



31 July 2019

BASKETBALL 2019

Dear Parents and Caregivers

Welcome to another season of basketball

Yr 3 & 4 MONDAY NIGHTS
 September 9 and 16
 October 14 and 21
 November 4, 11, 18,25, and December 2.

Yr 5 & 6 TUESDAY NIGHTS
 September 10,17 and 24
 October 15, 22 and 29
 November 5, 12, 19, 26 and December 3

Primary League Grades

In Year 5 and 6 there are separate Boys and Girls grades with A and B sections in each. Teams will play grading games for the first 2 weeks but grading may be ongoing as the season progresses.

The Year 3 and 4 is also SEPARATE with boys' and girls' grades. If you do not have enough players to form a separate gender team; schools will still be permitted to enter a mixed gender team **(this applies to Year 3 and 4 only)**.

YEAR 3 and 4

Each team is to provide a referee and a scorer for its game so that 2 referees will officiate each game and 2 scorers control the bench.

While a number of teams use junior students to referee, it is important that the referees understand the nature of Year 3 and 4 games – it is more about letting them play, avoiding unnecessary physical contact, and ensuring they enjoy the game. It is not so much about the technicalities of the rules.

YEAR 5 and 6

The named duty team on the draw is to provide a referee and 2 scorers for the score-bench.

Teams may request SCBA to provide a referee at a cost of \$70. If you have a student who would like to take up the role as a referee, SCBA can provide resources, courses and assistance. Please advise them to contact the SCBA office.

Should you find yourself in a position of not having enough players to form a team, please contact the SCBA office for assistance.

We will need adult managers for the Year 3 and 4 teams.

Some Year 8 students may be able to help out with coaching and refereeing on game nights.

Year 5 and 6 teams will need adult coaches and managers.

Any questions, please contact me on 027 2057604.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE [FORM-LINK](#) BEFORE Friday 9 August.

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