



WEST COASTERS NETBALL CLUB KINGSWAY

2024 CLUB AND REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Welcome to West Coasters Netball Club for the 2024 Winter Season. We would ask that you please take the time to read the information provided over the follow pages.

For the 2024 Winter Season, all returning and new players will be able to register to trial with the club between **15 December 2023** and **21 January 2024**.

Acceptance of registrations is subject to the availability of places and coaching staff and may result in the registration period closing earlier than stated. We recommend registering as soon as possible to avoid missing out on a place. **Late registrations will not be accepted.**

Prior to registering, all members are required to read and agree to the Medical/Injury Disclaimer and Codes of Behaviour for Players, Parents, and Spectators.





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CODES OF BEHAVIOUR

All Players, Parents and Spectators of the club will be required to adhere to the Codes of Behaviour as outlined below throughout the season. Please ensure that you understand these expectations and that you or your child registering to play with the club, you warrant that you will abide by these rules, which also apply to all spectators.

PLAYERS' CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

- Play for the “fun of it”.
- Play by the rules.
- Never argue with an official. If you disagree, have your captain or coach approach the official during a break or after the game.
- Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials or other players, deliberately fouling or provoking an opponent and throwing equipment is not acceptable or permitted in any sport.
- Work equally hard for yourself and your team.
- Be a good sport. Cheer all good plays, whether they be by your team or the other team.
- Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player, this includes all forms of social media.
- Avoid use of derogatory language.
- Co-operate with your coach, team-mates and opponents. Without them there would be no game.

And remember - ‘People play and watch sport because they want to’

PARENTS' AND SPECTATORS' CODE OF BEHAVIOUR

- Applaud good performances and efforts from each team. Congratulate all participants upon their performance, regardless of the game’s outcome.
- Respect the official’s decisions. If there is a disagreement, follow the appropriate to question the decision and teach the player to do likewise.
- Never ridicule a player for making a mistake during a competition. Positive comments are motivational.
- Condemn the use of violence in any form, be it by spectators, coaches, officials or players.
- Show respect for your team’s opponents. Without them there would be no game.
- Encourage players to follow the rules and the officials’ decisions.
- Demonstrate appropriate social behaviour by not using foul language, harassing players, coaches and/or officials.
- Avoid use of derogatory language based on gender.
- Recognize the value and importance of volunteer coaches and officials. They give their time and resources to provide recreational activities for the children and deserve your support.

DISCIPLINARY ACTION WILL APPLY IF THE CODES OF BEHAVIOUR ARE NOT ADHERED TO AS DETERMINED BY THE COMMITTEE



2024 REGISTRATION PROCESS

All players wishing to trial with the club will need to register through **PlayHQ**.

For the 2024 season it will be a two stage process to register with the club. Please note there is no ability to make offline payments to the club.

STAGE 1

- All players register using the link below. **If this is your first time using PlayHQ, you will be required to set up a new account.**
- The Club Fee portion of \$95 will be charged at this point and will be subtracted from the total fees due.
- Any remaining club fees will be paid as part of the Stage 2 registration process in mid-February 2024.
- Any players that do not register by **21 January 2024** will go on a waitlist.



STAGE 2

- All players will be emailed a secondary PlayHQ link in early February 2024 to finalise their 2024 registration and pay all remaining fees outstanding.
- All players will need to complete the stage 2 registration process by 3 March 2024.
- KidSport vouchers can be entered during Stage 2 registration.



KIDSPORT, UMPIRING 2024 & FORMED OPEN TEAMS

KIDSPORT

Kidsport enables eligible Western Australian children aged 5-18 years to participate in community sport and recreation by offering them financial assistance towards club fees. If your child qualifies for this funding, then a maximum contribution of up to \$300 per child per financial year will be paid by the local government.

Parents can apply for Kidsport online using the link below. Once the application is approved, then you must provide the unique code/voucher to the club to register as part of Phase 2.

<https://kidsport.dlgsc.wa.gov.au/kidsport/apply-for-kidsport-2019-1/>

UMPIRING 2024

The club will be seeking umpires in Season 2024 to umpire the NSG Set/Go competition on Friday nights.

In addition, we may be required to provide additional umpires for some Saturday timeslots in U12, U13, U15, U18, U21, and Open, but this will be dependent on where our teams are graded by WDNA.

If you are interested in umpiring for the club, please send your expression of interest to enquiries@westcoasterskingsway.com.

FORMED OPEN TEAMS

For 2024, the following rules will apply if you want to play for West Coasters in the Open competition as a formed team;

- If open players want to play as a formed team in season 2024, they will need to email the club requesting the committee approval before registering online.
- All teams will be provided with a club policy that all players, coaches and managers will need to adhere to.

ALL OPEN GRADED & FORMED TEAMS MUST ATTEND THE 3RD TRIAL DATE (REFER TO TRIAL TIMES IN THIS PACK)



PRE-SEASON BOOTCAMPS

The club will be holding several pre-season sessions this year. These sessions are designed to get athletes back into a netball mindset ahead of trials. The sessions will be high-intensity and dynamic, with a mixture of fitness, game-play and direct feedback from some of our experienced coaches.

Pre-season sessions will be available to athletes registered with the Club, from age groups 12 & Under to Open. You can attend as many of the sessions as you wish, and they are all free!

These sessions are being spear-headed by our Team 1 coach, Nadija Vrdoljak, with the assistance of some of our experienced coaches. They are also an opportunity for some of our other coaches to come along and learn too! If you want to roll into trials with the best preparation possible then these sessions are for you.

The bootcamp sessions will be run on following dates:

Sunday, 14th January 2024 – 5.30pm-7pm

Wednesday, 17th January 2024 – 6.30pm-8pm

Sunday, 21st January 2024 – 5.30pm-7pm

Wednesday, 24th January 2024 – 6.30pm-8pm

To reserve your place, please email enquiries@westcoasterskingsway.com and provide the following details;

Athletes Name:

Date of birth:

Sessions attending:



AGE GROUPS & PLAYING TIMESLOTS

2024 WINTER AGE GROUPS

Age Group	Eligible Birth Dates
NSG (Set) - Year 2	1 July 2016 - 30 June 2017
NSG (Set) - Year 3	1 July 2015 - 30 June 2016
NSG (Go) - Year 4	1 July 2014 - 30 June 2015
NSG (Go) - Year 5	1 July 2013 - 30 June 2014
Under 12	Born 2012
Under 13	Born 2011
Under 15	Born 2009, 2010
Under 18	Born 2006, 2007, & 2008
Under 21	Born 2003, 2004 & 2005
Open	Born 2002 or before

Please register in your correct age group.

The grading committee has the option to move players into different age groups if required.



PLAYING TIMESLOTS 2024 Subject to final confirmation by WDNA

Friday Nights

NSG Set Year 2 & 3 - 4:30pm

NSG Go Year 4 & 5 - 5:30pm

Saturdays

Under 12 - 8:30am

Under 13 - 10:00am

Under 15 - 11:30am

Under 18 - 1:00pm

Under 21 - alternating 2:30pm & 4:00pm

Open - alternating 2:30pm & 4:00pm

TRAINING NIGHT

The club trains on **Wednesday nights** at WDNA between 5pm and 9pm. Training times will be confirmed once the registration process is completed.



2024 IMPORTANT DATES

14 December 2023 - Registration Pack emailed

15 December 2023 to 21 January 2024 - Online Registration Period

10 January 2024 - West Coasters 2024 AGM, 6:30pm, WDNA Clubrooms

14 January - Pre-season Bootcamp (WDNA, 5:30pm-7pm)

17 January - Pre-season Bootcamp (WDNA, 6:30pm-8pm)

21 January - Pre-season Bootcamp (WDNA, 5:30pm-7pm)

24 January - Pre-season Bootcamp (WDNA, 6:30pm-8pm)

5 February 2024 - WDNA 2024 AGM

6 March 2024 - Compulsory Coaches Meeting for 2024 Season. Includes collection of equipment/training program delivery

10 March 2024 - Team placement for members will be posted onto club website (please check before arriving for the first training)

13 March 2024 - First Team Training commences (5pm-9pm)

24 April 2024 - Compulsory training attendance before first game

26 April 2024 - NSG Set/Go Competition starts (Fridays)

27 April 2024 - Under 12 to Open Competition starts (Saturdays)

31 May 2024 - NSG Set/Go General Bye (no game)

1 June 2024 - General bye (no game) all other teams

5 & 6 July 2024 - General bye (no game)

12 & 13 July 2024 - General bye (no game)

23 August 2023 - Last game of season for NSG Set/Go

24 August 2024 - Last game of season before finals

31 August 2024 - Semi Finals

7 September 2024 - Preliminary Finals

14 September 2024 - Grand Finals



IMPORTANT NOTES FOR TRIALS

All Returning and New Players will be required to attend their respective age group trial dates as outlined below on Page 9.

Grading for team placement at West Coasters Netball Club is based on player skill, ability, and attitude. **Friends will not necessarily be placed in the same team.**

All grading sessions are compulsory, however, if you are unable to attend any sessions, please email enquiries@westcoasterskingsway.com on or before 3 February 2024. Any member who fails to attend a minimum of 1 trial session, for reasons other than injury, will not be placed into a team.

Players and parents must be aware that teams may not be finalised until the week before commencement of the season due to unexpected withdrawals and/or injuries.

All players must wear appropriate footwear and clothing during the grading period:

- **White shirt, black or navy shorts/sport skirt**
- **All jewellery must be removed before trials.**
- **No boyleg/booty shorts to be worn for trials.**





2024 TRIAL DATES

Your leg number must be clearly marked on both outside lower legs before coming to trials. Numbers will be available on the website after 1 February 2024.

NSG Players

1st Trial Date: Sunday, 18 February 2024 5:30pm-6:30pm, WDNA

2nd Trial Date: Sunday, 25 February 2024 5:30pm-6:30pm, WDNA

Under 12, Under 13 & Under 15 Players

1st Trial Date: Wednesday, 7 February 2024 6pm-8pm, WDNA

2nd Trial Date: Sunday 11, February 2024 6pm-8pm, WDNA

3rd Trial Date: Wednesday, 14 February 2024 6pm-8pm, WDNA

Under 18, Under 21 & Open Players

1st Trial Date: Sunday, 18 February 2024 5:30pm-7:30pm, WDNA

2nd Trial Date: Wednesday, 21 February 2024 7pm-9pm, WDNA

3rd Trial Date: Sunday, 25 February 2024 5:30pm-7:30pm, WDNA





2024 FEES

NSG	NSG (7 - 10 years)	11-17 years	18+
WDNA Fee	\$69.00	\$73.00	\$82.00
Netball Australia PlayHQ Admin Fee	\$4.49	\$4.49	\$4.49
Netball WA Fee	\$79.48	\$96.83	\$100.91
Club Fees*	\$97.03	\$160.68	\$177.60
Total Fees	\$250.00	\$335.00	\$365.00

*Club fees include umpiring fee, Club Annual Dinner fee, fundraising levy, and transaction fees.

2024 PLAYER REFUND REQUEST PROCESS

Under the PlayHQ system, if a player withdraws at any point after registering to trial with the club, then the following process will be adhered to:

- The player will need to email a request for a refund in writing to the club's email enquiries@westcoasterskingsway.com.
- The committee will need to approve the refund.
- **An administration fee of \$50.00 will be retained by the club.**
- The club will complete the necessary paperwork to notify Netball WA and WDNA that the player has withdrawn and will need to wait for approval from these organisations of the fee amount to be refunded back. This process may take up to 28 days to complete.
- **Once teams are announced, any player who withdraws from a team will not be entitled to a refund in line with the Netball WA and WDNA policies.**
- If a player has attended all trials and West Coasters is unable to place them into a team, then all fees paid will be fully refunded.



2024 UNIFORM ORDERING SYSTEM

Mecca Sports is our uniform supplier. They have an online store where members can order all year round for uniform and merchandise items.

Mecca Sports will also have all club products available at their Joondalup Store where our members can attend, try on for sizing, and order.

Online store:

<https://www.meccasports.com.au/west-coasters-kingsway-nc/>

Joondalup store: Unit 1, 202 Winton Rd, Joondalup, WA, 6027

Compulsory Uniform Items for 2024

- Club Training Top
- Sublimated Netball Dress and black boyleg shorts OR Club singlet top with Black Club Shorts
- White Socks

All orders must be placed with Mecca by 24 February 2024





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MEDICAL/INJURY DISCLAIMER

In consideration of West Coasters Netball Club Kingsway Inc. (hereinafter called “West Coasters”) accepting myself/my child as a playing member and/or umpire and enrolling myself and/or my child and keeping myself/my child enrolled, I, the registered member, hereby agree to myself/my child attending and participating in all netball activities.

Myself and/or my child agree to and do indemnify West Coasters, its officers, coaches, and team managers, in so far as to the extent to which West Coasters, its officers, coaches, and team managers are not entitled to be indemnified under policy of insurance whatsoever from and against any damages or compensation which may befall or occur to myself and/or my child during participation in a netball activity or function connected with West Coasters or when travelling to or from such activity or function.

I further authorise any officers, coaches and team managers of West Coasters in the event of such an accident, injury, disease or illness to obtain the necessary medical assistance or treatment and for this purpose engage any medical, ambulance and nursing assistance and/or hospital treatment and in this event, I agree to pay all such fees and expenses and any fees and expenses incurred by West Coasters, these said fees to be paid to West Coasters on demand.

SOCIAL MEDIA AND CYBER SAFETY

West Coasters has a specific policy for its members, including players, coaches, officials, parents, spectators and volunteers, utilising social media. Failure to adhere to this policy can result in members being disciplined or deregistered as club members or officials. The social media policy can be accessed on the West Coasters website.

All West Coasters members are also subject to WDNAs Cyber Safety Policy. The Club may refer incidents to WDNA for further action under their policy. Sanctions may arise from investigations by WDNA including suspension from games or deregistration of players.