

2018



PLAYER HANDBOOK

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WELCOME TO THE ADELAIDE WILDCATS NETBALL CLUB

Welcome to the Adelaide Wildcats Netball Club season for 2018.

VISION

To be the preferred community-based netball club for all players, officials and families seeking a competitive and enjoyable club environment.

MISSION

To attract and develop players from the inner southern suburbs to our affordable, supportive and friendly community club, while promoting a healthy, active lifestyle for families and the local community.

OUR COMMITMENTS

Our commitments that underpin our Vision and Mission are to:

- *Promote and actively encourage fair play from all those involved with our Club*
- *Support and develop all standards of players*
- *Provide structured and focused junior development*
- *Provide quality coaches and umpires who are supported in their ongoing development*
- *Seek to involve families and supporters in wider Club activities*
- *Always act with integrity and transparency*

THE WILDCATS WAY

*To create a positive environment where players feel welcomed, valued and supported.
To have a positive influence on the players netball and life experience, to develop player's skills and wellbeing, and provide a pathway for their development.*

The Wildcats Way means our **players** will be known and remembered for:

- Being skilled, disciplined players
- Showing respect to each other, the opposition and officials
- Playing fair, including winning and losing graciously
- Being 'good sports' – thanking the opposition, shaking hands and for the Captain to thank the officials after each game
- Enjoying their netball

The Wildcats Way means our **coaches** will:

- Undergo coach accreditation at the Club's expense
- Support the Wildcats Way in sentiment, deed and action
- Show respect to their players, the opposition and officials
- Win and lose graciously
- Develop players skills and wellbeing

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WILDCATS WAY APPROACH

We train how we are to play; we will get out of it as much as we are prepared to put in. Our coaching and playing methodology will be based around the Netball Australia framework.

For more information about the club including team information, Club Policies, Club Manual and the latest Club news, please see www.adelaidewildcats.com.au , Team App or Facebook.

CLUB CONTACT DETAILS

WILDCATS NETBALL CLUB	ADDRESS	PO Box 64 EDWARDSTOWN SA 5039
	EMAIL	netball@adelaidewildcats.com.au treasurer@adelaidewildcats.com.au umpire@adelaidewildcats.com.au
	WEBSITE	www.adelaidewildcats.com.au
	FACEBOOK	Adelaide Wildcats Netball Club
	BANK DETAILS	Adelaide Wildcats Netball Club BSB: 105-093 Acct #: 355047040

COMMITTEE CONTACTS

PRESIDENT	VICE PRESIDENT	SECRETARY	TREASURER
Alice McDonald 0418 830 458	Sarah Kennedy 0409 679 932	Maria Loy 0418 812 579	VACANT

GENERAL MEMBERS

Helen Ramage
Tina Coad

Lee Johnson
Deidre Simpson

CLUB EXPECTATIONS FOR PLAYERS, COACHES, UMPIRES & SPECTATORS

The Wildcats expectations for ALL players, Coaches, Umpires and Spectators are below:

- Respect all opposition players, coaches, umpires and spectators.
- Respect all Wildcat players, coaches, umpires, spectators and committee.
- Remember that players participate for pleasure and winning is only part of the fun.
- Operate within the rules and spirit of the sport.
- Make the experience for all players, coaches, umpires and spectators a positive experience.
- All players to have equal court time where possible during minor round matches.
- Display control, respect and professionalism to all involved in the sport.
- Any physical contact with a young player should be appropriate to the situation and necessary for the player's skill development.
- Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or beliefs.
- Show concern and caution towards sick and injured players, follow the advice of a physician when determining whether an injured player is ready to commence training or matches.
- At all times, represent the club with dignity and sportsmanlike behaviour.
- Support the club and its members at trainings, matches and club functions.

AGE GRADE & SENIOR COORDINATOR ROLES

The role of the Age Grade and Senior/Inter Coordinator is to be the point of contact for players, parents and coaches during the season should any concerns, queries or feedback arise.

Please contact your 2018 Coordinators by email, netball@adelaidewildcats.com.au, in the first instance should you have any questions regarding the 2018 season at the Wildcats.

AGE GRADE COORDINATOR: Sarah Kennedy – 0409 679 932

SENIOR/INTER COORDINATOR: Lee Johnson – 0412 529 213

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EVENTS 2018

Keep up to date with all of our events throughout the year by putting these dates in your diary now! *Dates and venues may be subject to change so check out the website www.adelaidewildcats.com.au, the Facebook page or Team App for up-to-date information.

EVENT	DATE*	DESCRIPTION
SEASON STARTS Seniors	Saturday APRIL 14 th	Round 1 of the Winter Season starts for all Senior teams.
BYE	Saturday APRIL 21st	NO SENIOR NETBALL
BYE	Saturday May 5th	NO SENIOR NETBALL
TEAM PHOTOS	TBA	Get your smile on!
SEASON STARTS All age grades	Saturday MAY 12 th from 9am	Round 1 of the Winter Season starts for all age grades.
AGE GRADE CARNIVAL	Sunday May 20 th	Woodside
DEVELOPMENT SESSION #3	Wednesday JUNE 6 th	Session held with Taught and Bowled
BYE	JUNE 9th	QUEEN'S BDAY – NO NETBALL
BINGO	Saturday June 23 rd	Wildcats major fundraiser event
BYE – Age Grade only	Saturday JULY 14th	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS - NO NETBALL
AGE GRADE CAMP	Saturday/Sunday AUGUST 4 th /5 th	Camp fun for all age grade players!
CLUB DAY	Saturday AUGUST 11 th	Wildcats will host a Club Day at Priceline Stadium – come and help!
SEMI FINAL	SEPTEMBER 8 th	Make sure you check the website to see which teams have made finals!!!
PRELIM FINAL	SEPTEMBER 15 th	
GRAND FINAL	SEPTEMBER 22 nd	
PRESENTATION NIGHT	OCTOBER 13 th Saturday 6:30pm	Annual Awards Evening.
AGM	November TBA	Club's Annual General Meeting.

Keep an eye out for our club dinners throughout the season too!

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2018 COACHES

AMND LEAGUE/ HEAD COACH

A GRADE

SENIOR B1

SENIOR B2

Ash Crawford

Hayley Reid

Karrie McCann

Viv Scopelitis

INTER 2/ INTER PATHWAY COACH

INTER 4 COACH

INTER 5 COACH

Nic Young

Bec Neave

Kate Helmore

JUNIOR 2/ JUNIOR PATHWAY COACH

JUNIOR 5 COACH

JUNIOR 6 COACH

JUNIOR 8 (1) COACH

JUNIOR 8 (2) COACH

Ian Byrne

Danni Bruer

Sarah Kennedy

Tayla Knoblauch and Gabriella Loy

Tia Fuss

SUB JUNIOR 2/ SUB JUNIOR PATHWAY COACH

SUB JUNIOR 4 COACH

SUB JUNIOR 5 (1) COACH

SUB JUNIOR 5 (2) COACH

SUB JUNIOR 7 COACH

SUB JUNIOR 8 COACH

Tom Muller

Jordan Hefferan

Karen Moore and Jody Bousfield

Keryn Kerr

Tina Coad

Eloise Sigley

PRIMARY 2/ PRIMARY PATHWAY COACH

PRIMARY 4 COACH

PRIMARY 5 COACH

Tina Coad

Kim Cahill

Sarah Kennedy

GO 2 COACH (SUB PRIMARY)

Darcie Coad

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FEES & PAYMENT PLANS

A fee applies for each season, which includes public liability insurance. The fees do not include entrance to Priceline Stadium each week. Fees are currently set at:

GRADE	WINTER 2018	GRADE	WINTER 2018
Senior	\$260	Sub-Junior	\$220
Intermediate	\$220	Primary	\$220
Junior	\$220	Sub Primary (Go)	\$220

PAYMENT PLAN

We understand that the cost of playing sport can quickly add up and often all costs fall in a short period of time. That is why the club offers the option of a payment plan to ease the financial burden of playing netball for the Wildcats. All payment plans **must** be finalised before the last minor round game. Failure to do so will mean players are unavailable for selection for finals and ineligible for awards at presentation night.

Please contact the Treasurer at Treasurer@adelaidewildcats.com.au if you have any concerns regarding payment of fees or wish to establish a payment plan.

FAMILY DISCOUNT

Wildcats offer a family discount, where two or more players come from the same family eg sisters or mother/daughter/son. The discounted fee will be applied to the lowest fee only. The discount offers families:

- 10% off the fee of the second family member.
- 20% off the fee of the third family member.

PHOTOGRAPHY

Adelaide Wildcats implements the 'Taking Photos of Children' policy developed by the 'Playing by the Rules' Commonwealth Government Program. This policy also applies to Priceline Stadium.

This policy also applies at Priceline Stadium. See [here](#) for more information about the policy.

If you have any concerns about any photos being taken of you/your daughter, or posted on the Team App gallery or on Facebook, please let us know.

TRAINING INFORMATION

Training is held for all teams during the Winter Season. All Wildcat players are expected to attend all compulsory trainings for their team. When a commitment is made to the Wildcats, this includes training on stipulated nights for the winter season. Netball is a team game and part of this process is training together as a team to ensure the team plays well on Match Day.

TRAINING TIMES

LEAGUE and A GRADE	Tuesday 7:30pm – 9:00pm	PRICELINE STADIUM
B1, B2 GRADE	Tuesday 6:45pm – 8:15pm	Princes Parade
Inter 5	Tuesday 5:30pm-6:45pm	CLOVELLY PARK SA 5042
AGE GRADE		
Go 2	Wednesday 5:00pm – 6:00pm	Princes Parade
Primary 2, 4 and 5	Wednesday 5:30pm – 6:30pm	CLOVELLY PARK SA 5042
Sub Junior 2	Wednesday 6:45pm – 8:00pm	
Sub Junior 4, 5(1), 7, 8	Wednesday 6:30pm – 7:30pm	
Sub Junior 5 (2)	Wednesday 6:00pm – 7:00pm	
Junior 2, 5	Wednesday 7:00pm – 8:15pm	
Junior 6	Wednesday 6:45pm - 8:00pm	
Junior 8 (1)	Wednesday 6:00pm – 7:00pm	
Junior 8 (2)	Wednesday 6.30pm – 7:45pm	
Inter 2 & 4	Wednesday 7.00pm – 8.15pm	

*Please note that training times maybe subject to change.

COLLECTING CHILDREN FROM TRAINING

As part of our duty of care, we ask that all parents come to the courts to collect their children from training and make sure that the coach is aware that you have collected them. The Clovelly courts are surrounded by busy roads with players arriving and leaving from the various training sessions and with the darkness towards the middle of winter, we want to ensure the safety of all our players.

PARKING AT CLOVELLY PARK COURTS

Can we please ensure that the parks closest to the netball courts are used in the first instance. If these are unavailable, please use the car park on the southern side of the hall or the street, keeping the northern car park free for older patrons, especially those marked for seniors.

EXTREME WEATHER

Please check the website, Facebook and/or Team App for up-to-date information about changes to matches/training in the event of extreme weather. Cancelling or changing venues for training due to extreme weather is at the discretion of the Coaches. Coaches of each Grade will liaise and consult with each other regarding whether to cancel training.

Netball SA has policies in place and the authority to cancel/reschedule matches if deemed unsafe for participation due to extreme weather.

UNIFORMS

Adelaide Metropolitan Netball Division (AMND) have brought in strict rules regarding the wearing and fit of club uniforms. No adjustments can be made to the uniform after delivery as it will alter the fit and the design. Club bike shorts must be worn as it is part of the official uniform registered with the AMND.

All players will be required to be wearing the dress with only Wildcats Logo (no Health Partners) by Summer 2018/19 or Winter 2019 (whichever season you/your daughter/your son plays first).

All Wildcat members are also required to wear plain Black Tracksuit Pants, T-Shirt and Jumper if club merchandise is not available. Please contact Team Uniform and Apparel if you have any club uniform or merchandise queries/orders on jaykel2@bigpond.net.au or 0404 096 027.

MATCH DAY ROLES

Along with the Coach and Umpires, all teams must nominate a Timer and Scorer. All players will go on a roster to provide a timer/scorer throughout the season and must be filled each week by people aged over 16.

TIMING

<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be over 16 years of age	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Be behind the umpire and call "TIME" when the timer beeps
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sit/stand together with the scorers and opposition timer	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If timing breaks and injury time, advise umpires when 30 seconds and then 10 seconds to go and call "TIME" when it is time for play to resume.
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• If timing quarters, advise umpires when 10 seconds to go	

The away team is responsible for timing breaks and injury timeouts. The breaks are 3 minutes at quarter and three quarter time and 5 minutes at half time.

SCORING

• Sit/stand together with opposition scorer and the timers	• Record all centre passes and goals	• Confirm scores throughout the match with opposition scorer
• Score goals numerically with each quarter beginning at 1. (i.e. 1, 2, 3, 4)	• Print the umpires name on the scorecard prior to the match	• Only tick the box next to each player's name as they take the court
• Make sure the scorecard is signed by both captains	• Total the number of goals for each quarter	• Total the number of goals for the match
• The scorecard needs to be returned to the Duty Office soon after the game has finished.		

PRIMARY CARER

Each team must have a primary carer preferably with some form of first aid training. However there is no mandatory requirement regarding the first aid training. The Primary Carer has duty of care to respond appropriately in the case of injury/illness however this does not imply the need to be an expert.

The Primary Carer is the only person allowed on court during an injury timeout unless the injured player needs support to be moved from the court or treatment required from Netball SA First Aid Staff. Coaches and parents are not allowed on court unless in the Primary Carer role.

TEAM APP

See the below for instructions on how to sign up to Team App, our main communication method in 2018:

1. Download and install the App from iTunes or Play Store or visit the Team App website
2. Click on Sign up and fill in your details
3. Follow the instructions to verify your sign up (verification link sent to your email).
4. Go back into Team App, find Adelaide Wildcats and click to join.
5. Request your relevant access group (s)
6. Give a reason for requesting access
7. Click Send
8. Approval will be granted by Club admin.

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PLAYER AWARDS & PRESENTATION NIGHT

Please put the below information straight into your diaries:

DATE: Saturday 13 October 2018

TIME: 6:30PM FOR 7:00PM start

VENUE: Derby Pavillion – Upper Level
Morphettville Racecourse
Morphett Road, MORPHETTVILLE

COST: Please see the table below for ticket information for this year's event.

Ticket Groups	Cost	Included
All Primary and Sub Junior Grades	\$33	Savoury Buffet and ice cream sundae
All Junior and Inter Grades	\$44	Two course menu – Main and ice cream sundae
Seniors and adults 18 and over	\$60	Two course menu – set entrée and choice of two mains Freshly brewed Tea and Coffee served with Chocolates

* All other beverages to be purchased over the bar

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