Umpire Workshop 9-12pm Priceline stadium
Sat 7 th April	1 st Round of Winter 2018 netball
Sat 21 st April	BYE - School holidays
16 th -18 th April	SAUCNA Netball & Umpiring Camps.
1st Week of May	Club photos – taken during training
Sun 20 th May	Church Service – Date to be confirmed
Sat 9 th June	BYE – Queens Birthday Long Weekend
Sat14 th July	BYE – School Holidays
Wed 18 th July	SAUCNA Junior Carnival
Sat 25 th Aug	Grand Final
	Junior Presentation Night
4 th – 9 th Oct	CANA Nationals in Sydney – Juniors
6 th – 9 th Oct	CANA Nationals in Sydney – Opens

NB There will be additional dates added to our calendar once the season commences. Eg Coaches/Team Managers meetings, club nights and fundraising events.

Did you know that our bar & canteen now has EFTPOS?





Please finalise uniform orders ASAP to guarantee delivery prior to the first game. New uniforms can be purchased from 100% Netball, second hand uniforms may be advertised on our members facebook group.

2017/18 SMAA COMMITTEE MEMBERS

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