



Illawarra District Netball Association

2022 Junior Spring Indoor Competition

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Illawarra District Netball Association welcomes all teams and umpires to the 2022 Spring Junior Indoor Competition.

1. GENERAL:

1. All team contacts must be over 18 yrs old.
2. Email and phone calls will be regularly used to communicate with teams – please ensure you supply us with correct details and you regularly check your email so you remain up-to-date with competition information.
3. To be eligible to participate in the 2022 Junior Indoor Spring Competition, all players must turn the following ages in 2022:
 - i. 9+10 Years Competition – Turning 10 years or less as at 31/12/22
Playing on Tuesday afternoon 4-6pm
 - ii. 11+12 Years Competition – Turning 12 years or less as at 31/12/22
Playing on Wednesday afternoon 4-6pm
 - iii. 13+14 Years Competition – Turning 14 years or less as at 31/12/22
Playing on Tuesday evening from 6-8pm

If sufficient teams participate each age will have it's own division.

4. All players must be individually registered with an affiliated Club for 2022.
5. Players may play in only 1 age group, and only 1 team in that age group.
6. Teams to register through google form - <https://forms.gle/PiJeL7gQjS67HRj97> - these will close at 5pm on Friday 16 September 2022.
7. Links will then be shared with the team contact to share with players to register to their team through PlayHQ.
8. Players are required to be registered by Friday 14 October.
9. Registration fees are \$50 per player and payable on registration through PlayHQ. Fees cover court costs, umpires, registration and end of season presentation, as well as competition administration.
10. Players must be registered to the team before 12pm on the day of the game to be eligible to play
11. All players, spectators, umpires and officials of this competition agree to abide by the Netball NSW Member Protection Policy and relevant Codes of Conduct – www.netballnsw.com

2. INSURANCE:

I.D.N.A. does not accept any responsibility for injuries which may occur, and private health insurance is always recommended regardless of sporting insurance schemes. However, as the player is registered for the 2022 Winter Outdoor season, then the player is automatically covered under the NSW NETBALL Association Sports Injury Insurance Scheme.

3. UNIFORM:

1. PLAYERS

- i. All players must wear appropriate shorts/tights/leggings and T-shirt or tank top. It is not a requirement to wear a skirt/bodysuit/shift dress, but the players may wear it if they wish (NO SINGLET TOPS).
- ii. It is requested that all team players wear a top of a similar colour.

2. UMPIRES

- i. Non marking rubber soled shoes must be worn.
- ii. Finger nails must be cut short and all jewellery removed prior to taking the court. The umpire has the right to ask players to leave the court to remove jewellery or cut nails at any stage of the game.
- iii. Umpires may wear white or black shorts or track pants with white top.
- iv. Umpires must bring their own whistles

4. TEAMS:

1. Team Contacts (18+ years) are to report to the Court Controller prior to their game to list participating players.
2. Teams are limited to no more than 4 Illawarra (or other district) representative players.
3. Team players are required to maintain an acceptable "Code of Behaviour" (refer to Notice Board, or Netball NSW Member Protection Policy). Any player sent from the court for misconduct, on the second occasion maybe suspended for two (2) Competition Games. A player returning from suspension and is sent from the court will automatically receive a further two (2) games suspension.

5. BORROWED PLAYERS:

1. Teams may bring in players who are not on their original team nomination but registered in another team for the Junior Spring Indoor Competition, up to a maximum of three (3) players per game.
2. Borrowed players must be age eligible.

6. GAMES:

1. Games will be played according to standard INF Netball Rules.
2. Game times will be rotating time slots at 4.10pm; 4.45pm; 5.20pm on Tuesday & Wednesday afternoon and 6.00pm; 6.40pm; 7.20pm on Tuesday evening at Illawarra Sports Stadium, Berkeley.
3. The games will be two (2) x twelve (12) minute halves with a two (2) minute break between, for 9/10 & 11/12 Competitions and two (2) x fourteen (14) minute halves with a two (2) minute break between, for 13/14 Competitions.
4. Games will be timed centrally, and a hooter will be sounded ONE (1) MINUTE PRIOR to starting time when all players and Umpires must take the court.
5. Rounds will be played on the following dates:

Juniors Competition Dates

		Tuesday	Wednesday
Season Commences	Round 1	25/10/2022	26/10/2022
	Round 2	1/11/2022	2/11/2022
	Round 3	8/11/2022	9/11/2022
	Round 4	15/11/2022	16/11/2022
	Round 5	22/11/2022	23/11/2022
	Round 6	29/11/2022	30/11/2022
	Round 7	6/12/2022	7/12/2022
Final Round & Presentation	Round 8	13/12/2022	14/12/2022

6. If a team has FIVE (5) players present at starting time they MUST take the Court and commence the game.
7. If a team has less than FIVE (5) players at starting time a further FIVE (5) minutes will be permitted before a forfeit is claimed.
8. No injury time is permitted. If any injury occurs, play is stopped, the injury is assessed and the player is removed from the court if possible.
9. Substitutions are allowed only during an interval or in the event of an injury or illness.
10. Finals will not be played – Winners and Runners Up will be determined on a 'First Past The Post' basis as at Round 7, firstly by competition points, then by goal percentage
11. Points:
 - (i) 2 points Win
 - (ii) 1 point Draw
 - (iii) 0 points Loss
 - (iv) 2 points Bye
 - (v) 2 points Receive Forfeit
 - (vi) 0 points Give Forfeit

7. UMPIRES

1. Umpires will be organised by Illawarra Netball, and are requested to report to the Court Controller upon arrival to check in and receive the Score Card.
2. Umpires are to return the Score Card to the Court Controller.
3. Any negative action towards umpires - verbal, physical etc – will not be tolerated and disciplinary action on court may occur (ie. penalties advanced, period of time of on sideline etc). In more serious cases, you, and/or spectators, may be asked to leave the premises.

8. FORFEITS:

1. Any team wishing to forfeit a game must notify the IDNA Office on 02 4272 4342 or email admin@illawarranetball.com.au prior to 1.00pm on the Monday prior to the game for a Notified Forfeit.
2. FINES for team giving an Un-notified Forfeit \$20.00.
3. All forfeit fines must be paid prior to the next game.

9. WITHDRAWING TEAMS

1. Teams that withdraw from the competition once any draws are completed are liable for a \$100 withdrawal fee, which will be invoiced to the team contact.

10. UNPAID FEES

1. All outstanding fines must be paid prior to the conclusion of a season.
2. For any fees and fines outstanding at the conclusion of a season, IDNA reserves the right to invoice the team contact. If the outstanding monies are not paid within the terms of the invoice, all players listed in the team will be made un-financial and will not be eligible to participate in current or future IDNA competitions until the invoice is paid.

11. DRAWS, RESULTS AND LADDERS

1. All draws, results and ladders will be published online at www.illawarranetball.com.au
2. All attempts will be made to transfer this to PlayHQ also as the primary platform for the draw.

12. SAFETY IN THE STADIUM:

1. All children must be supervised at all times while games are in progress.
2. All SAFETY SIGNS displayed in Stadium must be adhered to - i.e. ***NO ball games, skateboards or scooters etc. are permitted in the stadium.***
3. Any directions from Illawarra Sports Stadium staff (including Canteen), IDNA Committee and/or Staff must be adhered to.

13. FIRST AID

1. No commercial first aid operator will be present. It is the responsibility of teams to provide their own first aid/primary carer.
2. Basic first aid supplies will be available from the Court Controller
3. Strapping tape will not be given out – if you require strapping tape, you will need to supply your own unless there is an on court emergency which requires it.

14. OTHER

1. Please contact the IDNA Office for any other issues, concerns, clarifications or queries.
2. All IDNA decisions are Final