

NETBALL NORTHERN

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NORTH HARBOUR
Netball NZ/Whangarei

Papakura Netball Centre



NEI RA NGA MIHI O TE TAU HOU.

E aku nui, e aku rahi ka tuku mihi katika ki a koutou katoa o te iwi Poitarawhiti.

Welcome everyone to the 2020 Northern Netball Season. The Netball Northern Zone hope you have all had a safe and relaxing break and are eager to welcome another exciting season.

Across our zone there are lots of up coming events to indulge in this season from player development workshops, coaching and umpiring workshops to help you, our community gain refreshing skills and tricks to bring out this season.

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CEO UPDATE

Kia Ora everyone,


I hope you have been enjoying a good summer so far and that 2020 has gotten off to a great start for you all. I am pleased to announce that the Northern Zone has a new CEO locked in! Phil Vyver will join the Northern Zone team on March 2nd, and will also be attending the Netball New Zealand Council meeting in February. Phil joins after a long career in Sport, with highlights including eleven years as General Manager Bowls Auckland, three years as Club Development Manager Bowls Auckland and three years as Leisure Development Officer, Parkwood Leisure / Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea, London, United Kingdom. Most recently Phil has been Contract GM at Archery New Zealand, and delivering contracts with Bowls NZ and Tennis NZ. He has a wide network and knowledge of the sport sector in our Zone and in New Zealand, including working groups with Aktive (Auckland council sport & rec), RSTs, other codes, and funders so is well positioned to hit the ground running. The good news is that with a lot of commitment from the Zone team and board, we have been able to recover our financial position of the 2019 year, and I look forward to giving you more detail on that at the Zone AGM March 22 2020, followed by the Mystics v Tactix game at Eventfinda Stadium, North Shore.

Netball New Zealand's strategic plan for Community Netball has guided the development of our own plans for 2020, and Karyne and the team look forward to working on how this will be operationalized at each centre over the coming months.

The BEKO National Netball League squads have now been announced and we have again some very exciting young athletes coming through the Zone systems. Congratulations to all those athletes selected for the BEKO Marvels and Comets Squads - we wish you well for an awesome season.

From the Mystics camp, we are devastated for Michaela who ruptured her Achilles tendon while on tour with the Silver Ferns last month - such a great shame for her and we wish her a speedy recovery, but obviously don't expect her on court this season. We have a very exciting squad this year and after a great performance at SuperClub, look forward to the ANZ Premiership season with great anticipation. Please get behind the ANZ Premiership this season and bring your friends and whanau to the home games - the more fans that attend live games, the better the atmosphere, the more inspiration for our young players, and the better our financial position! Win-win-win! Hope to see you there! Our very best wishes to you all.

Ngā mihi | Kind regards
- Dianne Williams



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BEKO LEAGUE 2020 DRAW RELEASED

The 2020 Beko Netball League draw has been released, with an opening match against three time defending champs Central Mananwa to face off against the Southern Blast to kick off the season.

The regular season duration: March 21-June 14, 2020

Grand final: June 21 at TSB Arena in Wellington

The competition: 25 games run over 12 weekends, culminating in a Grand Final

Broadcast partner: Sky TV - 16 matches to be televised on Sky Sport.

See the full draw at:

https://www.netballnz.co.nz/competitions/competition-detail/beko-netball-league?fbclid=IwAR0HskW7JVcsn2q1rTA6_kTqcuaHaEHN14EJ4zWKQLiscR4PDaS8FRrrcQ



EXCITING TIMES FOR WAIUKU NETBALL CENTRE

It is a very exciting time for Waiuku Netball Centre as they prepare for the 2020 season with an upgrade of two of their courts.

Waiuku Netball Centre was established in 1954. They service the greater Waiuku area, from Manukau Peninsula to Otua, Aka Aka and Waiau Pa. For many years this Centre existed with four courts and a small pavilion, they have since upgraded their pavilion and extended the courts to six.



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NETBALL MANUREWA

Netball Manurewa wish to invite you all to their Free Community Open Day.

This is family friendly event. There will be stalls that are community and sports related.

Affiliated clubs will be on site taking player registrations for the season.

There will also be information about hireage of their facilities.

NETBALL NZ NEWS

Netball New Zealand has confirmed two new tournaments to the calendar this year, the Netball NZ U18 Champs and the Netball NZ Open Champs. The two tournaments replace the Under 19 and Under 17 national events as suggested by the netball community and following on from the NNZ High-Performance review.

2020 Netball NZ U18 Championships
13-16 July at Rotorua Netball Centre,
Rotorua

2020 Netball NZ Open Champs -
proudly brought to you by NZ Police
8-12 September at Central Energy
Trust Arena, Palmerston North



CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 2020

Monday 3rd February 6pm Skills Analysis CCA1 Whangarei Netball Centre
Tuesday 4th February 6pm Shooting CCA1 Whangarei Netball Centre
Tuesday 4th February 6pm Selecting CCA1 Papakura Netball Centre
Tuesday 4th February 6pm Player Centred Coaching CCA1 Netball Manurewa
Wednesday 5th February 6pm NetballSmart Whangarei Netball Centre
Monday 10th February 6.30pm Selecting CCA1 Pukekohe Netball Centre
Tuesday 11th February 6pm TBC Netball Manurewa
Saturday 15th February 8.30am Building Effective Relationships CCA1 Papakura Netball Centre
Saturday 15th February 11am Skills Analysis CCA1 Papakura Netball Centre
Saturday 15th February 9am Player Centred Coaching CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre
Saturday 15th February 11.30am Building Effective Relationships CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre
Sunday 16th February 12pm Attacking Fundamentals CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre
Sunday 16th February 2pm Selecting CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre
Tuesday 18th February 6pm TBC Netball Manurewa
Tuesday 25th February 6pm Attack & Defence Workshop CCA1 Netball Manurewa
Thursday 27th February 6.30pm Shooting CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre

MARCH 2020

Tuesday 3rd March 6pm Tournament Planning CCA2 Papakura Netball Centre
Tuesday 3rd March 6pm Skills Analysis CCA1 Netball Manurewa
Thursday 5th March 6.30pm Team Culture CCA1 Auckland Netball Centre - MT EDEN
Thursday 5th March 6pm Year 7&8 Workshop Foundation Papakura Netball Centre
Monday 9th March 6.30pm Year 1-4 Workshop Foundation Netball Manurewa
Tuesday 10th March 6.30pm Year 5 & 6 Workshop Foundation Netball Manurewa
Tuesday 10th March 6pm Developing Physical Capacity CCA2 Papakura Netball Centre
Tuesday 10th March 6pm Shooting CCA1 Netball Manurewa
Wednesday 11th March 6pm Junior Co-ordinator Workshop Foundation Papakura Netball Centre
Thursday 12th March 6.30pm Centre Pass CCA2 Auckland Netball Centre
Tuesday 17th March 6pm Mental Skills CCA2 Papakura Netball Centre
Wednesday 18th March 6.30pm How to connect with your players CCA1 Pukekohe Netball Centre
Saturday 21st March 10.30am Year 1-6 Workshop & Demo Day Foundation Papakura Netball Centre
Sunday 22nd March 12pm Circle Work CCA2 Auckland Netball Centre
[Sunday 22nd March Zone AGM & Facilities Forum followed by Mystics v Tactix](#)
Sunday 22nd March 2.30pm Developing Physical Capacity CCA2 Auckland Netball Centre
Thursday 26th March 6pm Year 7&8 Workshop Foundation Papakura Netball Centre
Monday 30th March 6.30pm Team Culture CCA1 Pukekohe Netball Centre

CALENDAR

NOTICE OF NETBALL NORTHERN ZONE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING – 22 MARCH 2020

Date	Sunday 22 nd March 2020	
Time	11.00am-1.00pm Zone Forum – Netball Centre Facilities Focus 1.30pm to 3.30pm Northern Zone AGM 4.10pm Northern Mystics vs Mainland Tactix	
Place	Eventfinda Stadium (previously called North Shore Event Centre). Entrances from Silverfield and Argus Places, Wairau Valley, North Shore, Auckland	
Programme	10.45am	Arrival and refreshments
	11.00pm	Karakia & Welcome
	11.15am-1.00pm	Forum: Netball Centres Facilities Focus
	1.00pm-1.30pm	Lunch
	1.30pm-3.30pm	AGM
	4.10pm	Mystic v Tactix

Please be advised that there will be a Zone Forum (focusing on netball centre facilities) starting at 11.00am and all Centre representatives are requested to attend this session also. The Agenda for the Zone Forum (Facilities) will be circulated shortly. Attendees to the Netball Northern Zone AGM are invited to receive complimentary tickets to Northern Mystics vs Mainland Tactix, at Eventfinda Stadium, with centre-pass at 4.10pm.

To register your attendance at any or all of the events, please complete your details via the attached registration form <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/ZoneAGM2020>. This form can also be used to record an apology by indicating zero '0' attendees and recording the apology in the comments box.

Accompanying this letter is information and forms related to the AGM:

- AGM Draft Agenda
- Nomination Form for Elected Board Member
- General Business form

Nominations for elections and items for general business need to be submitted not less than thirty [30] days before the date set for the Annual General Meeting. Therefore, agenda items including any remits for proposed alterations to the Constitution and nominations for elected positions must be received by the Zone Chief Executive Officer from Netball Centres and the Board by 20th February 2020. A finalised agenda and associated documents will be distributed by 1st March 2020.

We hope you will be able to join us at the AGM and we look forward to seeing you. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Trish Harkins, Finance and Administration Manager at trish.harkins@netballnorthern.co.nz, or by telephone 09 9130834, or Dianne Williams at Dianne.williams@netballnorthern.co.nz, or by telephone 029 9154550.

HIGH PERFORMANCE



TRANSITION DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY:

Transition Development Strategy.

It is now timely to move into the second stage of the Zone's Performance Strategy, which is to "Create a pathway that grows and retains the best potential in the Northern Zone". As such we are establishing a working group who will help co-design a Transition Development Strategy. Transition development is the phrase we are using to describe the partnership between the netball centre development programmes and the zone's performance programme. We have formed a working group by inviting a group of coaches who have contributed to netball centre, zone and national programmes to work with Zone Staff on this initiative.

Invited coaches: Dwayne McNeil (Pukekohe), Emma Haigh (Auckland- yet to confirm), Julie Kelman-Poto (North Harbour), Katherine Henry (Waitakere), Trina Henare (Northland). We look forward to bringing you updates of the Working Groups progress over the next 12 months.

TECHNICAL OFFICIALS:

Firstly to Ange Newton our previous Bench Official Convenor - thank you for your contribution to the Zone over the years and it is great that you are not lost to netball, just moved zones! Best wishes and enjoy your new journey with WBOP.

Technical Officials, as they are known, will be managed by our Umpire Lead, Sharleen Morrell, consistent with Netball NZ where they are managed by Umpire Lead, Garratt Williamson. We are extremely lucky to have two wonderful local coordinators working within our Zone to assist with the development, allocation and support of our pool of Technical Officials. Rachel Smith and Bobby-Jo Buchanan are well known to our TO group and we are excited to be working more closely with them to grow and develop more Technical Officials across our Zone. Any communication can be made to techofficials@netballnorthern.co.nz

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NORTHERN ZONE

After a gruelling pre-season the Netball Northern Zone wish to congratulate the following athletes that have been selected for the Northern Marvels and Northern Comets BEKO Netball League Teams for 2020.

NZ Strong Northern Marvels 2020:

Addi Albert Jones * Training Partner
Alyssa-Jean Savelio
Alanis Toia-Tigafua *
Asher Grapes
Christie Anderson
Courtney Katters
Danielle Binks
Emma Thompson
Filda Vui
Grace McCarthy *
Halaevalu Toutaiolepo
Holly Mather
Jessie Taylor
Nirah Nathan
Seroya Nankivell

Northern Comets 2020:

Tamara Leoni
Ivana Rowland
Vika Koloto
Patricia Furivai
Chonaire Huriwai
Christina Oscar
Jaymie Kolose
Tori Kolose
Lisa Putt
Israena Chan
Oceane Maihi
Nanise Waiquira
Harriette Baxter (training partner)
Phoebe Tumata (training partner)

Congratulations girls.



We live this game.

MYSTICS HIGHLIGHTS



NORTHERN MYSTICS

The Northern Mystics have been working hard in the preseason, trialling their hands at aqua sprinting, that ended in some tight muscles the next day.



The team recently spent a casual evening together supporting the Blues against the Chiefs. With supporters from both teams, it made for some competitive exchanges and few smiles at the conclusion of the game.



WE COMMEND YOU

The Northern Zone would like to pay a special tribute and congratulations to the Silver Ferns on their victory at the Vitality Netball Nations Cup 2020 in London.

The Silver Ferns added the Netball Nations Cup to the cabinet after securing a convincing win of 67-56 against Jamaica in the final.

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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 Everitinda 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 game
- › Discounted food & beverage purchased within the members lounge
- › Regular updates and notifications

\$60 ADULTS

\$25 CHILD



ENTRANCE

Please note that seating for the League Final Series is managed by NZC, and as such, these tickets are not included as part of your membership package. As part of our agreement with NZC, 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/>



TRANS TASMAN CHALLENGE

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

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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