ERNA netball term 2 & 3 2015
(year 1 – year 12)
information & registration

Registrations - open 14 November 2014 & close 14 January 2015

Santa Sabina will be competing in the Eastwood Ryde Netball Association Competition. This competition will be conducted from 11 April – 5 September 2015. Please read the following information carefully as, it will form the basis for your involvement in Netball at Santa Sabina College in 2015.

There is an absolute expectation that all players fulfil their contractual obligations during the season and that they do so with the active support of their parents.

**COMPETITION DATES:** Saturdays only (Grand Final spare day Sunday 6 September). Please note that due to Sydney hosting the World Cup in 2015, Netball Australia has notified all associations that they may be required to hold games during school holidays. Please note this when registering your daughter.

**GAME TIMES:** Game times vary from year to year, but as a general guide, 7 – 13yrs play in the morning and 14yrs + play in the middle of the day/afternoon.

**VENUE:** 7 – 10 years: Brush Farm, Lawson Street, Eastwood. All others: Meadowbank Park, Adelaide Street, Meadowbank.

**UNIFORM:** The College has a new uniform for netball (A-line dress) and all girls registered for 2015 will be required to purchase it. The cost of the dress at the time is approximately $79. Students will need to attend the uniform shop between 19 January and 6 February 2015 to have a fitting, as the uniform shop will not be holding stock. Payment will be required at the time of fitting. Students are required to continue wearing the College netball socks, black briefs and sports shoes. If the weather is cold students are to wear their College tracksuit or Jersey to sporting fixtures.

**EQUIPMENT:** The school will provide all equipment required for participation in netball.

**TRAINING U7 – U11 years:** All players will have one training session each week the duration of which will be an hour. Training sessions are held after school from 3:30 - 4:30pm. All DM children are to meet their coach in the undercroft area at DM. MdP students are to go directly to training after school whether the training is at DM or Santa Sabina netball courts. It is expected that students are punctual, dressed in school sports attire and have appropriate safety equipment for all training sessions. It is essential that players attend all training.

In the event of wet weather for Year 5 and below, training will be cancelled and a message will be placed on Twitter and on the College Sports Wet Weather Line – 1900 920 289 by 2:00pm for parents. An announcement will be made at DM and a notice placed on the MdP Sports notice board for students. If training is cancelled students should be collected at the normal school dismissal time for that day. Parents and students are not to contact the office staff for wet weather information.

Students should be collected from training by the scheduled finishing time. In the event that a parent/guardian is unavoidably detained, thus unable to collect their child within 10 minutes of the end of the scheduled training time, their child will be escorted to OOSH Centre on the Del Monte Campus from where they can be collected. If your child is taken to OOSH after training, fees will be charged at the normal rate.
TRAINING: U12 and over: Players will have one training session for an hour each week. Training sessions may be held before school from 7:15-8:15am or after school from 3:30 - 4:30pm. It is expected that students are punctual, dressed in school sports attire and have appropriate safety equipment for all training sessions. It is essential that players attend all training sessions even if it is raining.

GAMES: Players are expected to attend all games and must be at the venue and court at least 30 minutes prior to the game so there is adequate time for score sheets to be completed and for players to be signed on and warm-up. If a player is for some reason unable to play due to illness or injury it is important that they come to support their team where possible.

In the event of wet weather for games a message is put on the ERNA wet weather line. We apologise in advance for the times you may arrive to find a game cancelled. It is not always possible to make accurate predictions about weather and ground conditions. The ERNA wet weather number is 1900 962 017

On the rare occasions that a student is unable to attend training or a game the following procedures are to be followed:
- If the inability to attend IS known in advance - parent/guardian should email as early as possible the coach and netball coordinator.
- If the inability to attend IS NOT known in advance – the parent/guardian of the student should SMS or phone the coach to inform them of the absence and email the netball coordinator.

Please Note:
- Failure to attend games without a timely explanation is unacceptable and can jeopardise players continued involvement in sport at the College.

COACHES: Each team will have a coach who is responsible for the ongoing training and development of the players’ skills and knowledge of the game.

MANAGERS: Each team will require a manager for the season. Teams cannot be entered without a parent or responsible adult as team manager. If you are interested in being the team manager for your daughter’s team could you please indicate this in the appropriate section when registering your daughter.

The manager’s role is to support the coach in areas such as
- Team administration eg. organising canteen duties
- Management of team equipment eg. Kit bag
- Scoring

UMPIRING: Students both experienced and novice can nominate their interest in umpiring for the 2015 netball season. In order to begin umpiring, students must be at least 13 years old. Badged umpires are paid to umpire.

COMMUNICATION: Our main forms of communication with the players and their parents will be via email, through team coaches, Haiku, Vertias Voice and the Sports Noticeboards. Please ensure you regularly attend to these to ensure you are well informed regarding Netball 2015.

FEES: A NON-REFUNDABLE fee of $220.00 for 7 – 10 year olds and $240.00 for all other ages is charged and includes NSW and ERNA registration, Netball NSW insurance, ERNA court and light levy, umpiring expenses, team equipment and coaching fees. Costs of all NSW and ERNA fees rise annually.

GRADING: All players are expected to attend grading (schedule below). Your age group is the age you turn in 2015. In extreme cases where a player is unable to attend, parents must email the netball coordinator either on or before the grading date. Attendance at grading or appropriate notification of the inability to attend is essential to be guaranteed a place in the most appropriate team.

If grading is called off due to wet weather or extreme heat on Saturday 31 January, a message will be placed on Twitter (https://twitter.com/santasports). The alternate date for Netball grading is Sunday 1 February. The time schedule will remain the same as indicated below for ALL age groups.

All players must come along dressed ready to play netball. Please ensure you have correct footwear for netball. No soft canvas shoes allowed. (School sports uniform not required).

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NEW PLAYERS AND GIRLS TURNING 10 IN 2015: New players to Santa Sabina netball are required to submit 2 identical, full faced, colour passport photos with their name on the back. These are used for registration cards and must be brought to grading and given to the netball coordinator. **Please note 7, 8 & 9 year old players do not require photos.**

HEALTH INFORMATION & FOOD ALLERGIES: To help ensure the safe participation of students in this activity, health and allergy information about each participant is requested as part of the registration process. Parents/guardians should ensure this section is completed with all relevant health information and should be aware that this is the health information that will be provided to team coaches, manager and staff with respect to this activity.

CONTACT DETAILS: To facilitate the smooth running of the school sports program, the safe participation of students and in some cases the registration of teams or individuals, **contact information** including, but not restricted to, the mobile numbers, email addresses and residential address (residential addresses are used for registration purposes ONLY if required by an Association) for students and their parents/guardian as well as students’ DOB may be provided to Sports Associations, coaches, managers, staff, parents and students. The information provided when registering for this activity will be the default information used by the Sports Department. Information on record at the College may be used if required. **If your details change please notify, by email, the Sports Staff member responsible for this activity as indicated in this information.**

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Please read this carefully BEFORE you begin. To register your child for this activity please click the link below and complete the online registration process, **which includes payment** for this activity. Once registration is complete an automated confirmation email will be sent to the email address **provided for the PARTICIPANT** at the start of the registration process. When registering please ensure that the participant email address is the email address to which you wish the confirmation to be sent. If you do not receive a confirmation email to the participant email address your registration is not confirmed. For optimal browser performance please use Google chrome.

**Registrations OPEN on 14 November 2014 & CLOSE 14 January 2015. Registrations may be reopened if additional players are required.**

To register your child [CLICK HERE](#).

We hope that your child finds Netball in 2015 an exciting and rewarding experience.

If you would like any more information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,

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