GSNC INFORMATION/POLICY SHEET

- Teams are entered in WCNA competition at Jells Park Netball Centre. Junior team games are played on Saturday mornings. Senior teams play Saturday afternoons.
- There are 2 seasons: Winter (Late Feb - July/Aug) and Spring (Aug/Sep - Dec)
- Junior Teams are usually comprised of students from the school.
- New teams are formed from Grade 2 students who must complete the Net-Set-Go program on a Saturday morning (or Friday afternoon) in the Spring season. The team then starts competition in Winter season the following year (i.e. As Grade 3 students)
- If more than 1 team is formed in a year level, club policy is that the teams are split by age and generally not regraded/changed in future years
- If older girls complete Net-Set-Go, they are not guaranteed a place in an existing team of their age group, but they are welcome to join in training. They will be offered a position in a younger team if available.
- Teams are capped at 10 players. (to be reviewed at the Club’s discretion)
- Players are rotated in 11/u.
- Finals - Qualified players are guaranteed half a game in finals.
- Coaches are volunteers, who are supported by the club to complete coaching courses.
- The club provides each team with a kit bag- balls, bibs, first aid kit, rules book etc.
- Training for junior teams is usually held at the school – at the discretion of the coach.
- Training dates and times set by the coach, after approaching players for availability.
- Junior Coaches 16 years and above are actively supported by the club. Team parents are to acknowledge these younger coaches must be free to coach their team and direct any enquiries through their team managers who will prioritize any issues through the club channels as needed.
- The club uniform is a navy pleated skirt with the official GSNC pale blue top. (Purchased through the club). Club jackets are optional. Body suits are worn by secondary students and above.
- Each team has a coach and team manager, who must attend the Club Committee meetings (3 times year)
- A compulsory junior training clinic is held in the pre-season (usually Feb).
- Junior Presentation Day is held at end of winter season (usually July/Aug) and family attendance and support is expected.
- Girls over 13 years have the opportunity to participate in our netball umpiring program
- All girls must be registered with VNA and pay the club fees each season prior to playing games.
- Players all have the opportunity to trial for Representative teams, and this is encouraged by our club and team coaches.
- In wet weather, players must still attend to ensure the team does not incur a fine for a forfeit!

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