



2010 ACADEMY NETBALL PROGRAM

APPLICATION TO TRIAL

Introduction

The Central Coast Academy of Sport is now accepting applications from athletes interested in trialling for a position within the 2010 academy netball program.

Netball Program Sponsors

The academy netball program would not be possible without the support of **Breakers Country Club, Netball NSW** and **Central Coast Grammar School**. The Central Coast Academy of Sport is extremely pleased and very fortunate that these organisations are supporting the aspirations of our local athletes.

Eligibility

To be eligible to apply to trial, athletes must be:

- Female born between 1992 and 1995 inclusive (15 to 18 years old in 2010)
- 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 workshops and competition opportunities. These workshops include access to elite level coaches, analysis of technique, sports science testing, sport psychology, nutrition, awareness of drugs in sport, financial fitness seminars and information on careers in netball.

Cost

A levy of \$330.00 (incl. GST) will be applicable to successful athletes and covers the full cost of participation in the program and the Central Coast Academy of Sport merchandise kit (uniform) including a CCAS tracksuit and associated collateral material.

The Selection Process

1. Athletes must detail their netball achievements via the application to trial form signed by a parent / guardian.
2. Each application will be assessed by the academy netball program staff and suitable applicants will be invited to attend a selection trial.
3. Suitable athletes invited to attend a second selection trial based on their performance in the first trial.
4. Final assessment of trialists and announcement of successful scholarship athletes.



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Applications Close 5pm Monday 30 November 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:	
Netball Association:	Current Netball NSW Rego Number:	
2010 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 / National Events		

Important Dates

Monday 30 November 2009	Applications Close @ 5pm
Tuesday 15 December 2009	Selection Trial 1, 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ CCGS
Thursday 17 December 2009	Selection Trial 2, 5:30pm – 7:30pm @ CCGS
Monday 21 December 2009	Squad Announced
Tuesday 26 January 2010	Program Commences

Applications to be returned to: Central Coast Academy of Sport
 A / 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 Central Coast Academy of Sport. I agree to comply with the rules and directions made or given by the Central Coast Academy of Sport 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 Central Coast Academy of Sport.

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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2010 NETBALL PROGRAM SCHEDULE

(Draft as @ Thursday 5 November 2009)

Nov 2009	Program	Details
Friday 6 Nov	Athlete Applications to Trial Open	Advertised via local media, CCAS website, and local Netball Assoc.
Mon 30 Nov	Athlete Applications to Trial Close	Applications must be submitted to the CCAS office by 5pm
Dec 2009		
Tue 15 Dec	Selection Trial 1 (2009 Athletes Not Required)	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Thu 17 Dec	Selection Trial 2 (All invited Athletes)	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Mon 21 Dec	Squad Announced	Letters to athletes, CCAS website
<i>Mon 21 Dec – Tue 26 Jan</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	
Jan 2010		
Tue 26 Jan	Program Orientation / Squad Day (incl. Testing & Video Analysis)	Bridgecoast Stadium, Terrigal Times TBA
Wed 27 Jan	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Feb 2010		
Wed 10 Feb	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Wed 24 Feb	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
March 2010		
Wed 10 Mar	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Wed 24 Mar	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
April 2010		
Wed 7Apr	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
<i>Fri 2 – Fri 16 Apr</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	
Wed 7 – Fri 9	2010 ClubsNSW Academy Games (Competition Vs Other NSW Academies)	Armidale Times TBA (3 Day Event)
Wed 28 Apr	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
May 2010		
Tue 11 May	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Tue 25 May	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm

June 2010		
Sat 5 – Mon 7 Jun	NSW State Championships	TBA
Tue 22 Jun	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
July 2010		
Tue 6 Jul	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Sat 3 – Mon 5 Jul	NSW State Age Championships	Various NSW Venues
<i>Mon 5 – Fri 16 Jul</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	
Dates TBA	Hunter Festival of Sport (Competition Vs Other NSW Academies)	Maitland Federation Centre, Times TBA (2 – 3 Day Event)
Tue 27 Jul	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Aug 2010		
Tue 10 Aug	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Tue 24 Aug	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Sep 2010		
Tue 7 Sep	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Tue 21 Sep	Squad Training	Central Coast Grammar School 5:30pm – 7:30pm
Oct 2010		
<i>Mon 27Sep – Fri 8 Oct</i>	<i>School Holidays</i>	
Dates TBA	2010 15 years Development Weekend	Venue / Times TBA
Nov 2010		
Date TBA	2009 CCAS Awards Evening	Venue / Times TBA

PLEASE NOTE: The CCAS has recently changed the way in which educational core units are presented, which is why there are no educational sessions scheduled into this program. Approximately one educational presentation every two months will be scheduled across all CCAS sport programs, so all CCAS scholarship athletes across all sports will have the opportunity to attend these sessions, which will be presented by high profile sports persons and / or professionals in the specific fields (e.g. nutrition, sports psychology, financial fitness, drugs in sport, etc.).