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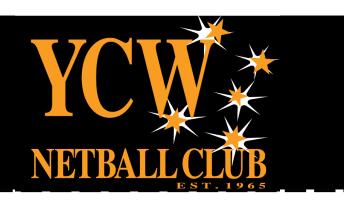
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BREAKING NEWS

WELCOME TO 2016

Welcome back to another season of netball. A welcome to all of our new families and a welcome back to those returning families. We are so pleased and excited to announce that we have nearly doubled the size of our club in just 2 short years. In 2014 we had 9 teams, 2015 brought us up to 12 teams and 2016 has got us up to a fantastic 17 teams!!! A big thanks to everyone who helped recruit and we are really enjoying hearing all of the positive feedback about how amazing our club and the people within it are. We are so proud of how far YCW has come and we hope that we continue in this manor.

COURT RESURFACING



It was a long wait but we are finally able to play on our brand new courts. Our lovely parents and officials have a beautiful dry place to stand on those cold and windy days. We now have safe new courts outside and our indoor courts will be upgraded at a later date and the pavilion will be demolished also.

FUNDRAISING

While we were having a break from the netball season, our fundraising team had been working hard organising two BBQs; one at Bunnings Carrum Downs and another at Masters Carrum Downs. A huge thanks to Heidi, Kim and Tracey (our fundraising team) for booking in and organising our BBQs. Also thanks to all of our volunteers who came down and helped sell sausages and soft drinks. Your help is very much appreciated.

We would love to see more families help out at our next BBQ fundraiser at Jubilee Park on Saturday the 16th of July.

PRACTISE MATCHES

Well done to all of the players and coaches that attended the practise matches at Langwarrin. We enjoyed getting back into netball and getting or teams on the court, as we had been training on an oval.

We would like to say a huge thanks to all of the clubs

that assisted in the planning and coordinating for these practise matches, especially Carlee from Karingal who did all of the fixturing out of the goodness of her heart. We really appreciate all of your hard work!!



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DOYOU HAVE THE APPYET?

The YCW Netball Club has recently created an app. There are 3 simple steps:

- I. Download 'Team App' application
- 2. Create an account
- 3. Search 'YCW Netball Club Frankston'



PRESIDENTS REPORT

Jo Matthews

Well what an exciting start to the season. We now have 17 teams entered into the competition which is a testament to the hard work of all our mem-



bers. The weather was good to us for the first three weeks and now we need to get ready for some cold and windy days. The re-surfacing of the courts has meant that in wet weather we are still able to play so please come prepared on rainy days with warm clothes, umbrellas and perhaps even a change of socks and runners if you are umpiring or playing a couple of games. Unfortunately netball is a WINTER sport......

It is encouraging to see that everyone is enjoying their netball and arriving at the courts excited and full of YCW spirit, and of course wearing team colours (thank you Kerry Cooper) - so well done everyone for continuing to support YCW. I am always chuffed to look across the courts and see yellow and black wherever I look. LOVE IT!!!!

Please note and spread the word on the following:

- Club officials and coaches are volunteers so please show them the respect they deserve.
- All members of YCW represent our club so please behave accordingly.
- There is no game without umpires so please respect those that serve our game.
- We want more DADS to get involved we can always use hands to set up the tents, score, coach. Don't be scared DADs......
- A day without laughter is a day wasted (Charlie Chaplin) so smile and don't take yourself too seriously!
- YCW is the best!!!!

So let's all keep up the YCW spirit, enjoy our netball and remember to make the most of our little community.



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UNIFORMS

Kerry Cooper



We have plenty of the new YCW Crew Socks & headbands in stock, to keep feet warm & hair off your face while playing netball. We have limited hoodies with more arriving in the next fortnight. As quickly as stock arrives, it is sold! If anyone has any second hand bodysuits that they wish to sell, please have them passed onto me. Uniforms are available for sale every Wednesday night at training, between 4.15-5.15pm, or call myself (Kerry) on 0419 516 191 to make alternative arrangements.

TREASURER

Neil Cripps

There around \$3,500 of fees outstanding which is disappointing as reminders have been sent to families. If you have outstanding fees please organise to settle outstanding amounts immediately, unless I have agreed to a payment plan. Fees are set at the beginning of the year based on the expenditure we expect to incur during the year. We budget to break even during the year. Costs we incur include court fees, umpiring costs., presentation night food, awards and VNA. At the end of the year we need money to pay for uniforms for the next season. Therefore it is important for everyone to pay fees on time, we run on a tight cash flow and I would prefer to keep fees low rather than increase these fees.

COACHES

Welcome to our new coaches and welcome back to our returning coaches. This year our coaches are as follows:

U/IIs

Dee, Kylie, Sharon and Lauren

U/I3s

Dee, Jo, Michelle and Karen

<u>U/15s</u>

lo, Leanne and Michelle

U/17s

Hannah, Lynette and Neil

Seniors:

Jo, Hannah and Jeff

UMPIRES

Hannah Williams

Our trainee umpires are progressing really well this year. Amber is very close to getting her badge, umpiring Tuesday nights indoors. Ashlie has just begun umpiring inside Friday afterschool comp with Ella hoping to start soon as well. The girls are now umpiring the following grades; Amber Senior A, Ella U/15B, Ashlie U/15C, Joanne U/13B, Brydie U/13CR and Lili U/11B. With Angela, Kiannah, Millie, Shinaye and Alyssa still on the waiting list. Remember you have to come to training and keep posted on facebook for any new updates.

We welcome Molly to our badged umpiring roster to accompany Brigitte, Chelsea and myself, with help from Marg and Sharen when available. Marg resigned as Umpires Supervisor this year and I have taken over from Assistant Umpires Supervisor to Umpires Supervisor to roster and train all umpires. We thank Marg for all of her time and effort over the countless years she has been umpiring and rostering umpires with us. We will miss you but we look forward to seeing you around umpiring when you are back in action.



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TEAM REPORTS

U/II Black

Sharon Paeglis

The girls are working together as a team. Most players turn up to training every week. We have been working on our ball handling and footwork and beginning to work on placement around the court. We have had our first win for the season and I am proud of the effort the girls have been putting into their pivoting footwork and defending. We will continue working on moving into open spaces and attacking around the goal area. The girls have shown great improvement in the last few weeks - keep up the good work!

U/II Grey

Lauren Schwarze

With a such a young group of girls, our first aim was to master the basic skills of chest passing and catching the ball. With every training session the girls improved and started using team mates names when receiving the ball. Since the development of the new netball courts has been completed, we have seen a big improvement in our team. We have been practising more game style skills and the girls are becoming more familiar with the different positions. Each Saturday morning the girls are gaining more confidence and are enjoying each other's company on the court. I'd like to thank all the parents and coaches for their support as we continue to develop these young girls into fine netballers for YCW.

U/II White

Kylie Krause

The U/II White team have been improving in leaps and bounds. Over the weeks we have seen the girls put all the skills and knowledge they have learnt into practice. Each week the girls take the court with more confidence, it's great seeing how the girls can transfer the skills learnt at training into the games. They are determined and they play to the end of each quarter defending and attacking their positions. We have had some epic moments and each girl has shone. I am so proud of each of these girls. They have demonstrated resilience, good sportsmanship, team work and above all a kind, supportive friendship with each other. Thanks to all the parents, supporters, our fantastic team manager and other coaches that have helped us with learning new skills.

U/II Yellow

Dee Sacco

The girls were so excited to actually get to train and play on the new courts after what felt like forever for them to be ready. We've had a tough start to the season being placed in A grade and having players absent but I am so proud of how the girls keep going right to the end of the game. We have had to adjust to having fill in players and the girls have been extremely grateful as well as making these girls feel welcomed. Training is going smoothly and the girls are beginning to understand my style of training and all signs are showing positive steps forward. We are focusing on space awareness at the moment, as this is a major component in the game and I can see the girls implementing these skills into Saturdays game. Encouragement is the key win or loose and I'm sure the girls are going to have a fantastic season. Remember girls Voice, Voice, Voice.



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TEAM REPORTS

U/13 Black

Michelle Burnett

The girls are really getting to know each other. It's great to see the improvement in them all. They are doing a fantastic job in defence. We are getting better at converting our goals. Our centre court players are moving our ball better to our shooters and helping in defence. Our fitness is improving week after week. Everyone needs to come to training we still have a lot to learn. So keep listening and giving it our all. Keep up the great work girls!

U/13 Grey

Karen Shaw

Well it was a tough start to the season but now that the girls are getting familiar with positions and rules they are becoming a confident little team. The hard work at training is really starting to pay off shown by our first win last week (yay!!). I am really proud of the girls spirit and their 'never give up' attitude, it's great to see them becoming good mates and I can't wait to see them in action again this week!

Also remember: "The best team isn't the team with the best players, but the team that plays best together"

U/I3 White

Jo Matthews

Well done girls for hanging in there through the first three games which were to say the least very challenging and character building. You are developing beautifully as a team and coming to training each week eager to learn. With continued commitment to following team systems on the court and to training I believe that you will be triumphant this season. I am proud of how you handled yourself in the face of strong competition and kept working even though the score didn't go our way. Keep up the good work girls and remember WE GOT THIS!

<u>U/13 Yellow</u>

Dee Sacco

Finally playing on the new courts the girls are very dedicated to each other and always have each others back. Being placed in A grade the girls are adjusting to the fastness of the game and doing a fantastic job. They are holding their own on the court and giving 100% right to the end. Training is going well and the girls have adjusted to any new tasks I set for them. Training has been consisting of working out strategies for a GK throw in as well as centre passes, getting clear and using the WD and GD as options. Its great to see the girls implementing these skills into their games on Saturday. I am really enjoying training with the girls and look forward to a fantastic season with them. Remember girls to use your voice!!! You've got this.



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TEAM REPORTS

U/15 Black

Michelle Burnett

It's great to have a versatile team where most of the players can play anywhere on the court. They work extremely well together as a team. We need to slow down our play and watch where we are passing the ball. So I need you all at training and games with 100% focus. We got this girls, we can do it. Go YCW!!!

U/15 White

Jo Matthews

I take my hat off to Abbey, Ashlie, Daniella, Elise, Flynn, Jessica, Lily and Ruby who almost breezed through the first couple of unofficial grading games to now be faced with some real challenges with the new teams moved into their section. These girls have great spirit and support each other well on the court. With some more intense training, different coaching strategies and development of new skills I am confident that this team will grow and be a stronger competitor in their grade. Remember girls the score is not always the best reflection of a great team - it's how you deal with challenges that will set you apart. So keep your heads up high and keep working hard 'cause YOU CAN DO THIS!

U/15 Yellow

Leanne Quinlan

The girls have been working really well together on the court and are coming to training regularly. We welcome Keelea and Nikita to the club to join Kealey, Lauren, Makalei, Tanay, Lili and Emily to make a great team. We have had a really competitive season so far with winning and losing by only a few goals. We also had a draw. They girls are ultilising everyone on the court but need to remember to come forward to the ball, not run backwards. We have been working on shooting and following to make sure we get those rebounds we need. Keep up the great attitude and enthusiasm girls.

U/17 Black

Hannah Williams

A big thanks to Jo who coached the team whilst I was playing at the same time. I am so pleased that majority of the girls are coming to training each and every week. Shay and Amber have been working really well in the ring to score. Tess, Elana and Kiera have been working really hard in the centre court ensuring they come forward and slow the play down. Steph and Chelsea have been doing an outstanding job in defence, sticking tight to their players and jumping for those rebounds. I am very happy that they are adopting the strategies being taught, especially seeing as I am only available for a short amount of time at training. I am so pleased on how well Tess has fitted into our team and amazed by the continual improvement by the whole team, especially Steph and Kiera. We do need to remember to SLOW DOWN and STICK TO YOUR OWN PLAYER!!! Don't get complacent girls, we have to do our best to win each week.



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TEAM REPORTS

U/17 White

Neil Cripps

The U17's White have had several hard games this season. They have combined well and have never given up. We recently welcome back Cienna to assist us in getting 7 players on the court each week. We have struggled to have a full team each week and I would like to thank all the U15's who have filled in for the team so far this season.

U/17 Yellow

Lynette Seppings

U/17 Yellow are playing well as a team together. It is really good to have such a great working team. All the players are able to play in any position and all put in 100% effort no matter what position they are playing in. We have had a few great wins and a couple of close losses. Steph and Kiera have been playing great together in goals and also Mia who steps in and plays there as our third goaler on the team. We also have a very strong defence with Isabel and Tess, Tess is new to the position of GK having never played there before but she is learning quickly and has been doing a great job there. Faith, Abbey and Mia are all doing a great job sharing the centre court positions. Keep up the great team work. U/17 Yellow.

Senior Black

Hannah Williams

With some players returning from last year and some new players we have been doing quite well. We were originally entered into C grade but have since been moved up to B Reserve against our fellow team again-Senior Yellow. We have had some games in B Reserve with a win against Cameos and a 5 goal loss to Senior Yellow. I have discovered that being a playing coach is more difficult than it looks. Nikki and las are working well in goals together as they did last year. Steph, Kailah and myself are really helping get the ball from one end of the court to the other. Rachel and Bec are working amazingly in defense, sticking tight to their players. We are welcoming an 8th player, Abby to our team soon and we look forward to having a rotational rest.

Senior Grey

Jeff Cooper

YCW Grey started the year off in a division that didn't help them, they still competed really well, showing huge potential. Since re-grading they had their first great win against Langwarrin, showing their potential & versatility. Some of the pleasing aspects of this team is everyone's willingness to adapt to various positions & showing this week how well they combine as a team. Showing that a champion team will always be a team of champions. Another pleasing aspect is how much fun they're having. I can see great things for the rest of the year.



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TEAM REPORTS

Senior Yellow

Jo Matthews

It's always a challenge to play and coach in the same team but with this group of ladies so far it's been fantastic. The team works well together, interchange really well and offer each other a great deal of support on the court. We seem to always have fun and have a smile on our face and that for me is the best part. So a big welcome to Sophie, Brooke, Caitlyn, Aimee and Gemma who join us ole faithful's - myself, Brigitte, Kendra and Laura (welcome back to you chicks!). We will be a formidable competitor in our section. Keep it up ladies. WE OWN THIS!

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