



# NIGHT COMPETITION INFORMATION SHEET

Our Night Competitions operate on both Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Our Tuesday Night Social Ladies and Wednesday Night Graded Ladies and Mixed Competitions focus on promoting fun, fitness and friendship. These are **all social competitions** aimed at promoting our wonderful sport to a wider audience.

There are two (2) seasons per year. Season 1 starting late January/early February and Season 2 starting mid/late July. Both seasons will consist of 2 grading rounds (minimum), 14 Competition Rounds and 3 Finals Rounds.

- Tuesday Night Social Ladies Competition is held at the Sunshine Coast Recreation Centre (Currimundi).
- Wednesday Night Graded Ladies & Mixed Social Competitions are held at the Caloundra Indoor Stadium.
- All competitions have games at 6.15pm, 7.15pm and 8.15pm.

*\*Number of rounds, venue or courts may be changed at the discretion of CDNA due to venue/court availability.*

**To be eligible to play all players must:**

- **be turning 14 years of age in the year of competition, and**
- **be registered in Netball Connect before taking the court; this is an insurance requirement.**

## **Team Nominations:**

Team Nomination forms must be completed and returned to the Night Convenor prior to the closing date. After the nomination is received, the team captain is required to register the team in Netball Connect, linking players so they can complete their registration. The Team Capitation Form is to be completed and returned to the Night Convenor prior to the season commencement.

## **Individual Nominations:**

Individual players looking to be placed in a team will be placed on our wait list. We will do our best to place all individuals into appropriate teams (or make a new team if numbers permit). Once you have been accepted into the team you will be contacted by the team captain who will link you to their team registration.

## **Tuesday Night Social Ladies:**

Two (2) divisions (dependent on team nominations) - Social 1 and Social 2

Season 1:

- Team grading commences on Tuesday of week 2, Term 1 of the Queensland State School Terms (usually early February and dependent on team nominations).

Season 2:

- Team grading commences on Tuesday of week 1, Term 3 the Queensland State School Terms (usually mid/late July and dependent on team nominations)

## **Wednesday Night Graded Ladies & Mixed Social:**

Up to four (4) divisions in the Graded Ladies Competition (dependent on team nominations) - A1, A2, B1 and B2 and a Mixed Social Division (dependent on team nominations).

Season 1:

- Team grading commences on Wednesday of week 2, Term 1 of the Queensland State School Terms (usually early February and dependent on team nominations).

Season 2:

- Team grading commences on Wednesday of week 1, Term 3 of the Queensland State School Terms (usually mid/late July and dependent on team nominations).

*\*Once grading is finalised, the competition draws are available on Netball Connect.*



### Fees:

- **Netball Queensland Registration fees are payable by each playing member** and are payable at the time of registration via Netball Connect. All players must be registered and financial prior to taking the court. (Use the same registration details for subsequent seasons in the same calendar year to avoid being charged the Netball Queensland registration fee again).
- **Season Game Fees are payable by the team upfront at the commencement of the season.** The full amount must be paid prior to commencement via direct deposit (regardless of BYES). The season fees are set by the CDNA Executive Committee. Season fees exclude finals rounds which must be paid on a game-by-game basis.
- A CDNA administration fee is charged per player per season and is payable through Netball Connect.
- *If a player has an outstanding debt with the night competition, or any other facet of Caloundra Netball they will not be permitted to compete in any aspect of competition with or for the association, such as but not limited to State Age Representation, SCPL etc.*

### Forfeit Policy:

Teams must notify the Night Convenor or Night Assistant ASAP and preferably prior to 24hrs prior to game day of any forfeits. Notice should be sent via email to [nightconvenor@caloundranetball.org.au](mailto:nightconvenor@caloundranetball.org.au). **No refund will be issued for teams forfeiting, teams that are forfeited against may have a credit applied to finals rounds (if applicable).**

### Teams:

- Teams will consist of a minimum of six (6) registered players and maximum of twelve (12).
- A team may not commence with fewer than five (5) original registered players. Substitutes may be used to replace missing registered players; substitutes must be NQ registered.

### Substitute Players:

- Teams may use a substitute player from a lower grade (or across if referring to lowest division) and of similar ability.
- Original members must be played first with substitutes from the bench or can be used to commence the game if short players.

### Uniforms:

- Teams must supply their own patches or coloured bibs.
- Team uniforms must be consistent for all team members.
  - Team Dress, with appropriate length bummers/bike-shorts
  - Same Coloured Shirt / Singlet (no bra straps are to be visible)
  - Bottoms: mid length or long exercise pants, loose fit shorts, or skirt (no pockets allowed)
- The wearing of netball gloves are permitted, no other style glove is allowed to be worn.

### Jewelry Regulations:

- No Jewelry is allowed to be worn while playing.
- Exemptions are given to wedding rings (flat band) and medical alert bracelets only and must be taped.

### Equipment:

- Size 5 Balls for game play will be provided (teams to supply their own ball for warm up).

### Umpires:

- Umpires are provided by CDNA.

### Behaviour:

- CDNA has a strict Code of Conduct which all players and officials must adhere to. This is available on the CDNA website under the resources tab, [Resources Page](#)

### Night Policy:

- The full CDNA Night Competition Policy is available on the [CDNA website](#) or by request.