



STNA Newsletter



Netball National Champs

Last week the netball National Championships were held in Darwin, NT. Both the 17& under and 19&under teams had very promising games - showing how competitive we can be as a state. Congratulations to all STNA athletes who competed, we are excited to see you further your development throughout the rest of the season! For more on the NNC head to page 7...



Mens & Mixed

While the Netball National Championships were underway in Darwin, The men's and Mixed Netball Championships were taking place in Perth, WA. Our Men's team finished 6th of 9 team's whilst our mixed team made it all the way through to the grand final, just falling short of a win. An awesome result for the team! For more on Men's and Mixed head to page 8...



Elise Archer Club Championship

The Honorary Elise Archer was first elected to the Tasmanian House of Assembly in 2010 and in 2014 was the first female to be formally elected to the position of Speak of the House. Ms Archer has been a firm supporter of the Southern Tasmanian Netball Association, our development programs for many years and has sponsored the Elise Archer Club Championship since 2016. We greatly appreciate her relationship and ongoing support of our association.

Round 5



High Five for Mia

STNA are proud to announce that Round 5 of our Winter Roster will be the Mia Stoneman Memorial Round in honour of 14 year old Mia who tragically lost her life in February 2022.

This memorial round is to celebrate the life and memory of Mia Stoneman who tragically passed away from a bleed from a benign brain tumour.

Mia was a great teammate and was amazingly supportive and loyal. She was always the first to get around her team if they were down, the first to build them up, or congratulate them - she was a big fan of the high-five. She was that teammate that would inspire her team and who everyone loved to have around.

The memorial round is named 'High Five for Mia' to bring this energy, enthusiasm, and spirit as part of the round.



High Five for Mia

How can you be part of it?

Vibrant colour and yellow is the theme for the round.

- Theme/décor - Sunflowers – lots of yellow, bright and colourful. Bright pops of yellow everywhere.
- Players – we ask players to use face paint, ribbons, socks to wear during games. Competition wide – we ask every club to be part of the day.
- Cripps morning tea/lunch – Cripps members will hold a gathering in the Function Room on the day to share stories of Mia by team mates, coaches and friends. This will be a light and happy gathering.

Awareness

STNA encourages players to give 'High Fives' during games and off court and post on social media in support.

Promotion

Please look out for and share High Five for Mia on Facebook and Instagram, and encourage your club and team mates to participate in the day.

Round 5



Rep Teams

2023 Coach Appointment

Coaches for the 2023 STNA Rep Teams have been finalised and we are very excited to announce who will be leading our amazing teams!

11&Under Gold - Shannon Hill

11&Under Blue - Bianca Schumann

12&Under Gold - Belinda Stevanovich

12&Under Blue - Kellie Williams

13&Under Gold - Karen Leonard

13&Under Blue - Chelsea Browning

14&Under Gold - Judy Prokopiec

14&Under Blue - James Adams

15&Under Gold - Tania McNear

15&Under Blue - Justin Maw

17&Under Gold - Jasmin Bennett

STiNgAs Review

Participation

2021 - 30 players across 2 teams



2022 - 46 players across 3 teams



2023 - 49 players across 3 teams



Post Covid-19 the Stingas program is now back to full capacity in 2023, with up to 17 players per squad.

Bottom Age Players

2023

13's 12.5%



15's 18.8%



17's 52.9%



2021

13's 26.7%



15's 26.7%

2022

13's 6.3%



15's 25%



17's 68.8%



Bottom age players are a very important part of the Stingas program, these players are able to share their experience with other players in their top age year!

2023 National Champs

The Netball National Championships for 17&under and 19&under athletes have just recently concluded in Darwin, NT. STNA would like to congratulate the below players on their efforts!

All STNA players selected in this years state teams have been through the stingas program in the years below, this just shows how beneficial the program is to our young players!

17 & Under

19 & Under

Abbey Geappen 2019-2021

Ashlea Turner 2017-2019

Aimee Bean 2020, 2022

Chanelle Byers 2017-2019

Daisy Bennett 2022

Georgia Pyke 2017-2019

Jess Owen 2020-2021

Mia Anderson 2020-2022

25% Of the 2023 19 &Under team were once Stingas athletes!

42% Of the 2023 17 &Under team were once Stingas athletes!

ANC Squad

Alex Vinen 2014

Ash Probert 2013- 2014

Hannah Navikas 2014-2016

Hannah Vinen 2018-2019

Jess Earney 2015

Maddi Hay 2016-2017

46% Of the 2023 ANC Squad were once Stingas athletes!



STNA Athletes at NNC

Final Placings - 19 & Under: 6th 17& Under: 6th



Mens & Mixed Netball Championships

Final Placings - Mixed: 2nd Men's: 6th



TASMANIA MENS RESERVE

BACK ROW: Kellie Tahiri, Brad Beeton, Nathan Vincent, Oliver Bryant,
Bailey Nelson, James Adams (C), Kellie Woolnough, Ella Martin

FRONT ROW: Mitchell Selby, Ryan Cooper, Reid Mountney, Alex Beswick (C), Rayden Cresswell, Matt Charlesworth



TASMANIA RESERVE MIXED

BACK ROW: Rani Milne, Lydia Coote, Tessa Coote, Kendall Jones, Merrin Cooper, Stephanie Walker, Renee Godfrey

FRONT ROW: Gemma Poke, Cameron Martin, Charlie Evans, Dean Stubbs,
Shaun Hamilton, Kade Gunton, Ashlea Mawer



U17 Boys Netball Championships

Final Placing - 7th



TASMANIA 17 & UNDER BOYS

BACK ROW: Sophie Poke (Manager), Shane Free (Coach), Zach Rudgyard (VC), Jack Jordan (C),
Josh Madsen, Isaac Nicholas, Grace Close (Assistant Coach)

FRONT ROW: Isaac Bramich, Boden Stokes, Harri Poke, Max Hoare, Jarvis Milne, Jett Chilcott (VC)



Shane Free - Coach

'Even though we dont have the same pathways as all of the other states, each and every coach commented on the resilience and fighting spirit these boys had and how not one of them dropped their heads. They are the future of Tasmanian Men's Netball!'

Round 5



Elise Archer Club Championship

Leaderboard after Round 4	Points
1. First National Kingston Blues	32
2. Your Path To Health OHA	23
3. AYC Co-Op Toyota	20
4. Kingborough Tigers	16
5. Cripps Waratah	14
6. Tassal Huon Valley	11
7. Kilburn	10
8. E.P.P Palena Panthers	6
9. Bendigo Bank South East Suns	4
10. Eastern Shore Jets	4
11. Friends	4
12. Karana Flames	4

Upcoming Events

Boys & u9 Netball Competitions

Starting: Saturday 22nd April (Boys) Saturday 29th
April (u9's)

Time: STNA Saturday

Where: Hobart Netball & Sports Centre

Hobart Chargers

When: Friday 21st April, Saturday 22nd April

Time: From 5:30pm

Where: Hobart Netball & Sports Centre, Stadium 1

Devon Rep Carnival

When: Sunday 14th May

Time: 9am-3pm

Where: Devon Netball Association

Variety Spin4Kids

When: Sunday 28th May

Time: 10am - 3pm

Where: Hobart Netball & Sports Centre

NTNA Rep Carnival

When: Sunday 18th June, Sunday 25th June

Time: 9am-3pm

Where: Devon Netball Association



**KINGSTON BLUES
NETBALL CLUB**

Mother's Day Raffle

Drawn Saturday, May 13th

Quiz Night

Kingston Beach Golf Club
Saturday, June 3rd



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