



CEO Update

On behalf of the Northern Zone team, we thank you sincerely for all of the hard work you do in your Centre's, Schools and wider community in supporting our wonderful game. What you do really makes a difference for all of the women, girls, boys and men connected to your Centre's, making our communities happier and healthier through the growing and strengthening of netball. I hope you were able to see some of the Superclub netball, where the Northern Mystics put on a fantastic display of netball and almost won the final against a formidable Collingwood Magpies team – they are looking really great for an exciting 2020 season. Season Memberships are now on sale – a great Christmas present idea. **We wish you are very Merry Christmas & Happy New Year** and hope that you get a wonderful summer break – we look forward to working with you all in 2020 and to seeing some of you on March 22 2020 for our AGM and first home game.

Kind regards Dianne

Howick Pakuranga hosted a Year 3 & 4 Festival Day after an extremely busy time delivering Fundamental Netball Sessions in Schools

Below are the Schools who participated
 Ormiston Primary had 146 students participate each week
 Baverstock Oaks School had 230 students participate each week
 Bucklands Beach Primary had 146 students participate each week



Netball Manurewa Welcome a New President for 2020

Lillian Cattell has decided to take a step back after nearly a half century of volunteering, An true ambassador of Netball. We will continue to see Lil's welcoming smile and embrace at Netball Manurewa as Lil takes up the Patron role.

At their recent AGM the following service awards were handed out.

*Lillian Cattell – New Patron &
 Lee Manaia who will take the reigns as
 President*

**Devida Hati Ross Jasmine Tukukino
 Mathew Chambers Sand-Ina Cameron
 Shirley (Poti) Boynton**



Thanks to our
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Resource Library

Fraud is a serious threat to every organization, charities included. With reported fraud increasing at an alarming rate it is vital for charities of all shapes and sizes to protect their income and assets by building strong defenses.

The link below will take you to an e learning resource:

[Charity Fraud](#)

Netball Northern Zone Centre Forum was kindly hosted at Netball Manurewa
A jammed pack day involving presentations, good discussion & learning the day included the following:

CEO/Board Presentation * Community Presentation * Performance Presentation
* Regional Facilities Working Group Presentation.

Expert Learning Topics: Organisational Planning & Social Media

Break Out Sessions: Coach * Umpire * Good Sports

Thank you to all our Centre's for your time & input on the day

Coaches Space

Coach Developer Hui

Netball Northern Zone along with Netball NZ held a Coach & Umpire Developer Forum which saw over 40 attendees come together for 2 action packed days. The forum is designed to provide upskilling opportunities, new tools & fresh ideas for delivering workshops and assisting in developing people.

This Hui saw amazing cross-code, cross-region & cross-country collaboration. A special thank you to ALL the Coach & Umpire Developers who took time from their weekend to commit to learning & supporting the netball system. To our special guest trainers, hosts, & sponsors:

Dan Keepa (NZ Rugby League) * **Katie Horne** (Sport Waikato) * **Mitch Hayde** (Auckland Cricket) * **Netball Waitakere** (Hosts) * our NEW Netball family from **Netball Fiji, Netball Samoa, Tonga Netball & Netball Cook Islands.** * **HART Sport NZ** for the awesome netball clipboards * Our fabulous Guest Speaker **Bernice Mene.** * **Sport NZ** for supporting our dream team of trainers * **NZCT and Four Winds Foundation** for allowing this to happen and lastly our **Netball New Zealand** whanau for their kotahitanga

*So team thanks for the learning
You have helped keep the fire burning
Special memories have now been created
The brain has also been totally saturated
Everyone played an integral part
We aced it right from the start*



*Thanks for helping to create the amazing atmosphere
New friends, new learning & laughter we did share
Rock On Witches, Wizards & Scissorhead
Keep leaving Netball in good stead*



Papakura Netball Centre Hosted a Year 3 & 4 Festival Day

On Wednesday 4th December Papakura Netball Centre had the pleasure of hosting 5 Schools and 22 teams for a year 3 & 4 Festival Day.



This Festival was a celebration after 10 weeks of delivery in the following Schools:

Kauri Flats School * Papakura Normal School *
Clevedon School * Kelvin Road School *
Park Estate School

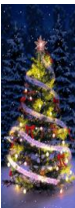


Kaipara Netball Centre Celebrate Service Recipients

David Waller came onto the committee back in 2010 and as the 'Vice President!' Mili was not sure if Kaipara had anyone in the Centre's history serve consecutively over the years, but an amazing record for any volunteer committee member to hold! David has quietly worked behind the scenes not just with managing our income and expenses but also quietly taking care of our canteen stock and supporting our whole team with any payments and invoices. David's input to our team is very vital and well respected. His humble nature and steady approach is both refreshing and encouraging.



Mili Sipa started on the Kaipara Netball Committee back in 2005 sharing the role of Junior Co-ordinator after attending an AGM. The following year the President and the Vice President both decided to leave and approached Mili as a suitable candidate to take over. There was of course no one at the AGM that put their hand up, so Mili took a deep breath and decided to give it a go! After a couple of years her family business started increasing and family became the priority. However in 2015 the day before the AGM Mili was approached and persuaded to take on the role again. Mili continued in the position until the AGM in 2019.



Netball Northern Zone & Mystics ask you to

Save The Date

Mystics Trans Tasman Challenge Pre Season Games Friday 14th & Saturday 15th February

Zone AGM & Facilities Forum Sunday 22nd March followed by Mystics v Tactix



Northern Mystics



The Northern Mystics have had a successful start to the season making the **FINALS OF SUPER CLUB**



Competing strongly throughout the week, finishing second after a 42-49 loss to the Collingwood Magpies. The past six weeks have been gold for the team, who have worked on building a strong foundation for 2020. Training recommences on January 6th.



Northern Marvels

With five weeks training under their belt the Northern Marvels squad have been refreshing their netball skills (in some traditional; and not so traditional ways) as well as learning what it is to train for pre-elite level netball. The coaching team of Ripeka Pirie, Waana Araroa and Angad Marwah bring a depth of netball, performance practice and training knowledge to the squad.

Three Northern Marvels squad players have been offered **Northern Mystics Apprentice Training Partner contracts**. They are: **Holly Mather and Jessie Taylor, both from Northland and Filda Vui who is from Waitakere**. Apprentice training partners train at least once a week with the Northern Mystics throughout the pre-season. Holly was also given the opportunity to come away with the Mystics to Super Club. Congratulations Holly, Jessie and Filda.



Northern Zone Elite Performance Programme (NZEPP) - Whilst the NZEPP has been scaled back, we have selected up to 12 players to join the NZEPP Level 2 group for 2020. The selection criteria are as follows:

1. Zone's need to build positional depth for elite netball within the Zone and New Zealand.
2. An athlete has potential to reach a high-performance level within the next one to five years.
3. An athlete demonstrates an aspiration and willingness to train for high-performance netball.

The main objective is to expose and develop athletes in an environment designed for learning the lifestyle and work ethic required to succeed at a high-performance level. These players will be notified of their selection this week, and their names will be published in the New Year.

NZEPP continues to follow the principles we established in 2017, which are:

1. Individuals who show growth, and aspire to succeed in a High-Performance netball environment.
2. Individuals who are committed and responsible for their own success.
3. A commitment to an annual training programme.
4. A programme from which campaigns, teams and opportunities are the result, not the driver.
5. Athletes may only register with one club or school; and only play at one netball centre (registration in more than one netball centre is at the discretion of the NZEPP and will only be considered for representative playing opportunities).

The most up-to-date information on the NZEPP can be found on our website

<https://www.netballnorthern.co.nz/zones/northern/high-performance/nzepp.html>



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2020 MYSTICS MEMBERSHIPS

Are on Sale NOW..... with two options to choose from you can be a Season Member for all seven (7) home games OR you may prefer a 3 Game Flexi Pass which give you the ability to choose 3 games you can attend – and still receive member only benefits.

Memberships available at: <https://premier.ticketek.co.nz/shows/show.aspx?sh=MYSTICS20>

SEASON MEMBERSHIP



- Reserved Seating: choose your own seat within the Members Zone seating area
- Membership card and lanyard
- Entry to the members lounge at all Northern Mystics round robin home games
- \$10 Merchandise discount voucher
- 15% discount on all food & beverage purchased within the members lounge
- Entry to all seven regular season home games (played at The Trusts Arena and Eventfinda Stadium)
- Invitation to organised 'meet the team' events
- Regular updates and notifications

\$180 ADULTS
\$60 CHILD

3 GAME FLEXI PASS



Have the flexibility to be a Northern Mystics member and choose the 3 games you want to attend:

- 3 Game Flexi Pass Card and Lanyard
- Ability to select the x3 Northern Mystics round robin home games of your choice (seating within the General Admission Blue Zone)
- X1 Ezyticket per chosen home game
- Entry to the members lounge at all Northern Mystics round robin home games
- Discounted food & beverage purchased within the members lounge
- Regular updates and notifications

\$60 ADULTS
\$25 CHILD



ENTRANCE

Please note that ticketing for the League Finals Series is managed by NZL, and as such, finals tickets are not included as part of your membership package. As part of our agreement with NZL, we will work closely to ensure members receive preferential ticket purchase arrangements. Please note that this cannot always be guaranteed, however we will endeavour to get the best outcome for you as our loyal supporters.

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TRANS TASMAN CHALLENGE – PRE SEASON EVENT

Trans Tasman Rivalry is back at The Trusts Arena for a pre season hit out with the Northern Stars, NSW Giants & Melbourne Vixens. Don't miss the opportunity to see your favourite players in action, meet our partners and let the kids be entertained in our Kids Zone.

Tickets on Sale now at: <https://www.northernmystics.co.nz/trans-tasman-challenge-2020/>



NORTHERN MYSTICS | **ANZ PREMIERSHIP**

TRANS TASMAN CHALLENGE

Friday 14th February 2020 Doors Open 3pm		Saturday 15th February 2020 Doors Open 11am	
4pm	STARS VS GIANTS NETBALL	12pm	STARS VS VIXENS
6pm	MYSTICS VS VIXENS	2pm	MYSTICS VS GIANTS NETBALL

Venue: The Trusts Arena, Waitakere City
Tickets: Daily Pass Adults \$10 Child \$5
 Two Day Pass Adults \$16 Child \$8
 Tickets on sale at: www.northernmystics.co.nz

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