



Redbacks Netball Club

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Twilight Season

The Monday night twilight season runs from Monday Sept 5th to November 28th for children born 2004 to 2007. Games are at 5 or 5:50pm and this year we are inviting boys to join us! We currently have a boys 12 years team and welcome boys at any of the age levels. The cost is \$50 for registered players and \$100 for new players, plus the cost of an umpire. See the MDNA website for more information:

http://www.metropolitan.qld.netball.com.au/files/39311/files/Twilight%20Season/MDNA_TwilightInformation_flyer_2016.pdf

What you need to do: Please discuss the twilight competition as a team. If you would like to nominate, complete the forms and send to MDNA with payment. Then email the Redbacks Umpire Convener Tanya (tanya@resumesplus.com.au) to organize an umpire for your team (\$15 per week). The players have such fun and the games are simply for enjoyment and fitness. The registration forms are on our website:

<http://www.redbacksnethball.org/2016-comps--clinics.html>

Vicki Wilson Development Workshops

Netballers born from 2000-2006 are invited to workshops with Vicki Wilson. Please see the flyer on our website. If you are considering trialing for the MDNA Representative team, please attend.

Carnival Fun

Success was ours at the Redlands Bay Netball Carnival under 14 came 3rd, under 12 first and second, under 11 came first. Well done!

Uniforms

Our two piece uniforms are increasing in price by 5% each year. To keep the price down, we are changing to the dress that our cadets and opens wear. The transition will occur over 2 years.

Umpiring News

CONGRATULATIONS to the following umpires on their recent achievements: Lily C achieved her Silver Badge; Marcella, Debbie and Hope all achieved Gold Badges. *Well done! It's a tough job and we are very proud of you all ☺*

"Time" Rule Reminder for Umpires and Coaches

"Time" can only be called by an on-court player NOT from the sidelines. It can be called for *injury* or *illness* only (not for a visor, hair ties etc), by ANY player on court for *themselves or another player*. *The player it was called for MUST leave the court immediately*. Players need to understand this...BOTH teams then have 30 seconds to make changes, replace and move players.

THIS is a 'stoppage'. If a position is left unfilled at the recommencement of play, it is to remain unfilled until the next centre pass or another stoppage. The umpire must call "time" for blood and the player must leave the court. The same 30 second rule applies.

Finals are here...Great news! 13 of our 20 competitive teams have made the finals! We know that Redbacks cheering other Redbacks improves our outcomes... so please come along wearing your Redbacks uniform... we need your support! The game times will be emailed to you on Friday.

Junior Break Up Party: Players 7yrs to 12 yrs - Sunday August 28th from 2.00pm to 5pm at Wembley Park Coorparoo - MDNA. Sausage sizzle, jumping castle, presentations and fun games!

Twilight starts Sept 5th: chat to your coach!