

BOROONDARA POWER Representative Team SELECTION PROCEDURE

ELIGIBILITY

- All 11U, 13U, 15U & 17U players must participate in the Boroondara Netball Association - as a player, coach or umpire.
- Open (19U/Open) must have been playing in the Boroondara Power Talent Pathway OR participate as above.
- Submit a Player Profile form by the due date and attend all selections as required.

ATTENDANCE

- All new players must attend the relevant screening session.
- No new player is exempt from the screening rounds.
- Players unable to trial due to injury must submit a **medical certificate** from a doctor or physiotherapist.
- Other apologies with appropriate reason must be received via email before the selections.

WHAT TO WEAR / BRING

Players may wear anything appropriate EXCEPT:

- your Saturday netball club / team uniform
- your school sports uniform
- any rep/ state team / academy uniform – including Power *** Players will be asked to leave the court to change.*
- Please bring a hat (for outdoor screening session) and a **drink bottle** to all.

VENUES

- Screening session will be held outdoors at the Boroondara Netball Centre.
- All other trials are indoors at the Boroondara Sports Complex.

TRIAL PROCEDURE

- Make sure you arrive with plenty of time to check your runs on the board and tick the attendance sheet.
- Coaches will coordinate warm up drills before we start.
- There will be significant periods where you are not on court so you should rest and drink water.
- There are a minimum of 3 selectors rostered on for each trial with continuity of selectors for each age group throughout. All selectors are experienced Power / VNL coaches and are aware of the standards required.
- Coach reports of current Power players are provided to selectors prior to trials and taken into consideration.

Match Play:

- The court runs are prepared before the trial and will be placed up on the board at the start of the session so that players can see when / where they are required to take the court. Each run is approx. 10 minutes and there is then a straight changeover to the next run so players must be aware and ready
- Each player will be placed on runs in their first and second nominated position. Some will have more runs than others because there may be less applicants for these positions. All will have a min of 2 runs.
- Selectors may choose to make changes at any time and may also advise that you trial in a specific position that they feel may optimise your chances of selection
- Each selector will have a copy of the runs and will individually score each player's performance. Selectors will collate this information after each trial and forward their lists to us so that we can notify you of their decisions (by email).

SELECTION POLICY

- Our Selection Policy and Protocols are available on the website: click [here](#)

SELECTION RESULTS

- After each trial, players will be notified by **EMAIL** within 48 hours whether they have been unsuccessful or successful. Those who are successful are required to attend the next trial.
- After the final trial all players will receive an **EMAIL within 3 days** advising whether they have been offered a position OR whether they have been unsuccessful.
- These squads will be **provisional**. Individual teams will be determined in Nov/Dec (see below)

ACCEPTANCE OF POSITION OFFERED

- To accept and confirm your position you will be required to register and pay a **NON-REFUNDABLE** acceptance fee **within 1 week** of your offer. If not, we will offer your place to the next person on the list.
- To be fair on those who are anxiously awaiting a second round offer, please advise us as soon as possible if you are not accepting your offer.
- Selected squads will attend a training session in November / December to **finalise individual teams**.

IF UNSUCCESSFUL

- If a player does not accept a first round offer, players next on the list will receive a **SECOND ROUND OFFER**.
- If not, to continue your development, you should play for your club teams and trial for a **POWER** team again next year.
- **FEEDBACK** regarding your selection performance will be available to those making the **FINAL trial only**

PLEASE be aware that there WILL be some current Power players who are unsuccessful, particularly when moving up from top age to bottom age. No current player is automatically assured of selection.

BE AWARE OF **COMMITMENT OR PLEASE DO NOT TRIAL**

- Financial:
 - Uniform – dress, training shirt, tracksuit
 - Netball Vic State Membership – we will send a link to self-register with acceptance. This is required for you to play on Saturdays regardless.
 - Payment of fees **approx. \$450** if paid by the due date
Note: this fee **PARTIALLY** covers player costs. The balance is subsidised by Boroondara Netball Association
- Code of Conduct = Acceptance of our Player/Parent Agreement ****relevant to players and parents**
- **RESPECT** of our club culture, coaches, other players, administrators, committee, umpires and sponsors
- **ACCEPT** the competitive aspects of weekly team selection and court time at Representative team level.
- Players are selected for 2 season: Season 1= Terms 1&2 / Season 2 =Terms 3&4
- 11U selected for the Spring season only (Terms 3 & 4)

Commit to:

- Pre-season 4 wk program over the Christmas break in your own time (not applicable to 11U)
- Training: once weekly at Boroondara Sports Complex (Monday or Wednesday depending on team)
- Matches: once weekly at Waverley Stadium commencing February / July

Netball will be your priority - with the exception only of essential school / family commitments.

If you decide not to trial after registering, it is essential that you let me know **BEFORE** the trial date as court runs are prepared before the trial and your name will be on the board. This creates significant disruption to the smooth running of the trial, avoided with just a simple email.

GOOD LUCK TO ALL.