



2009 ACADEMY 15s NETBALL TEAM

APPLICATION TO TRIAL

Introduction

The Central Coast Academy of Sport (CCAS) is now accepting applications from athletes interested in trialling for a position within the 2009 academy 15s netball team that will take part in the Netball NSW 15 Years Tournament over the weekend of Saturday 3 – Sunday 4 October 2009 at the Anne Clark Netball Centre, Lidcombe. This 15 Years Tournament is an important step in the Netball NSW player development pathway and talent identification program.

Eligibility

To be eligible to apply to trial for a position in the team, athletes must be:

- Female born in 1994 only (turning or have already turned 15 years of age in 2009)
- A current financial member of a local netball association located within the Central Coast region (the region is defined by the geographical boundaries of Gosford City and Wyong Shire Councils – the Local Government Areas)

Scholarships are not in the form of a monetary sum, but rather enable athletes to participate in the academy program that includes training sessions and competition matches. Training sessions include access to elite level coaches.

Cost

A levy of \$110.00 (incl. GST) will be applicable to successful athletes and covers the full cost of participation in the program and CCAS uniform items, plus associated collateral material. Additional CCAS uniform items (e.g. tracksuit) may be available for purchase by the athlete at an additional cost.

The Selection Process

1. Athletes must detail their netball achievements via the application to trial form signed by a parent / guardian. Each application will be assessed by the academy netball program staff and suitable applicants will be invited to attend a selection trial.
2. Invited applicants will participate in a selection trial.
3. Final assessment of trialists by CCAS netball program staff and announcement of successful scholarship athletes via letters in the mail and the CCAS website.



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Applications Close 5pm, Monday 27 July 2009

Athlete Information

First Name:		Surname:	
Postal Address:			
Suburb:		State:	Post Code:
Home Phone:		Mobile Phone:	
Date of Birth:		Email Address:	
Parent / Guardian 1 Name:		Parent / Guardian 1 Mobile Phone:	
Parent / Guardian 2 Name:		Parent / Guardian 2 Mobile Phone:	
Central Coast Netball Association:		No. of Years Playing:	
2009 High School:		Height:	

Emergency Contact

Contact Name:		Relationship:	
Home Phone:		Mobile Phone:	
Address:		State:	Post Code:

Coach Details

Current Coach:		Association / Club:	
Home Phone:		Mobile Phone:	



Playing Positions

Players must nominate two preferred playing positions.

Preferred Position:	Second Choice:
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Current / Past Performance

Please complete the following to provide the Netball program staff with a detailed summary of your achievements to date in Netball and other relevant sports participation. Additional information may be attached to this application.

Competition	Event	Results
School Events		
Club Events		
District Events		
State / Australian Events		

Applications to be returned to:

Central Coast Academy of Sport
 PO Box 337, Terrigal NSW 2260
 P / (02) 4349 7756
 F / (02) 4349 7759
 E / info@thinksport.com.au



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ATTACHMENT A

Athlete Declarations and Parent / Guardian Consents

Failure to complete these sections renders the application invalid. If an applicant or the parent / guardian require further information prior to completion, please call the Central Coast Academy of Sport office on (02) 4349 7756 for clarification.

Performance Rights

The Central Coast Academy of Sport Ltd and sponsors arrange publicity before, during and after the scholarship period in the press, by live and recorded radio and television broadcasting, by filming and in electronic form. The athlete who is successful through the selection criteria and enrolls in the scholarship program assent to references of them and pictures of them in practice and play appearing and being used for commercial purposes by the Central Coast Academy of Sport and its sponsors. All rights for televising live, television recording or for visual or electronic reproduction are reserved only to the Central Coast Academy of Sport and become the sole property of the Central Coast Academy of Sport.

Media and Public Relations

The favorable public reputation of the Central Coast Academy of Sport, its sponsors and official venues are valuable assets and create benefits for scholarship athletes now and in the future. Accordingly, it is an obligation of scholarship athlete to refrain from comments to the media that attack, disparage or criticise the Central Coast Academy of Sport, the sponsors, the venues, the promoters, fellow competitors, or its program staff and executive staff.

Any contravention of this regulation shall constitute a breach of the Code of Conduct and the athlete will forfeit their place within the program. Such judgment will be made solely by the Central Coast Academy of Sport Managing Director or in his stead a member of the Board of Directors.

To ensure maximum goodwill, it is essential that scholarship athletes make every effort to support all public relations and media activities, which among other things, include compliance with reasonable requests from the Central Coast Academy of Sport to attend media interviews and to cooperate with the media. Only Academy approved merchandise will be worn when undertaking media / public relations meetings / Netball training programs, individual sponsorship is not permitted to be worn unless approved by the Central Coast Academy of Sport.



Attendance

Successful applicants are expected, and therefore required, to attend every component of the program. Due to the high interest in the program, failure to attend or consistent absenteeism will deem a squad member ineligible to continue in the program and they will forfeit their place.

Ownership of Merchandise

Should such a step be enacted whereby an athlete is deemed ineligible to continue in the program, all material, including the squad merchandise kit, training resources, reports and other items are to be returned to the Central Coast Academy of Sport. Failure to comply within 14 days will result in the Central Coast Academy of Sport taking all remedies available at law.

Athlete Declaration

The details provided by me are true and accurate and are provided to the CCAS. I agree to comply with the rules and directions made or given by the CCAS in connection with the scholarship program. I fully understand the terms relating to performance rights and media / public relations and assign these rights to the CCAS.

Athlete Name (Please Print):	Athlete Signature:
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Parent / Guardian Consent

I consent to the applicant's performance rights being released for any media or promotional activity. I understand that all other information provided on this form and gathered throughout the nomination process will be stored on a database that will only be accessed by authorised Academy personnel and is subject to privacy restrictions.

I give my child / guardian (print name) _____, permission to nominate for a Central Coast Academy of Sport scholarship and if selected, participate in the program under the terms contained in this attachment.

While every care will be given and undertaken, I understand that the Central Coast Academy of Sport will not meet the cost of any medical, dental or hospital service required as a result of any injury occurring during the program and it is my responsibility to ensure that I have adequate health insurance and extra cover at all times. I agree that should an injury occur, the Central Coast Academy of Sport can arrange medical attention at no cost to the Central Coast Academy of Sport.

Parent / Guardian Name (Please Print):	Parent / Guardian Signature:
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2009 ACADEMY 15s NETBALL SCHEDULE

(As @ Wednesday 24 June 2009)

Jun 2009	Program	Details
Tue 23 Jun	15s Applications to Trial Open	Advertised through CCAS website, local media and local associations
Jul 2009		
<i>Sat 11 – Sun 26 Jul</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	
Mon 27 Jul	15s Applications to Trial Close	Applications must be submitted to the CCAS office by 5pm
Aug 2009		
Tue 18 Aug	15s Team Selection Trial	Central Coast Grammar School 6:30pm – 8:30pm
Fri 21 Aug	15s Team Announced	Letters mailed to athletes and team listed on the CCAS website
Sep 2009		
Tue 8 Sep	Squad Training (incl. 15s Team Orientation / Training)	Central Coast Grammar School (15s orient. 5:30pm) 6:30 – 8:30pm
Tue 15 Sep	15s Team Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm (note earlier time)
Tue 22 Sep	Squad Training / Umpire Session (incl. 15s Team Training)	Central Coast Grammar School 6:30pm – 8:30pm
Tue 29 Sep	15s Team Training	Central Coast Grammar School 6:30pm – 8:30pm
Oct 2009		
Sat 3 – Sun 4 Oct	2009 Netball NSW 15 Years Development Weekend	Anne Clark Netball Centre, Lidcombe Times TBA
<i>Sat 3 – Sun 18 Oct</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	