



KNA Annual General Meeting 2020





Ku-ring-gai Netball Association mourns the loss of two outstanding members

During the past few months, we have lost two valued members of our netball family. The contribution that they have made to our sport and our lives has been invaluable and we are the poorer for their passing. Our thoughts are with their families and friends.

Vale Loraine Unicomb

The recent death of Loraine Unicomb was a great loss for our netball community and for all who knew and loved her. Her association with KNA spanned a period of over ten years, during which time she was Vice President for three years and also oversaw various portfolios while on the KNA Executive Committee. Loraine served as President of West Pymble Club from 2013 onwards.

Acknowledged for her contribution to the community, Loraine was the proud recipient of several awards, including the KNA President's award, the Volunteer of the Year award, a Community Service award and a Senior Umpire of the Year award.



Loraine made many friends on her journey through life and was a valued member of our KNA family who loved and enjoyed netball and cared about every single child she came in contact with.

Arranging a fitting memorial is difficult while COVID restrictions are in place, but WPNK was determined to overcome this obstacle. Having first approached Council for approval, they invited netballers, family and friends to join them in paying tribute to Loraine at a Memorial Fence at the Lofberg Courts in West Pymble between 10am and 2pm, on Sunday June 21, 2020.

Around 300 people, including family members arrived throughout the day with flowers and touching messages honouring Loraine as a person, a friend and someone who had made a great contribution to sport in her community.

At the end of the day, the flowers and ribbons were collected and made into floral tributes which were delivered to the cancer ward and other patients at the Mater Hospital.



Vale Neryl James

A Life Member of both KNA and St Ives Netball Club, Neryl James was an integral part of netball in Ku-ring-gai. Her commitment to her club, love of netball and dedication to her community embodied the best aspects of both volunteering and sport.

For many years, Neryl ensured that the KNA Night Competition ran smoothly and she was a familiar figure at Lofberg, where she could regularly be seen cheering everyone on.

Her legacy lives on at St Ives Club with the annual award of the Neryl James Trophy. Stephanie Shephard, who was the first recipient of the award and is pictured below with Neryl, said how sad she was to hear the news, adding her wish that "Neryl always be remembered for her wonderful contribution to netball".

Neryl will be sadly missed and her Club intends to honour her memory once members return to the courts.





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Agenda KNA Annual General Meeting 2020

To be held on Tuesday 17 November 2020 at 7:30 pm, via Zoom.

- 1 **APOLOGIES**
- 2 **PRESENTATIONS**
- 3 **PREVIOUS MINUTES**
 - Minutes of Annual General Meeting held on 26th November 2019
 - Minutes of Special General Meeting held on 16th June 2020
- 4 **BUSINESS ARISING**
- 5 **CONSIDERATION AND ADOPTION OF THE ANNUAL REPORT AND AUDITED BALANCE SHEET**
- 6 **REPORTS (see Contents)**
- 7 **APPOINTMENT OF AUDITOR FOR THE ENSUING YEAR**
- 8 **NOTICES OF MOTION (see Contents)**
- 9 **RESOLUTIONS REQUIRED**
- 10 **FEES FOR 2021**
- 11 **KNA CALENDAR FOR 2021 – Options 1, 2 3 and 4**
- 12 **CONSIDERATION OF ANY SPECIAL BUSINESS OF WHICH NOTICE HAS BEEN GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CONSTITUTION**
- 13 **ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS (nominees as below)**
(for qualifications of nominees see [13.5](#))

EXECUTIVE:

PRESIDENT
SECRETARY
TREASURER
EXECUTIVE - (minimum 2 and maximum 4)

OFFICE BEARERS:

CLUB COACHING CONVENOR
FIXTURES CONVENOR
GRADING CONVENOR
GROUNDS CONVENOR
JUNIOR REGISTRAR
NIGHT COMP CO-ORDINATOR
REP LIAISON OFFICER
SENIOR REGISTRAR
UMPIRES CONVENOR



POSITIONS TO BE APPOINTED:

ALL ABILITIES CO-ORDINATOR
ALL ABILITIES MANAGER
KMC LIAISON OFFICER - Invited
LOFBERG NSG SKILLS CO-ORDINATOR
MEMBER PROTECTION INFORMATION OFFICER
NETSETGO CO-ORDINATOR
COURT BOOKING OFFICER
JUNIOR REGISTRAR ASSISTANT
NIGHT COMP COORDINATOR ASSISTANT
NIGHT COMP UMPIRES CONVENOR
SENIOR REGISTRAR ASSISTANT
WEBSITE ADMINISTRATOR

SUB-COMMITTEES:

APPOINTMENT PANEL Two (2) required.
(i) a representative from the Executive Committee (non voting), a maximum of three (3) elected members (with relevant qualifications and background) and a maximum of two (2) invited members.
(ii) The invited members will be required to have sufficient qualifications and experience to hold this position and will be appointed by the Executive on recommendation of the Representative Committee
(iii) No member of the Rep committee or Rep Selection panels will be eligible to be a member of the Rep Appointments panel

COACHING COMMITTEE Four (4) elected members including the Coaching Administrator

GRADING COMMITTEE Maximum of six (6) members including the Grading Convenor (one (1) representative only per affiliated club)

GROUNDS COMMITTEE Minimum of six(6) members including the Grounds Convenor and an Assistant

REP LIAISON COMMITTEE Minimum of five (5) members incl. Rep Liaison Officer

SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE Minimum of (4) members

UMPIRES COMMITTEE Fifteen (15) Members including Umpires Convenor



1. Apologies

2. Presentations KNA General Meeting 2020

GENERAL AWARDS

KNA congratulated the following award recipients who were also acknowledged at Grand Final Day presentations and Representative functions. KNA thanks all our volunteers for their dedication and commitment and for everything they have contributed to the Association.

Awards for Years of Service:

50 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
35 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
30 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
25 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
20 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
15 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
10 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021
5 years	To be presented at SGM Feb 2021

AWARDS (Presented on Grand Final Day)

Large clubs award	Berowra Netball Club
Small clubs award	Sacred Heart Netball Club
President's award	Club Presidents
Volunteer of year award	All KNA volunteers
Special Award	Not presented this year

UMPIRE AWARDS: (Presented on Grand Final Day were as follows)

Steve Cary Award	Natalie Wrightson HH
Brenda Williams Award	Zachary Aubourg KP
Senior Umpires Award	Betty Zhang HH
Best Junior Umpire	Not presented this year
Most improve Jnr. Umpire	Sarah Boyd NT

COACHING AWARDS: (Presented at Grand final)

Jnr. Coach of Year	Natalie Lukacevic STI
Snr. Coach of Year	Mick Flarey BER



REPRESENTATIVE PLAYER

Julie Champion Award	Not presented this year
SA Team of Season	Not presented this year

All Stars:(presented at Grand final)

Coach's award	Katheen Campbell
Most Improved	Emily Herbert
Best and Fairest	Melissa Lane
Volunteers:	Coach: Deb Frost Manager: Janet Heberden

RETIRING:

Many thanks to the following who are retiring and have assisted KNA in their roles:

Rep Liaison Officer: Angela Walker

Executive: Don Tritton

Executive: Nicole Sykes

3. Previous Minutes

Copies of Minutes attached at the end of this AGM package

3.1 Minutes of Annual General Meeting held on 26th November 2019

3.2 Minutes of Special General Meeting held on 16th June 2020

4. Business Arising

5. Consideration and Adoption of the Annual Report and Audited Balance Sheet

6. Reports

6.1 President's Report:

With our year in disarray in 2020 due to Covid19 life as we know it has been very interesting year to say the least and I commend each and every member of KNA and their families for their understanding and consideration of the restraints we have had to work around to ensure our season took place. KNA wish to thank Netball NSW for their guidance during this difficult time.

We were fortunate to commence our year, although late, after lengthy discussions within our community. All of our Executive, Office Bearers, Administrators and Officials worked incredibly hard together with our Club Presidents and Officials to ensure we could take the court. I commend each and every one for making it happen. Our Grounds staff were pushed to the limit, as was the Executive and Club Presidents and members and we couldn't have done this without a full team effort. The amount of hours and modifications involved in this season have been incredible from all aspects and many of the roles within our committees adjusted to enable things to work. It has been a big job to say the least.



KNA employed a COVID-19 team, headed by Kathryn Williams, ably assisted by Shauna Winchester and team, to ensure we were compliant at all times. Many adjustments had to be made, with limited onsite numbers which our families supported with understanding and consideration for the circumstances we had to work under.. Parking, designated access and kiss and drop and pickup areas proved a success and were very welcome.

This process was very difficult for everyone but we got there with full approval of the Dept of Health and NNSW.

Thankyou everyone - You worked hard and were just amazing! It was wonderful seeing so many smiling faces and our reward was Netball so well done!

Sponsors:

KNA were very fortunate to retain our sponsors and we thank each and every one of you for all your support. Under such difficult times your support was outstanding.

Reps:

Our season started and finished as quick as it happened. Our Junior Representative Program was abandoned but we were fortunate to have our Metro and Premier league competitions take place although modified. All our teams have done us proud and performed outstandingly. Well done KNA and NSU!

Umpires:

Thank you for your assistance under a difficult year and we commend you for your ability to adjust as appropriate to work through our season. Our club Umpire Convenors were fantastic in assisting this process.

Competition and Grounds committees:

This year has been extremely difficult with many adjustments having to be made and we thankyou all for your huge hours and modifications to enable our competition to commence Well done to you all

Award:

As many of you would have seen KNA was nominated as a recipient of the NSW Volunteer of the Year award. This was very welcome and awarded to you all as you made it happen.

WELL DONE EVERYONE. AN AMAZING TEAM EFFORT.

BE VERY PROUD OF WHAT YOU HAVE ACHIEVED.

Jo-Anne Perry
KNA President

6.2 Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's report and fees schedule will be distributed separately upon receipt of Audit and NNSW Fees.

Ian Eldershaw
KNA Treasurer

6.3 Gala Day Report:

There were no Gala Days this year.



6.4 KNA All Stars – All Abilities Report:

Wow what a season KNA AllStars have had! Despite the uncertainty of COVID, the 2020 netball season has been a great success. We are truly grateful to the KNA Executive Committee and the newly formed COVID Committee led by our favourite ringer of bells, Kat Williams and Shauna Winchester for their immense work in getting the season up and running. THANK YOU!!!!

The AllStars players adjusted quickly to the new safety rules of 'Come Play Leave' and 'no hugs or high fives' making do with fun chats in the kiss and drop zone and lots of high elbows instead.

A big focus for this year was not stepping with the ball and finding space in attack. Everyone definitely improved in these areas with only a few hop, skip and jumps to be seen most weeks.

A huge thank you also to our amazing volunteer coaches and manager. This year we had the help of 10 coaches! KNA AllStars program simply could not run without their dedication, enthusiasm and encouragement every week.

The KNA AllStars were once again involved in the mainstream competition playing in the Opens C1 division. The players are so excited to have this opportunity and their skills certainly improve as a result. Thank you to the teams and Associations in the C1 division for embracing the spirit of playing against the AllStars with such generous spirit.

Our trophy winners for 2020 were:

Most Improved – Emily Herbert (Ability not only to pass the ball incredibly hard and far but also to receive and catch these pass types as well)

Coach's Award – Kathleen Campbell (Consistently smiling, encouraging team mates and working hard to improve)

Best and Fairest – Melissa Lane (Fantastic humour, empathy, dedication and a great team player)

Deb Frost

KNA Allstars Co-Ordinator

6.5 Appointment Panel Report:

The following appointments were made in 2020 and 2021 for ratification:

Jnr 2020 - State and Dev Teams

Team	Coach / Asst	Manager
12SA	Tracey Taylor	
	Isabel Johansson	Cathy Davies
12DEV	Gaby Fischer	Beth Stewart
13SA	Erin McArthur	
	Alice Taylor	Lisa Dean
13DEV	Ken Eberbach	Leisa Williams
14SA	Peter Havrlant	
	Georgia Dean	Jen Maneschi
14DEV	Leisel Millard	Sally Magee
15SA	Maddi Shume	
	Lisa Duncan	Debbie Johnson
15DEV	Rod Selvage	Vanessa Spanswick

Jnr 2021 - State and Dev Teams

Team	Coach / Asst	Manager
12SA	Erin McArthur	
	Alice Taylor	
12DEV		
13SA	Tracey Taylor	
	Liesel Millard	
13DEV		
14SA	Issy Jacobson	
	Ella Johnson	
14DEV	Ken Eberbach	
15SA	Peter Havrlant	Jen Maneschi
15DEV	Rod Selvage	



Snr 2020 - NNSW Metro Teams

Team	Coach	Manager
1	Stuart Moore	Kathy Staggs
2	Kathryn Williams	Susie Fletcher
3	Cherie Bird	Chemane Huon

Snr 2021 - NNSW Metro Teams

Team	Coach	Manager
1	Stuart Moore	
1	Stewart Philpott	
2		
3		

NNSW Summer Series 2020

Team	Coach	Manager
Opens	Stuart Moore	Kathy Staggs
	Caitlin McCaffrey	
U17	Jeanne Selvage	Leanne Johnson
	Erin McArthur	
U15	Lisa Duncan	Deb Johnson
	Maddi Hallum	

NNSW Summer Series 2021

Team	Coach	Manager

Keri Sheraton
Chair, Appointments Panel

6.6 Club Coaching Report:

We were fortunate to be able to run a couple of our planned coaching clinics this year prior to COVID restrictions.

At the beginning of the season our beginner coaches were once again given the opportunity to attend a Beginner Coaching Clinic with Lisa Duncan, KNA representative Coach and NSU Assistant coach, which proved extremely popular. This session focused on planning a training session and a demonstration of different drills used in each component of a training session. Over 50 club coaches attended this session. A big thank you to Lisa for presenting this clinic and a big thank you to members of the Under 12 representative squad for demonstrating on the day.

In early March KNA conducted a 3 week 11-year-old skills clinic under the guidance of 11-Year-old representative squad coaches Lee Field and Gary Cornelius. This program gave an opportunity to approximately 60 players to develop their netball skills prior to the season commencement. In addition, this gave the opportunity for approximately 8 club coaches to work under the guidance of Lee and Gary and develop their skills in coaching.

A second under 11-year-old skills clinic was held for 6 weeks later in the year for approximately 30 players. Again thanks to Lee Field and Gary Cornelius for running these clinics.

While not all clinics planned were able to go ahead, KNA hosted three North Shore United Clinics. Our 'Netball Ready for 2020' clinic in early March was hampered by rain and then in July holidays we ran 2 successful clinics for 7-10 year olds and a 10-15 year old specialist clinic. Thank you to Larissa Daniel for helping to organise these clinics.

KNA were also able to provide a 'back a training' video and coaching plan example for training under the ever changing Covid rules which assisted in providing some practical guidance on conducting a netball training session under COVID restrictions.

I would like to thank all of the club coaches this year for their adaptability and their approach to getting the players prepared and on court during a challenging season for all.



Congratulations to our Coach of the Year award winners

Senior Coach of the Year – Mick Flarey - Berowra
Junior Coach of the Year – Natalie Lukacevic – St Ives

Personally, I would also like to thank all of the club coaching convenors for their support over the past couple of years as KNA Cub Coaching convenor and wish the very best to the new convenor(s) for 2021.

Louise Woods
KNA Club Coaching Convenor

6.7 COVID-19 Report:

This year we had to pivot quickly to enable our members to play netball. Looking back, I cannot recall the beginning of the season, it is a blur.

There were many zoom meetings, email and information exchanges and accelerated learning of COVID-19 and how to read Government press releases. The COVID team were driven to be successful, with no fines, no cease play orders and no rained out days.

KNA COVID Coordinator Kat Williams and COVID Assistant Shauna Winchester prepared a COVID Safety Plan covering 2 locations. Each Club were required to design and provide for review a COVID Safety Plan for every location they would be training their teams. For some clubs 3 plans were produced. Each Club appointed a COVID Coordinator to liaise with the KNA COVID Coordinator and attended physical training and completed online Infection Control training. All members of the KNA Executive and their committee members also completed the online training.

During the season, KNA had visits from Council, Police, Netball NSW and the NSW Department of Health. KNA received feedback from the Department of health to increase the Kiss and Drop areas. No other feedback was received. KNA was complimented on its many hand sanitiser locations, signs, entry and egress points and the COVID contact tracing methods used such as the spectator sheet and the COVID Register.

During the season the COVID safety plan was amended twice to accommodate the updated Public Health Orders.

Shauna Winchester was unable to complete the season and Brent Artindale was trained and is currently supervising Spring Comp.

Over the course of the season, there were a few spectators who did not wish to comply with the COVID Safety Plan, they were outnumbered by the number of fantastic individuals who were thankful to be playing or watching or umpiring netball.

Attached is an overview of the analysis COVID completed after every Saturday, we have only included day 1 and end of year summary.

Thanks to everyone who helped.

Kathryn Williams
COVID-19 Co-Ordinator



THURSDAY 9 YEAR OLD'S

WHAT WORKED	DAY 1 REVIEW	REVIEW WITH COMMENTS/REVIEW WITH SUGGESTIONS AND ACTIONS
Division of long driveway to complex	Needs better signage	Adopt Saturday set up it worked well
Welcome announcement	Clear precise message	Use handheld microphones
Leave message	Clear precise message	Worked well
Score sheets on court	Continue	Worked well
Bubblers taped off		Needed re-checking each day of competition due to vandalism
AROUND THE GROUNDS		
Teams arrived 45 – 30 mins before 5pm timeslot	Communicate to clubs Early arrivals for the 5pm timeslot can be on courts 5-8 only	Improved
Teams arrived 30 mins before 6pm timeslot	Communicate to clubs Early arrivals need to wait in car/waiting areas	Improved
Come to court message at 5.50	Need a warning bell/sound	Ringing bell worked
Teams did not leave – some did best on court voting	Communicate to clubs Clear precise warning message at 3 rd quarter and again after game	Improved
Tennis nets still up	Communicate to council	No tennis nets – thanks DON
Hand sanitisers too high	Need to review location and position of hand sanitisers	Improved thanks Tina
Exit from courts 22 – 25 was very dark	Have light on courts 20-21 to assist	Lights on early – thanks Marinda
Umpires shelter in the dark	Move umpires shelter to physio shelter on Thursdays only	Worked better
Extra spectators	Communicate to clubs	Still needs to be monitored
Parents with siblings on scooters	Communicate to clubs put up warning signs	improved
Exit down path at court 4 not lit very dark	Flashing lights or disband the idea and find alternative	Light on pathway – great – still needs lighting in car park at conclusion of last timeslot it was very dark
COMPLEX		
Social distancing	Clear precise message	Improved
Lights for safety around complex	Have lights on from 5pm	Lights on early
CAR PARK		
Car parking	Needs car park attendants in high vis	Some improvement will need to continue
Waiting area not lit, very dark, not signposted	Flashing lights or disband the idea and find alternative	Needs improvement too dark for the kids
ADMINISTRATION/OPERATIONS		
Score sheet bin	boxes need to be on Stands visually higher - like newsletter cages and better locations	Score sheets on court worked



CANOON RD SATURDAY

WHAT WORKED	REVIEW AFTER DAY 1	END OF YEAR REVIEW
Kiss and drop	provide bollards upper Carpark and U shape walk Zone for movement across back end from courts to/from pickup zone and holding area	Worked well. However eat up resource and took a long time to set up – grounds and COVID needing to arrive at 6am to ensure all setup was completed before 7.30 am Club signs worked well
Holding area included in kiss and drop area	Clubs to provide teardrops for club holding area. If no tear drops clubs to provide signage. No tents allowed	
Top car park	For people from 8 am to 2pm only and possibly allow 9am --2 as well	This was not adhered to and continued to be problematic throughout the season.
Score sheets on court	Continue	Thanks to the umpires who assisted
Spectator sheets	Confusion and with rotating managers for some teams, lack of understanding on the task required	Did improve if COVID Safety plan in place 2021 need to rethink
Leave message	Clear precise message	Worked well. a few team dawdled and the time to clear courts, clean toilets and post pads and then call to courts was 'tight' !
Inside Toilets	Cleaned after every timeslot	excellent
Club Register	Our Contact tracing was given tick by Dept of Health	It was very labour intensive
Umpires shelter	Could use this as waiting area for people doing consecutive timeslots so they don't get multiple questioning	Waiting area for people who have back to back timeslots was ok –
Division of long driveway to complex	Needs better signage	Saturdays set up was fantastic
Teams arrived 45 – 30 mins before every timeslot TO 'WARM UP'	Communicate to clubs	Still needs monitoring – however it improved as season continued
Collecting score sheets	Drop and pick up at same time	Worked well
Tennis nets left set up	Communicate to council	Achieved – thanks
Council cleaner arrived 8.30	Communicate to council needs to happen by 7.15	Nearly every week we had issues with broken bottles on courts and council appointed a regular crew for clean up
Extra spectators	Communicate to club	Monitoring needed to continue
Council set up tennis BEFORE last game concluded	Talk to council	Achieved – thanks
Insufficient number of caps for tennis courts	Talk to council	Achieved – thanks
Social distancing	Clear precise message	PA announcements continued and walk abouts reminding people
Collections point 1	Review foot traffic plan	Worked well
Hand sanitisers	Need to review location and position of hand sanitisers	Improved
People walking wrong way	Use council provided bollards	Worked well
Division of long driveway to complex	Needs better signage	Worked well
Score sheet bin	boxes need to be on Stands visually higher - like newsletter cages and better locations	Score sheets left on court to continue
Monitors	Volunteers must wear vest visual	Worked well
People walking wrong way	Rope off up down sectors across every/exit points on changeover to ensure no entry etc and have monitor per exit point if possible, exit	Improved needed monitoring



Car park Entry	signage didn't work even when saturated. parking parallel only left hand entry point.	No parking was allowed for rest of season and made entry/exit easier however affected number of parking spots available
Bubblers taped off	Need to tape of all bubblers	Needed re-checking each day of competition due to vandalism
Locals and tennis players on our footprint	should we ask Council to communicate with local residents in Sth Turra (not just Canoon & surrounding rds), if they plan to walk thru the courts on a Saturday that they will need to provide their details at the complex for Covid tracing.	I personally turned away people who were a) wanting to play tennis and 2) just looking
COMPLEX		
Too many people in complex	3 only at any 1 time – only 1 window open	Opened 2nd window and constantly monitored the 3 people rule
Cash handling	NO CASH HANDLING	If COVID safety plan is in place in 2021 – NO CASH should be communicated
Too many people in middle room	No more than 1 person in middle room	No one in middle room
CAR PARK		
Car parking	Move all day parking to top car park	This was done for safety reasons
Banked traffic	Speak to? to get traffic lights phased to new game times	IF COVID safety plan is in 2021 remember to get traffic lights phased to game times
No masks	Must wear a mask	Love you all wore masks – thanks – noticed the Health rep did not wear a mask.....
Come to court message	Need a warning bell/sound	Bell worked
Vehicle traffic	Need a roped off section at the end of the upper car park (old side of court 13) to allow players leaving to get to Collection Point 2 from the court 9 exit. 1 of the 3 people from each club should be on duty (can rotate), effectively Grounds Duty OR a 4th body needs to be in the carpark.	This worked really well
ADMINISTRATION/OPERATIONS		
Some teams still signed onto score sheet	Repeat message to clubs	Improved
Some teams did not include spectator registration in envelope	Write on envelope what is it go in it	Improved
Collecting score sheets	Drop and pick up at same time	Worked well – thanks to umpires
No scores on front of envelope	mgrs. to put scores on outside of envelope so as not to Open	Improved



LOFBERG RD SATURDAY

WHAT WORKED	SOLUTION/IMPROVEMENTS	COMMENTS/REVIEW
Set Up	SW to put together COVID set up plan with photos of how it was set up so it can be replicated by whomever is there Will need to purchase more materials in couple of weeks' times (e.g. gaffe tape) Had a lot of people which help initial set up. Now that there is a plan, should be more straight forward. Would like the team on set up to be there from 7am	COVID worked well NSG set up team did not turn up until 7.30AM. Meant we were late setting up. Not all COVID (some signs) were completed in time for start.
Bubblers taped off	Do need a not in use sign	
Spectator viewing areas - great feedback from everyone	Think court 4 is too crowded on spectator viewing area however	Reminded re social distancing
Cable ties of signs	Buy more	
People turning up earlier than asked for Entering area before allowed Lofberg has multiple places you can walk into from e.g. walking through the bush and not on the paths. Not enough people at last two timeslots to marshal both entries and control exit of previous timeslot	Would like to rope off complete section so that everyone walks around and not through the area. Keep following timeslot out before the current one leaves More no entry signage Sign that asks next timeslot to wait until instructed at entry points Marshal arrivals at both entrances. Sign for "next timeslot" on fence (waiting area) - adjust map + rope of spectator viewing area to waiting bay Need to have another official there for both cadet timeslots	Worked well. Most abided by rope and signs. Directed other foot traffic around the area (members of the public) Waiting area worked well (need tweaking to avoid congregating too much) Managing both entries and exiting players from 1.00PM to end with one person is not ideal and doesn't help with keeping social distancing. Would believe we would fail this if NSW saw.
some Not following entry/exit. Enter through exit, exit through entry Arrows not followed	Use cafe bollard to divide driveway. Open up gate to allow for more free flow exit/entry. Rope of entrance section until allowed in Better signs No entry sign x 2 Brighter tape to place on floor for arrows	Better. Gate open made HUGE difference.



Extra spectators - kids, (MULTIPLE!!), double parents, + grandparents	Communicate to clubs Reinforce to managers (did try this on the day too)	Less "extras". Made point of speaking to the "extras" individually if saw them together. Mentioned to managers re grandparents (only saw 2 groups)
Not social distancing People congregating as they leave, in places on the courts on the spectator areas	1.5 m social distancing signs/spots Come play leave signs	Spots were great. Help from official in last two timeslots will aid in ensuring this happens. Recommendation: to roster official on to be there from 1.30PM to 3.15PM to assist with changeover.
People not exiting at right area	More signs? Rope off.	Much better
COVID timing last two timeslots	Need to roster Cadet team on court 1 on for timing (½ each?) COVID required to be supervising other things not okay to be doing both Asked for team's assistance but did not get any volunteers and told that they couldn't possibly help...	Much better
Congregating of people at shelter/in space between court 1 and shelter	Reduce people around, sign no entry. Move scoresheets to courts for next game (reduce people interacting/grouping) Map that says no standing area - coaches and teams and manager to be on other side of court near court 2	Better. Monitored more
Exiting timeslot moving into waiting area and mingling with others for next timeslot (no social distancing)	Move people on straight away, direct to exit path and ask that they crossroad, not walk down that area. Rope off.	Monitored more
Teams not leaving straight away	Was okay when we had more officials and people to help earlier in day but with 1 person for cadets was marshallng, making sure people exited correctly, and trying to talk to all of the teams + sanitise post pads....was difficult	No improvement on last two timeslot change over Recommendation: to roster official on to be there from 1.30PM to 3.15PM to assist with changeover.
Pack Up BUT it was done by one person - Took whole of last timeslot	Roster on someone? /extra official	Packed up in last timeslot - Rostered Cad team helped at end

ADMINISTRATION/OPERATIONS



Signing/use of pens by multiple people	Communicate to clubs and managers	Noticed some still doing this however improved.
Confusion around spectator number	communicate 1 spectator per player rule + team officials	Noticed some still doing this however improved
Not everyone entering the area was recorded on score sheet due to more spectators turning up than should	Communicate to clubs. reinforce that these are the rules by government - will not have netball if we don't abide by 1 spectator per person	Not as much but some still. Extra children, with two parents...
Not sanitizing bibs before swapping	Communicate to clubs Reinforce to managers	NNSW Advice changed rule



6.8 Fixtures Report:

This year for both winter and spring competitions we had shortened seasons due to the Covid19 pandemic. Winter season went from a normal 14-week season + 3-week finals series to 11 weeks, including a 'finals' game between 1st and 2nd team on the ladder. This did unfortunately create an uneven number of rounds and bye games where applicable leading to an unbalanced competition.

Our focus however throughout the season was having as many games as this pandemic allowed and enjoying those games. Mostly members were satisfied with this. Where possible we tried to have all teams play as many games as possible. This included some games between grades for those grades that had only 7 teams in them (and therefore a bye grade).

For the first time we had our 9s division playing on a Thursday evening under the newly installed lights. The removal of this grade from the Saturday and shorter game times allowed enough time between games for courts to be cleared of players and cleaned before the next timeslot arrived. We also moved 2 grades of Cadets (5&6) to afternoon time slots at Lofberg courts.

For Spring competition we were required to meet the same Covid19 restrictions so again had a shortened season of only 8 rounds (as opposed to the normal 10), shorter game times and longer breaks between games for clearing of teams and cleaning. Due to the high number of teams that enrolled for Spring Competition, we moved the Inters competition back to Canoon courts.

Katie Bonjer
KNA Fixtures Convenor

6.9 Grading Report:

Winter Competition:

Prior to Covid restrictions (March 2020) 313 teams registered to compete from Net Set Go through to Seniors.

- Senior teams: 68
- Junior teams: 174 (10 years – Cadets)
- Net Set Go: 71 (6-9 years)

From July team numbers decreased as follows:

- Seniors: 60
- Junior Teams: 169 - (10 years – Cadets)
- Net Set Go: 65 - (6-9 Years)

Total teams for Winter Comp: 294

The 9-year R/R & regrading did not occur this season due to Covid and we graded this division based on Club recommendations.

Spring Competition:

The Spring Competition started later this year (week beginning 12th October) and only running for 8 weeks, with 153 teams competing from 9/10 years through to Ladies Comp and Senior Mixed. Team numbers are way up on 2019 figures.

Ladies Comp – 48 teams, Senior Mixed Comp – 24 teams, Cadet Mixed – 15 teams, Inters/Mixed – 16 teams, 11/12 Years – 18 teams and 9/10 Years – 32 teams.

Once again, the Spring Competition was extremely difficult to grade due to teams stating they could only play at a certain time and night rather than where they should be graded. Due to Covid restrictions, only 3 timeslots and 4 courts at Lofberg, we needed to ballot out several Senior Mixed teams as too many registered. Some clubs were not happy with this; however, this was out of our control.



As STI did not participate in this Competition, many players registered with other clubs. During paper grading numerous clubs did not include any information on these players making our job very hard, even though instructions on what information to include, numbering teams etc was given to clubs several times.

With so many teams registering in 9/10 years, requiring 4 grades, we needed to move 11/12 years to 6pm Wednesday timeslot different to the one published.

Inters/Mixed numbers were also up on last year's and they needed to move to Canoon with more courts available. No time change for this division.

Cadets required 2 grades & another timeslot to the one originally published.

Last year we trialed a rotating timeslot in the Ladies Competition (grades 2, 4, 5 & 6) & from feedback received this worked well.

It is our recommendation for the Spring 2021 competition to not publish game times for the Ladies Divisions & Senior Mixed as teams should be graded on ability, not on when they can or can't play.

Special thanks to the wonderful 2020 Committee: Larissa Daniels, Belinda Kelly, Jen Maneschi, Jill Martin and Fiona Rondeau.

I would also like to thank Tanya Sinclair, Katie Bonjer, Tatjana Domazet, Ros Roots, Brenda Williams and Jo-Anne Perry for their continued support during the season.

Kissane Gray
KNA Grading Convenor

6.10 Ground's Report:

The Covid-19 regulations made 2020 a different year for the Grounds Committee. Special thanks go to the members of the Grounds Committee who endured extra work and stress to deal with the new requirements. Special thanks must also go to the West Pymble Netball Club who provided additional volunteers to help us function on a Saturday.

Equipment-wise, the only purchases during 2020 were to supply barriers and safety cones to support the Covid-19 requirements.

Of course, the most significant change in the grounds this year was the lights, which were used for training and competition for the first time. Along with this, we were able to upgrade the PA system. Both of these were a long time coming and have received a positive reaction.

Other work included:

- The external toilets received a much-needed upgrade, with Ku-ring-gai Council organising the renovations during the off-season at the start of the year.
- Two new permanent shelters have been installed – one for the physio area, and one beside courts 5 & 8.
- Ku-ring-gai Council installed poles in the car park and provided portable flood lights for use with the Thursday night competition.

Thanks again to everyone who helped during 2020.

David Funk
Grounds Convenor



6.11 Member Protection Report:

Consistent with Netball NSW's Member Protection Policy, the KNA is committed to ensuring that the safety and welfare of children is paramount.

Working with Children Checks and Member Protection Declarations

While there is an exemption to the Working with Children Check (**WWCC**) requirement for parents or close relatives who coach or manage a team, the KNA now requests that all club coaches, managers and other relevant officials supply a **WWCC** to their club secretary. However, where parents or close relatives share supervision duties (i.e., for team training) on a rotation basis, the KNA requests that only the appointed team manager supply a WWCC and a Member Protection Declaration (see below) to their club secretary, provided that such parents or other close relatives responsible for supervision of team training do not have regular unsupervised contact with people under the age of 18 years. All KNA coaches, managers and other relevant officials must also supply a WWCC to the KNA secretary at knasec@kna.com.au. WWCCs can be requested via the Office of Children's Guardian website at: <http://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/child-safe-organisations/working-with-children-check>. WWCCs expire after five years.

On receipt of WWCCs from club coaches, managers and other relevant officials, each club must verify volunteers' WWCC numbers through the Office of the Children's Guardian system. Verification should be completed for all volunteers (even if a WWCC number was obtained in a previous year and remains valid). Verification creates a link between the volunteer with a WWCC, the club and the Office of the Children's Guardian's continuous monitoring system. This allows the club to be notified if a volunteer becomes barred in the future. Each club itself needs also to be registered with the Office of the Children's Guardian (a process that involves the nomination of two senior people at the club who will be notified in the event that a volunteer becomes barred). A link to the relevant section of the Office of the Children's Guardian's website is included here: <https://www.kidsguardian.nsw.gov.au/child-safe-organisations/working-with-children-check/employer/help-to-register-and-verify>

In addition, all club coaches, managers and relevant officials (i.e., those who have regular unsupervised contact with people under the age of 18 years) should supply a **Member Protection Declaration** (in the form of Attachment A2 to Attachment A to Netball NSW's Member Protection Policy available at: https://nsw.netball.com.au/sites/nsw/files/2020-01/13.%20NNSW%20MPP-%20Attachment%20A%20-%20Employment%20Screening%20and%20WWCC%20Requirements_%20Jan2019.pdf) to their club. All KNA coaches, managers and relevant officials should supply the Member Protection Declaration to the KNA. Please note that persons signing the Member Protection Declaration must show the relevant club or KNA official proof of ID. A Member Protection Declaration should be provided annually, irrespective of whether the volunteer holds a WWCC.

Any umpire over the age of 18 years who has regular unsupervised contact with people under the age of 18 years should supply (i) a WWCC and (ii) a Member Protection Declaration to their club secretary (or to the KNA, if serving as part of the KNA umpires committee). In the context of NSG, where one parent or other close relative is designated to umpire for the season, notwithstanding regulatory exceptions, the KNA recommends that this parent or other close relative supply (i) a WWCC and (ii) a Member Protection Declaration to their club secretary. Where parents or close relatives share umpiring duties on a rotation basis, the KNA would not request that a WWCC or Member Protection Declaration be supplied, provided that such parents or other close relatives sharing umpiring duties on a rotation basis do not have regular unsupervised contact with people under the age of 18 years.

For the 2021 season, WWCCs must be verified and Member Protection Declarations must be collected prior to the first day of play.

Photography and filming

During the COVID-19 affected 2020 season, the KNA affirmed its protocol in relation to photography and filming. In view of the reduced spectator numbers at netball games and activities due to COVID-19 safety requirements,



KNA does not take lightly concerns about photography and filming. All participants (including team officials, parents/guardians and other spectators) at any netball games or activities administered by the KNA or its member clubs are bound by Netball NSW's Member Protection Policy and Netball NSW's Photography Policy. Netball NSW's Member Protection Policy provides emphatically that the safety and welfare of children is paramount above all other considerations. Photography of children in public spaces is prohibited by law in certain circumstances.

In view of relevant restrictions, no photography or filming of any netball games or activities administered by the KNA should be undertaken without prior permission. Any person(s) seeking to take photographs or film must seek permission from the opposition team's manager. If permission is not provided, photography must not occur and any filming must cease.

Laura Sheridan
Member Protection Officer

6.12 NetSetGo! Report:

This year has certainly been challenging for everyone. For NetSetGo! both our excited and reluctant players missed their opportunity to practice what they learned at training in our normal Orientation Day format and were forced to face the first whistles on Day one. So, understandably, their game play took a little longer to establish. Congratulations to the Coaches for bringing the standard of play so far in such a short season.

Then there were the umpires – many of whom hadn't even watched a game of netball let alone played or umpired before. They were initially nervous and unsure for the first few weeks of the season and they are to be commended for continuing to practice their newfound skills. All it took was to know a little more than the players and maintain their confidence.

This year's team managers have certainly had their work cut out for them, with all the additional paperwork and tasks that were required for a Covid compliant season. Included in the additional duties was recording and reminding everyone about the expectations of spectator numbers.

In any other season, taking your kids to and watching them play their first season of sport has been a whole family affair, so this year has been really hard for families, particularly of Netsetgo players. On behalf of the families of Lofberg players, which included cadets 5 & 6 this year, I'd like to acknowledge the facilitation of KNA and the Covid team for enabling every player to have a parent at every game every week.

It was hard at times, but thanks to a tremendous effort from all involved, we somehow managed to pull it off. Well done everyone and thank you!

Michelle Rae
NetSetGo Skills Coordinator

6.13 Night Competition Report:

Planning for and organisation of this year's KNA Spring Competition was more challenging than in the previous years, mostly due to many uncertainties around pandemic and its impact on the competition as well as physical limitations of the Lofberg complex (number of courts) and floodlighting restrictions. With a great assistance of the Spring Competition Committee and support from the Executive and COVID Safe Committees, this year's

competition started on Monday, 12 October and will run for 8 weeks.

This year's competition attracted a higher number of teams than last year (from 110 to 153) across all divisions. This increase in numbers could be partially explained by the lack of spring/twilight netball competitions being offered to netball players in surrounding areas.



Due to significant increase in registrations, this year's Junior competition, with 50 teams, is ran over two timeslots at Canoon Road Complex under the capable leadership of Tina Tritton (KP) and her many helpers from KP and NT. Due to an increase in registrations, our Inters competition had to be moved to Canoon on Tuesday nights with the help of Sally Parker (NT) whilst our Cadets are playing over two timeslots on Tuesday night at Lofberg complex with a special thanks to Madi Unicomb (WP). Ladies competition (divisions 2- 7) is held on Monday and Wednesday nights and has been running smoothly with the help of Sam Cook (WAH).

COVID19 Safety requirements for the Spring Competition have been managed by the COVID19 Committee, under the guidance of Kat Williams and her team. A huge thank you to all volunteers that help make this competition safe for all participant. Also, this year's competition saw a re-introduction of an umpiring night supervisor at Lofberg complex, which has contributed to the smoother running of the competition.

I would like to give special thanks to the following people that helped me organize this year's competition and who were generous with their time and advice.

- Spring Comp Registrar – Tanya Sinclair
- Grading Convenor – Kissane Grey
- Fixtures Convenor – Katie Bonjer
- COVID Safety Officer – Kat Williams and Brent Artindale
- Secretary – Helen Pratt
- Grounds Convenor – David Funk
- KNA KMC Liaison/Court bookings – Marinda Taha

Some of the issues experienced to date with the 2020 Spring Competition were:

- Significant increase in team numbers that resulted in changes to the time and/or location of the competition. Inters competition was relocated to Canoon on Tuesday and we had to introduce 2nd timeslot for Juniors at Canoon and 2nd timeslot for Cadets at Lofberg. An increased number of timeslots and locations resulted in need for additional competition and COVID Safety supervision.
- Due to increase in registrations and Lofberg complex limitations, we were unable to accommodate 4 teams in the Senior Mixed Competition and have asked them to withdraw.
- Floodlighting was not programmed correctly by Council at Lofberg complex during week 1 that resulted in games not being played in full during the last timeslot. These issues were rectified by week 2.
- Management of spectators during the first timeslot and change over traffic of Junior Comp at Canoon Road Complex in first week was problematic, however, these issues were resolved by week 2.

Recommendation for 2020 Spring Competition

- Continue with the umpiring supervisors for Lofberg competition.
- Continue with the use of QR Code to submit game scores.
- Continue to seek nomination from top 5 clubs to manage nightly competition.

Tatjana Domazet
Spring Competition Convenor

6.14 North Shore United Report:

The season commenced although modified with great success to both our teams coming in second in their pool. The Opens have reached the Grand Final at time of publication. The U23 lost their semi but have had an amazing season coming from a difficult 2019 to being a very serious contender this year. Our congratulations to both our teams and their coaching staff - Head Coaches Bec Bulley and Colleen Mitchell ably assisted by Lisa Duncan, and managers Robyn Bramwell and Jo-Anne Perry. Our participation in this program has been very successful with the participation of KNA members who have achieved great results in Academies and State teams.

Incredibly under very difficult circumstances we must commend our Coaching teams in ensuring the motivation and development of all our players prior to commencement of the season.



Our congratulations go to the following girls on their achievements this year:-

2020 U17 National Squad: Millie Roach KNA, Erin O'Brien and Jaimee Podmore.
 2020 U17 State team KNAs Millie Roach and Ella Johnson, together with Erin O'Brien and Jaimee Podmore.
 2020 Sydney Netball Academy, Frank Gumm KNA, Hanna Thonell KNA, Mia Johnson KNA, Whitney Mueller NSNA, Jessica Boatwright KNA,
 Emerging Talent Squad: Mia Johnson KNA, Lucy Mathews NSNA.

As associations KNA and NSNA are very committed to developing our players and commend the loyalty and dedication of both teams and our coaches in supporting the development of our players and our Metro 1 teams. This year head coach Bec Bulley registered and played for KNA to assist so the pathway coming through would continue to blossom.

We have an amazing club culture of dedicated players, improvement has been amazing in hard times through COVID-19 and our goal of achieving team loyalty has been just amazing from Coaches through to our training partners in ensuring the growth our players in each Association.

NSU Team Lists for 2020			
U23's		Opens	
Head Coach: Colleen Mitchell		Head Coach: Bec Bulley	
Assistant Coach: Megan Anderson Manager: Jo-Anne Perry		Assistant Coach: Lisa Duncan Manager: Robyn Bramwell	
Ella Daniel	KNA	Millie Basheer	NSNA
Ashleigh Edward	NSNA	Elle Bennetts	Swifts TP
Sally Guthrie	KNA	Eliza Burton	KNA
Ella Johnson	KNA	Jordyn Chue	KNA
Claudia Lenehan	NSNA	Sarah Corfield	KNA
Chelsea Loughrey	KNA	Ash Fong	KNA
Lucy Mathews	NSNA	Sabina Gmbosa	NNA
Erin O'Brien	NSNA	Matisse Leatherbarrow	Giants TP/Team
Jaimee Podmore	NSNA	Maddie McCathie	NSNA
Millie Roach	KNA	Emily Moore	KNA
Annika Rudd	KNA	Emily Nesbitt	KNA
Hanna Victor	KNA	Charlotte Raileigh	NSNA
Training Partners			
Bianca Jom	NSNA	Laura Borkman	NSNA/KNA
Claudia Perry	NSNA	Millie Roach	KNA



Mia Johnson	KNA		
Whitney Mueller			
Ashlyn Mulroney	NSNA		

6.15 Marketing Report:

This has been a season like no other as COVID -19 impacted on every aspect of our Association. The fact that KNA has thus far weathered the storm is entirely due to the dedication and hard work of everyone involved.

Sponsorship – changes to contracts

Our KNA sponsorship contracts were signed in January and relevant invoices were then sent out, together with a calendar reflecting key promotional opportunities and newsletter deadlines in terms of sponsors. However, towards the end of March – by which time, nearly all of the sponsors had paid the amounts invoiced - it became apparent that the season might be shut down altogether and KNA would clearly not be able to ensure that the sponsors would receive the benefits promised in their contracts. After consultation with the KNA Treasurer and President, I was given the go-ahead to try to work out a way forward that would be fair to all parties concerned and would enable KNA to retain the financial support and loyalty of their valued sponsors. I then negotiated with each of the sponsors in turn and the plan that was eventually agreed upon, was that:

- All sponsorship contracts would be amended to run from July 01, 2020 until June 30, 2021 (as opposed to the original dates of January 01 -December 30, 2020)
- Activities such as Sponsor’s Day and Crazy Hair & Sock Day would then take place during the first half of 2021
- In addition to the three newsletters published in 2020, two further newsletters would be published during the first six months of the sponsorship period ending on June 30, 2021
- Promotional material that had already been emailed to our database would be count as being sent within the new sponsorship period
- New contracts would be negotiated on July 01, 2021.

Newsletters – changes to deadline and distribution dates

- The first 12- page newsletter was printed and emailed at the end of March,2020
- Dates were then changed to accommodate the revised calendar and the second newsletter (an 8-pager) was distributed on July 18, 2020
- A third newsletter (12 pages) was distributed at the end of August.

It wasn’t easy putting two publications with such tight deadlines together in such a short period of time, especially since there had been very little news to report on. I would like to thank everyone for rising to the occasion and sending in their news and photos so promptly. We are grateful to our advertisers and sponsors for their understanding and support and thanks also must go to Barbara Pope who assisted me with content/proofing during the year, David Funk and his Grounds Team for ensuring that the Sponsor’s banners were always in place and Helen Pratt for her endless patience, as well as Ruth for her great photographs and designer



Pete Robson for all his hard work.

Rhoda Fowler
Marketing Manager

6.16 Registrar Report – Seniors:

What a year! How lucky are we as an Association to have been able to get through the games?

The challenges we have been given and overcome have been remarkable. To the people that have run the 2020 Winter Competition and continued through to the Spring Competition, well done and I applaud you all.

Thank you for making my job easy.

KNA put in place 2 score sheets process for both teams to mark their games and players attendants. Supplied spectator forms to cover the Covid-19 requirements of noting who was present at the games that were not on the team list. Then asked you the members to register these actions again into a QCode system online.

For those not tech savvy it was a challenge, but I thank you all for taking this extra step to ensure we could get through this trying COVID-19 time. It worked so well it was brought over to the Spring Comp.

Whilst there were many members that withdraw from the Winter Comp due to the COVID-19 scare, it was comforting to know KNA had a fantastic system in place. This carried on through to the Spring Comp and numbers exceed expectations.

COVID-19 has not gone away so you will see these processes through into the 2021 seasons.

Have a wonderful safe Christmas everyone. I look forward to seeing you all again next year and look forward to a safer 2021.

Tanya Sinclair
Senior Registrar

6.17 Rep Liaison Officer's Report:

Like all thing's netball, 2020 was a very challenging year for both Junior and Senior Reps. Selections commenced in September 2019 and all squads were finalised. Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 not all State Titles teams could be finalised until after netball resumed in 2020.

Both Junior and Senior State Titles were moved from June and July out until the October long weekend. Both State Titles and Development teams continued to train until Netball NSW advised that the State Titles would no longer be going ahead in 2020. A very disappointing outcome for all the players, coaches and managers who had continued to work hard throughout 2020.

Metro League, although delayed, did get off the ground with a shortened competition of 10 weeks. KNA had 3 teams compete in Div 1, Div 3 and Div 6. All 3 teams had a very successful 10 week period and the players, coaches and managers should be congratulated for their professionalism in making sure KNA were represented in such a positive manner during a time that saw a lot of process change due to the Covid-19 safe plans.

Courcraft Night Inter-district and Summer Series Development League are currently underway in a shortened 7 week program. KNA have a team in Division 1 of Night Interdistrict, U17 Div 2 Development League, and the 15 year Development League.

The representative committee continue to look at ways of improving our program. This is an ongoing process, ~~and all facets of the representative program will be under the microscope as we work to improve the KNA rep~~



program. The Development of players in both the junior and senior level is critical to the future of our representative program. Our development teams in both junior and senior form an important part of our representative program each year, ensuring a strong program for the future.

Angela Walker
KNA Rep Liaison Officer

6.18 Rep Selection Convenor's Report -Seniors

The Senior Representative Program has enjoyed a very successful albeit disrupted year in 2020.

Firstly, we need to congratulate our 2019 Night Inter-district teams who represented Ku-Ring-Gai with pride at the end of 2019. Particular congratulations to our U17 Div. 2 Summer Series team who won the competition.

We had two teams prepared to contest the Senior State Titles moved to the October long weekend this year. Unfortunately, the titles were cancelled, however we would like to acknowledge the time and preparation by the 15's team, their coaches Lisa Duncan and Maddi Hallam, and manager Deb Johnson and wish the players all the best as they move into senior representative netball.

We had three Metro teams competing this year in Division 1, Division 3 and Division 6, and all teams performed exceptionally well this season. The season was shortened due to COVID which posed a range of challenges, however KNA as always, took to the courts with great sportsmanship, skill and teamwork.

Our Division 6 team had a fantastic year reaching the semi-finals. Playing for a position in the grand final, the Div. 6 semi-final game went into extra time. The team fought hard to win, however it was not to be. The following week the team played in an exceptional 3rd 4th playoff game finding themselves once again in extra time. This time the team came out winners and secured 3rd position in the competition. Under the guidance of their coach, Cherie Bird, they continued to improve across the season despite being plagued by injury and played with great skill and heart during the season.

It was always going to be a challenging year for our Division 3 team coming up from playing Division 4 the previous year. This team under the guidance of coach Kathryn Williams excelled during the year and also reached the semi-finals of the competition, a fantastic 2020 result for the team. Eventually finishing in 4th position this team played with pride and are to be commended on this fantastic result.

Our Division 1 team, coached by Stuart Moore, also moved up a grade from Division 2 last year. This team had a solid season coming in 6th on the ladder an exceptional result for this team in Div. 1. Congratulations to the players on this result.

We have a strong KNA contingent competing in the 7-week Court Craft Summer Series Competition this year, with 3 teams entered into the Div. 1, U17 Div2 and the U15 division. We wish all teams a fantastic summer series.

Each and every week it takes a large and dedicated team behind our KNA Senior Representative program.

Firstly, a big thank you to Lisa Duncan, who was the Senior Representative Selection Convenor for the majority of 2020. Lisa's dedication in getting our teams organised and on court as always has been fantastic. She has been instrumental in the development of senior representative netball at KNA and we cannot thank her enough for her contribution.

Thanks also must go to the selectors who have taken time to watch and observe the players and teams in their training, representative games and where possible club games.

A big thanks also to Ange Walker, our Rep Liaison Officer who is the heart and soul of the organisation of the teams. Thank you also to the team managers, the umpires, and the parents and carers who transport the players



to trainings and games. Thank you once again to Dave and his team for their work as Primary Carers at our metro league games.

Congratulations to the following players and officials who represented KNA with pride;

<p>2020 Metro League Div. 1</p> <p>Sasha Deffert Amber Hart Isabel Johansson Molly Rose McArthur Kaitlyn McCaffery Jess MacLennan-Pike Taela Marriott Liesel Millard</p> <p>Coach: Stuart Moore Manager: Kathy Staggs</p>	<p>2020 Metro League Div. 3</p> <p>Syrena Bayne Rachel Doherty Caitlin Fletcher Fran Gunn Lillian Huntley Anna Johansson Mia Johnson Nat Lukacevic Sasha Oaten Claudia Petrie Alice Taylor</p> <p>Coach: Kathryn Williams Manager: Susie Fletcher</p>	<p>2020 Metro League Div. 6</p> <p>Scarlett Brett Caitlin Blandford Hollie Cameron Charlotte Huon Niraaya Jayasinghe Lily Johnstone Georgia Lafford Charlotte Petrie Catie Stewart Grace Stump Kathryn Trehwella</p> <p>Coach: Cherie Bird Manager: Chemane Huon</p>
<p>2020 Court Craft Summer Series Div. 1</p> <p>Ella Daniel Caitlin Fletcher Amber Hart Lillian Huntley Molly Rose McArthur Sasha Deffert Tory Low Liesel Millard Jess MacLennan-Pike Sasha Oaten</p> <p>Coach: Stuart Moore Assistant Coach: Kaitlin McCaffery Manager: Kathy Staggs</p>	<p>2020 Court Craft Summer Series U17 Div. 2</p> <p>Scarlett Brett Layla Farook Olivia Hooper Niraaya Jayasinghe Lily Johnstone Georgia Lafford Giuliana Panozzo Georgia Spanswick Grace Stump Kathryn Trehwella</p> <p>Coach: Jeanne Selvage Assistant Coach: Erin McCarthur Manager: Leanne Johnstone</p>	<p>2020 Court Craft Summer Series U15</p> <p>Caitlin Blackburn Jessica Boatwright Emily Burns Breanna Harris Zoe Huxtable Samantha Janssen Mia Mackenzie Claudia Runge Hannah Thonell</p> <p>Coaches: Lisa Duncan and Maddi Hallam Manager: Deb Johnson</p>

6.19 Rep Selection Convenor's Report – Junior:

Whilst this year's State Championships didn't go ahead, our representative teams still put in a lot of time and effort preparing. As usual, trials and team selection went ahead, training started and then Covid-19 restrictions put everything on hold. Once training was allowed teams resumed on the belief that the championships would go ahead at a later date.

We have already started trials for next year and are hopeful that the 2021 championships will go ahead.

Stuart Moore
Junior Rep Selection Convenor



12 Years State Age	12 Years Development
Amy Daniel	Cayleigh Hartwig
Lara Hughes	Margot Bode
Sasha Kalinin	Annie Moyes
Amy McKessar	Annabel Peel
Jessie Procter	Jodie Mead
Noah Qualye	JoJo Ricketts
Adelaide Taylor	Annabelle Stewart
Amelia Thomas	Charlotte Tidemann
Harlow Wigley	Isla Webster
Georgia Wood	Amelia (Milly) Moore
	Mia Nemeth de Bikal
Head Coach – Tracey Taylor	Co-Coach – Gaby Fischer
Assistant Coach – Isabel Johansson	
Manager – Cathy Davies	Manager – Beth Stewart

13 Years State Age	13 Years Development
Sienna Brett	Ellie Seaglove
Audrey Draper	Emelie Coe
Ella Giffin	Madeleine Woods
Sarah Lovell	Mandy Williams
Louise Lovell	Kiera Yerbury
Alice Mackenzie	Gemma Solomon
Juliette Mouton	Maia Madden Khan
Jessica Rye	Saskia Jordan
Amelia Watkins	Marine Botha
Jessica Young	Caroline Cuda
	Arabelle Cox
Head Coach – Erin McArthur	Coach – Ken Eberbach
Assistant Coach – Alice Taylor	Manager – Leisa Williams
Manager – Lisa Dean	

14 Years State Age	14 Years Development
Hannah Alexander	Liv Dryza
Sheridan Baker	Maddy Elder
Annaliese Chan	Shayla Gleeson
Jodie Crisp	Ella Magee
Asha Goddard	Ella Brown
Charlie Hill	Chloe Nemeth de Bikal
Macy Marx	Hannah Taha
Dijana Mazumdar	Sarah Urbaniak
Mischa Winckel	Jessica Woods
Taya Yerbury	
Head Coach – Peter Havrlant	Co-Coach – Leisel Millard
Assistant Coach – Georgia Dean	
Manager - Jen Maneschi	Manager – Sally Magee

15 Years State Age	15 Years Development
Olivia Armati	Jessica Boatwright
Caitlin Blackburn	Hayley Griffin
Emily Burns	Olivia Hooper



Breanna Harris	Scarlett Judd
Zoe Huxtable	Hannah MacLennan-Pike
Samantha Janssen	Giuliana Panozzo
Mia Mackenzie	Alyssa Playford
Claudia Runge	Georgia Spanswick
Hannah Thonell	Tahlia Thompson
Brianna Worsfold	Alicia Tsang
Head Coach – Maddie Shume	Coach – Rod Selvage
Assistant Coach - Lisa Duncan	Manager – Vanessa Spanswick
Manager – Debbie Johnson	

6.20 Umpire Convenor's Report:

Season overview

Like so many other areas of life, the COVID-19 pandemic presented a number of challenges to the umpiring community in KNA. The 500 person cap placed on our venue by government regulation, reduced the number of supporters, coaches and mentors we could have on site to assist with development of umpires. Additionally, for the first time in recent history we utilised an umpire-your-own method for allocation, in order to avoid the gathering of people in small spaces to sign off.

What was so surprising about 2020, was the number of opportunities that arose which allowed us to reinvent our processes, work more collaboratively with our club umpires' convenors and the identification of initiatives, so well received, that they will be carried forward in future seasons.

District & National badging

Some of the success of this year can be measured in the number of district and national badges achieved this year.

At the onset of the winter season, clubs were advised national testing would not proceed as we could not accommodate it using the format from previous years. As the season progressed, we realised it would be possible as long as we utilised tester already at the courts, and clubs worked together to achieve a common goal. In a show of solidarity club convenors worked tirelessly to ensure that no umpire was left behind. Not only assisting with coaching other club's umpires, but volunteering and helping when testing was required

We congratulate all 112 umpires who achieved their umpiring goals this year, however we dedicate the badges to tireless efforts and hard work by the clubs to ensure they were possible.

National badges:

- B – 4
- C – 29

District badges:

- High D – 25
- Mid D – 29
- Low D – 25

Umpiring opportunities outside KNA

With the cancellation of the Junior and Senior Titles this year, there was great disappointment that we would not be able to showcase our umpiring talent at a NSW level. This did not stop our umpires from making regular appearances at Metro and Premier League games. A huge congratulations to the following umpires who received consistent allocations throughout the winter season: Ashley Beale, Suane Bloeme, Kim Chan, Jessica Clay, Nicole Davis, Cathy Dell, Courtney Flarey, Sophie Greenhalgh, Olivia Thompson, Liz Trevallian, Shauna Winchester and Betty Zhang.



We have also been fortunate to have a large number of umpires allocated in the NSW summer competition. In addition to the above, the following umpires will be participating in NSW development programs in the coming weeks: Zac Aubourg, Sarah Boyd, Alison Carr, Caitlyn Gabriel and Natalie Wrightson.

We would like to congratulate Shauna Winchester, who was appointed as a reserve to the first round of the Suncorp Netball competition this year. This is an amazing achievement for any umpire.

Initiatives 2021 season

As mentioned above, a number of things implemented this year worked so well, we are looking to modify and/or incorporate them into our new normal, moving into the 2021 season.

Some initiatives include:

(a) Allocations spreadsheet as a Google doc

Initially created so umpires' convenors could upload their umpire-your-own roster to a central location each week, we look to retain this spreadsheet in 2021. While the umpires committee will take back the allocations, they will be uploaded in advance to allow convenors greater visibility and to assist with the planning of coaching and testing opportunities each week.

(b) Umpire Shelter

With the inability to use the complex due to space limitation, we relocated to the shelter beside Court 4. We found we were never lonely, with umpires and convenors constantly coming over to chat. The greater visibility also ensured that people outside the umpiring fraternity could see us and would often stop to ask questions or let us know if there was an issue. We look to stay visible in 2021 by maintaining that area as a umpiring shelter.

© Injury/illness umpires

With restrictions in numbers we needed to change the way we handled situations when an umpire could not continue a game. We found that having a couple of umpires each timeslot available to take over if need was beneficial and we will look to replace the previously used standby system with a model that includes injury/illness umpires.

Thank you

We would like to thank our committee members, many of whom joined our ranks for the first time this year, expecting a very different type of initiation. We are glad so many of you are returning in 2021 and we look forward to working with you again.

This year would not have been possible without the hard work of the club convenors. When they signed on to be convenors, they did not know how much more work 2020 would mean for them. For the first time, they were required to allocate their own umpires as well as organise their own panels. Not only did they work tirelessly for their umpires, but they supported each other, with determination and humour to ensure that the season was a great success.

Lastly, we would like to extend our sincerest thanks to Katrina Wrightson, who was a regular fixture in the umpiring shelter on Saturdays and supervised the umpires on Thursday nights. Without Katrina's the 2020 season wouldn't have been as organised or fun.

We look forward to a wonderful season in 2021.

Allison Gill/Alan Prentice
Umpires Convenor

6.21 Web Administrator's Report

No report submitted.

~~Loraine Unicomb / Joanne Keavors~~



Website Administrators

7. Appointment of an Auditor

It is anticipated that a recommendation will be made that Jeff McKee, PBK Partners (formerly Isis Partners) be again appointed Auditor.

8. Notices of Motion

No Notices of Motion.

9. Resolutions required

Nil required.

10. Fees 2021

The Fees Schedule will be distributed separately.

11. Draft KNA Calendar 2021

Shortening the competition

WPNC would like to suggest KNA considers shortening our season so it begins after the May holidays and finishes at the normal time.

COVID-19 has been an interesting experience for all clubs but the feedback the WPNC committee has been receiving from our volunteers is that the shortened season did have the advantage in that it did not over tax them in terms of the voluntary hours they had to commit. Within the committee, we feel that by having a 14 week competition followed by a final series, the season is drawn out and often rushed at the beginning of the season. By early February there is already pressure on to register players, grade from Cadet down, secure coaches and managers to meet the starting date of the competition.

WPNC was wondering if other clubs have the same thoughts and we were wondering if a 10 week competition followed by a final series could be considered. The advantages as WPNC sees it are:

- A 10 week competition means May can be the kick off time
- There is more time to recruit all players and volunteers
- Recruiting volunteers is becoming increasingly problematic with many clubs having to adopt a paid model for some coaches
- There is the possibility that a shortened time commitment might help encourage volunteers
- We would still envisage the final series; feedback is once a team works out it can't finish first or second, then the intensity lessens whereas to still have a chance at making the finals the interest will still be kept
- We would still like day 11 to be a play off as we did in 2020 with all teams playing and hopefully we can devise a better solution for grades that have an uneven number of teams

WPNC understands this might create adjustments like 6 grade teams which might not be ideal, although it worked well in 2020. WPNC is also aware that a shortened season might have financial ramifications for KNA which may have to be considered.

Conclusion

In conclusion, WPNC would like to thank the KNA executive for taking the time to read our thoughts. We understand the executive has many issues it needs to consider and while we definitely do not want to create any more work for the executive, we would like there to be the opportunity for these ideas to be discussed across the broader club communities.

Thank you.

West Pymble Netball Club Inc.



2021 Calendar - Option 1

This option has 2 games played before the Autumn (April) holidays.

No games played in the Autumn holidays.

It has a short grades day where those grades of only 6 teams will play 2 x half games. (Day 12).

Only one game of Spring Competition played before the holidays. Day 2 starts on Labour Day (Public Holiday)

Spring competition finishes last week of November

Date	Day	External Events	Association Support / Sport Events	Competition Dates
1-Jan	Fri		Registration opens for winter season	
26-Jan	Tues	Australia Day Public Holiday		
27-Jan	Wed	School term 1 starts		
12-Feb	Fri		KNA Club President Meet & Greet / Pre Season meeting	
16-Feb	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
19-Feb	Fri		Umpires: Nominations for new umpires Workshop, List of active umpires and Rep Carnival nominations due	
23-Feb	Tues		SGM & NetSetGo Forum	
25-Feb	Thurs		Registrations completed & teams submitted by all clubs	
27-Feb	Sat		KNA paper grading + Umpires: Beginner Umpires Workshop	
1-Mar	Mon		Preliminary grading issued + Senior State Titles Nominations	
2-Mar	Tues		11s Coaching Clinic Series 2021, Tuesday 2nd, 9th & 16th - 4.30-6.30pm	
3-Mar	Wed		Grading disputes deadline	
6-Mar	Sat		NSU Back to Netball Clinic 2.00-5.00pm	
7-Mar	Sun		NSU Specialist Clinic - 9.00 - 12.00 (TBC)	9 Year Round Robin grading
8-Mar	Mon		Final winter comp grading issued	
11-Mar	Thurs		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 1-5 Due	
13-Mar	Sat			NetSetGo Orientation Day
16-Mar	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
20-Mar	Sat		Newsletter Issue 1	Day 1
21-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
27-Mar	Sat			Day 2
28-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
2-Apr	Fri	Good Friday Public Holiday & Autumn school holidays start		
5-Apr	Mon	Easter Monday Public Holiday		
12-Apr	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
19-Apr	Mon	School term 2 starts		
20-Apr	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Apr	Sun	ANZAC Day		
1-May	Sat			Day 3
8-May	Sat		Sponsors' Day (Day 4)	Day 4
15-May	Sat		Newsletter Issue 2 (Day 5)	Day 5 (regrading)
17-May	Mon		Re-grading issued	
18-May	Tues		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 6-10 Due & KNA Executive Meeting	
22-May	Sat			Day 6
23-May	Sun			All Abilities Carnival (KNA hosting)
25-May	Tues		Competition Forum	
29-May	Sat			Day 7
30-May	Sun			NetSetGo Gala Day
5-Jun	Sat		Crazy Hair and Sock Day (Day 8)	Day 8
12-Jun	Sat		HART Senior State Titles (Div 1 - Liverpool)	
13-Jun	Sun		HART Senior State Titles	
14-Jun	Mon	Queens Birthday Public Holiday	HART Senior State Titles	
15-Jun	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting + SGM & Club Forum	
18-Jun	Fri	Private Schools Break		
19-Jun	Sat			Day 9
26-Jun	Sat		HART Junior State Titles (Div 1 - Penrith)	
27-Jun	Sun		HART Junior State Titles	
28-Jun	Mon	Winter school holidays start	HART Junior State Titles	
5-Jul	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
12-Jul	Mon	School term 3 starts		
17-Jul	Sat		Newsletter Issue 3 (Day 10)	Day 10
19-Jul	Mon		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 11-15 Due.	
20-Jul	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
24-Jul	Sat			Day 11
31-Jul	Sat			Day 12 (short grades)
1-Aug	Sun		Spring Comp Registrations open	
1-Aug	Sun		President's Forum	
7-Aug	Sat			Day 13
8-Aug	Sun			Junior Gala Day
14-Aug	Sat			Day 14
17-Aug	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
20-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Registrations close	
21-Aug	Sat			Semi Finals
23-Aug	Mon		Spring Comp Paper Grading	
27-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Grading Issued	
28-Aug	Sat			Finals
4-Sep	Sat		Newsletter Issue 4 (Grand Final Day)	Grand Finals
11-Sep	Sat			Back Up Grand Finals
13-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 1
19-Sep	Sun	JNR Rep Trials - anytime for next month, including all weekends and weeknights		
20-Sep	Mon	Spring school holidays start		
21-Sep	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
4-Oct	Mon	Labour Day		Spring Comp Week 2
5-Oct	Tues	School term 4 starts		
11-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 3
18-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 4
19-Oct	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 5
1-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 6
8-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
15-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
20-Nov	Sat		KNA AGM	
22-Nov	Sun			Spring Comp Week 9
29-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 10



2021 Calendar - Option 2

This option has 2 games played before the Autumn (April) holidays.

Day 3 is on Easter Saturday and first day of the school holidays.

It has a short grades day where those grades of only 6 teams will play 2 x half games (Day 12).

Spring competition has 2 games before the Spring (October) holidays. Week 3 starts on Labour Day public holiday

Spring competition finishes 2nd last week of November

Date	Day	External Events	Association Support / Sport Events	Competition Dates
1-Jan	Fri		Registration opens for winter season	
26-Jan	Tues	Australia Day Public Holiday		
27-Jan	Wed	School term 1 starts		
12-Feb	Fri		KNA Club President Meet & Greet / Pre Season meeting	
16-Feb	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
19-Feb	Fri		Umpires: Nominations for new umpires Workshop, List of active umpires and Rep Carnival nominations due	
23-Feb	Tues		SGM & NetSetGo Forum	
25-Feb	Thurs		Registrations completed & teams submitted by all clubs	
27-Feb	Sat		KNA paper grading + Umpires: Beginner Umpires Workshop	
1-Mar	Mon		Preliminary grading issued + Senior State Titles Nominations	
2-Mar	Tues		11: Coaching Clinic Series 2021, Tuesday 2nd, 9th & 16th - 4.30-6.30pm	
3-Mar	Wed		Grading disputes deadline	
6-Mar	Sat		NSU Back to Netball Clinic 2:00-5:00pm	
7-Mar	Sun		NSU Specialist Clinic - 9:00 - 12:00 (TBC)	9 Year Round Robin grading
8-Mar	Mon		Final winter comp grading issued	
11-Mar	Thurs		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 1-5 Due	
13-Mar	Sat			NetSetGo Orientation Day
16-Mar	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
20-Mar	Sat		Newsletter issue 1	Day 1
21-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
27-Mar	Sat		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	Day 2
28-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
2-Apr	Fri	Good Friday Public Holiday & Autumn school holidays start		Day 3
3-Apr	Sat			
5-Apr	Mon	Easter Monday Public Holiday		
12-Apr	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
19-Apr	Mon	School term 2 starts		
20-Apr	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Apr	Sun	ANZAC Day		
1-May	Sat		Sponsors' Day (Day 4)	Day 4
8-May	Sat		Newsletter Issue 2 (Day 5)	Day 5 (regrading)
10-May	Mon		Re-grading issued	
11-May	Tues		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 6-10 Due	
15-May	Sat			Day 6
16-May	Sun			All Abilities Carnival (KNA hosting)
18-May	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting & KNA Competition Forum	
22-May	Sat			Day 7
23-May	Sun			NetSetGo Gala Day
29-May	Sat		Crazy Hair and Sock Day (Day 8)	Day 8
5-Jun	Sat			Day 9
12-Jun	Sat		HART Senior State Titles (Div 1 - Liverpool)	
13-Jun	Sun		HART Senior State Titles	
14-Jun	Mon	Queens Birthday Public Holiday		
15-Jun	Tues		HART Senior State Titles	
18-Jun	Fri	Private Schools Break	KNA Executive Meeting + SGM & Club Forum	
19-Jun	Sat		Newsletter Issue 3 (Day 10)	Day 10
21-Jun	Mon		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 11-15 Due.	
26-Jun	Sat		HART Junior State Titles (Div 1 - Penrith)	
27-Jun	Sun		HART Junior State Titles	
28-Jun	Mon	Winter school holidays start	HART Junior State Titles	
5-Jul	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
12-Jul	Mon	School term 3 starts		
17-Jul	Sat			Day 11
20-Jul	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
24-Jul	Sat			Day 12 (Short grades)
25-Jul	Sun		President's Forum	
31-Jul	Sat			Day 13
1-Aug	Sun		Spring Comp Registrations open	Junior Gala Day
7-Aug	Sat			Day 14
14-Aug	Sat			Semi Finals
17-Aug	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
21-Aug	Sat			Finals
20-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Registrations close	
23-Aug	Mon		Spring Comp Paper Grading	
27-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Grading Issued	
28-Aug	Sat		Newsletter Issue 4 (Grand Final Day)	Grand Finals
4-Sep	Sat			Back Up Grand Finals
5-Sep	Sun	JNR Rep Trials - anytime for next month, including all weekends and weeknights		
6-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 1
13-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 2
20-Sep	Mon	Spring school holidays start		
21-Sep	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
4-Oct	Mon	Labour Day		Spring Comp Week 3
5-Oct	Tues	School term 4 starts		
11-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 4
18-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 5
19-Oct	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 6
1-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
8-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
13-Nov	Sat		KNA AGM	
15-Nov	Tues			Spring Comp Week 9
22-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 10



2021 Calendar - Option 3 - WP Option of no games before hols and 1 week final series

This option has no games played before the Autumn (April) holidays.

It has a short grades day where those grades of only 6 teams will play 2 x half games. (Day 12).

It has a one week only final series whereby 1v2, 3v4, 5v6, 7v8 all play. GF is the 1v2 game.

Only one game of Spring Competition played before the holidays. Day 2 starts on Labour Day (Public Holiday)

Spring competition finishes last week of November

Date	Day	External Events	Association Support / Sport Events	Competition Dates
1-Jan	Fri		Registration opens for winter season	
26-Jan	Tues	Australia Day Public Holiday		
27-Jan	Wed	School term 1 starts		
12-Feb	Fri		KNA Club President Meet & Greet / Pre Season meeting	
16-Feb	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
1-Mar	Mon		Senior State Titles Nominations	
2-Mar	Tues		SGM & NetSetGo Forum	
11-Mar	Thurs		Registrations completed & teams submitted by all clubs	
12-Mar	Fri		Umpires: Nominations for new umpires Workshop, List of active umpires and Reg Carnival nominations due	
13-Mar	Sat		KNA paper grading +	
15-Mar	Mon		Umpires: Beginner Umpires Workshop	
16-Mar	Tues		Preliminary grading issued	
17-Mar	Wed		KNA Executive Meeting	
19-Mar	Sat		11s Coaching Clinic Series 2021, Tuesday 16th, 23rd, 30th 4.30-6.30pm	
20-Mar	Sun		Grading disputes deadline	
19-Mar	Sat		NSU Back to Netball Clinic 2:00-5:00pm	9 Year Round Robin grading
20-Mar	Sun		NSU Specialist Clinic - 9:00 - 12:00 (TBC)	
21-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
22-Mar	Mon		Final winter comp grading issued	
27-Mar	Sat			NetSetGo Orientation Day
28-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
1-Apr	Thurs		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 1-5 Due	
2-Apr	Fri	Good Friday Public Holiday & Autumn school holidays start		
5-Apr	Mon	Easter Monday Public Holiday		
12-Apr	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
19-Apr	Mon	School term 2 starts		
20-Apr	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Apr	Sun	ANZAC Day		
1-May	Sat		Newsletter issue 1	Day 1
8-May	Sat			Day 2
15-May	Sat			Day 3
22-May	Sat		Sponsors' Day (Day 4)	Day 4
23-May	Sun			All Abilities Carnival (KNA hosting)
25-May	Tues		Competition Forum	
29-May	Sat		Newsletter Issue 2 (Day 5)	Day 5 (regrading)
30-May	Sun			NetSetGo Gala Day
1-Jun	Mon		Re-grading Issued	
2-Jun	Tues		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 6-10 Due & KNA Executive Meeting	
5-Jun	Sat			Day 6
12-Jun	Sat		HART Senior State Titles (Div 1 - Liverpool)	
13-Jun	Sun		HART Senior State Titles	
14-Jun	Mon	Queens Birthday Public Holiday	HART Senior State Titles	
15-Jun	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting + SGM & Club Forum	
18-Jun	Fri	Private Schools Break		
19-Jun	Sat			Day 7
26-Jun	Sat		HART Junior State Titles (Div 1 - Penrith)	
27-Jun	Sun		HART Junior State Titles	
28-Jun	Mon	Winter school holidays start	HART Junior State Titles	
9-Jul	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
12-Jul	Mon	School term 3 starts		
17-Jul	Sat		Crazy Hair and Sock Day (Day 8)	Day 8
20-Jul	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
24-Jul	Sat			Day 9
31-Jul	Sat		Newsletter Issue 3 (Day 10)	Day 10
1-Aug	Sun		Spring Comp Registrations open	
1-Aug	Sun		President's Forum	
2-Aug	Mon		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 11-15 Due.	
7-Aug	Sat			Day 11
8-Aug	Sun			Junior Gala Day
14-Aug	Sat			Day 12 (short grades day)
17-Aug	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
20-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Registrations close	
21-Aug	Sat			Day 13
23-Aug	Mon		Spring Comp Paper Grading	
27-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Grading Issued	
28-Aug	Sat			Day 14
4-Sep	Sat		Newsletter Issue 4 (Grand Final Day)	Grand Final day (all teams play 1v2, 3v4, 5v6, 7v8)
11-Sep	Sat			Back Up Grand Finals
13-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 1
19-Sep	Sun		JNR Rep Trials - anytime for next month, including all weekends and weeknights	
20-Sep	Mon	Spring school holidays start		
21-Sep	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
4-Oct	Mon	Labour Day		Spring Comp Week 2
5-Oct	Tues	School term 4 starts		
11-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 3
18-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 4
19-Oct	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 5
1-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 6
8-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
15-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
20-Nov	Sat		KNA AGM	
22-Nov	Sat			Spring Comp Week 9
29-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 10



2021 Calendar - Option 4 - WP 10 week season with full final series

This option has no games played before the Autumn (April) holidays.

The season is only 10 games long.

3 week grand finals series

Two games of Spring Competition played before the holidays. Day 3 starts on Labour Day (Public Holiday)

Spring competition finishes 2nd last week of November

Date	Day	External Events	Association Support / Sport Events	Competition Dates
1-Jan	Fri		Registration opens for winter season	
26-Jan	Tues	Australia Day Public Holiday		
27-Jan	Wed	School term 1 starts		
12-Feb	Fri		KNA Club President Meet & Greet / Pre Season meeting	
16-Feb	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
1-Mar	Mon		Senior State Titles Nominations	
2-Mar	Tues		SGM & NetSetGo Forum	
11-Mar	Thurs		Registrations completed & teams submitted by all clubs	
12-Mar	Fri		Umpires: Nominations for new umpires Workshop, List of active umpires and Rep Carnival nominations due	
13-Mar	Sat		KNA paper grading + Umpires: Beginner Umpires Workshop	
15-Mar	Mon		Preliminary grading issued	
			KNA Executive Meeting	
16-Mar	Tues		11s Coaching Clinic Series 2021, Tuesday 16th, 23rd, 30th - 4.30-6.30pm	
17-Mar	Wed		Grading disputes deadline	
19-Mar	Sat		NSU Back to Netball Clinic 2:00-5:00pm	
20-Mar	Sun		NSU Specialist Clinic - 9:00 - 12:00 (TBC)	9 Year Round Robin grading
21-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
22-Mar	Mon		Final winter comp grading issued	
27-Mar	Sat			NetSetGo Orientation Day
28-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
1-Apr	Thurs		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 1-5 Due	
2-Apr	Fri	Good Friday Public Holiday & Autumn school holidays start		
5-Apr	Mon	Easter Monday Public Holiday		
12-Apr	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
19-Apr	Mon	School term 2 starts		
20-Apr	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Apr	Sun	ANZAC Day		
1-May	Sat		Newsletter issue 1	Day 1
8-May	Sat			Day 2
15-May	Sat			Day 3
22-May	Sat		Sponsors' Day (Day 4)	Day 4
23-May	Sun			All Abilities Carnival (KNA hosting)
25-May	Tues		Competition Forum	
29-May	Sat		Newsletter issue 2 (Day 5)	Day 5 (regrading)
30-May	Sun			NetSetGo Gala Day
1-Jun	Mon		Re-grading issued	
2-Jun	Tues		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 6-10 Due & KNA Executive Meeting	
5-Jun	Sat			Day 6
12-Jun	Sat		HART Senior State Titles (Div 1 - Liverpool)	
13-Jun	Sun		HART Senior State Titles	
14-Jun	Mon	Queens Birthday Public Holiday	HART Senior State Titles	
15-Jun	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting + SGM & Club Forum	
18-Jun	Fri	Private Schools Break		
19-Jun	Sat			Day 7
26-Jun	Sat		HART Junior State Titles (Div 1 - Penrith)	
27-Jun	Sun		HART Junior State Titles	
28-Jun	Mon	Winter school holidays start	HART Junior State Titles	
5-Jul	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
12-Jul	Mon	School term 3 starts		
17-Jul	Sat		Crazy Hair and Sock Day (Day 8)	Day 8
18-Jul	Sun			Junior Gala Day
20-Jul	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
24-Jul	Sat			Day 9
31-Jul	Sat		Newsletter Issue 3 (Day 10)	Day 10
1-Aug	Sun		Spring Comp Registrations open	
1-Aug	Sun		President's Forum	
2-Aug	Mon		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 11-13 (finals) Due.	
7-Aug	Sat			Semi Finals (all teams play 1v2, 3v4, 5v6, 7v8)
14-Aug	Sat			Finals
17-Aug	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
20-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Registrations close	
21-Aug	Sat		Newsletter Issue 4 (Grand Final Day)	Grand Finals
23-Aug	Mon		Spring Comp Paper Grading	
27-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Grading Issued	
28-Aug	Sat			Back Up Grand Finals
6-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 1
13-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 2
20-Sep	Mon	Spring school holidays start		
21-Sep	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
4-Oct	Mon	Labour Day		Spring Comp Week 3
5-Oct	Tues	School term 4 starts		
11-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 4
18-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 5
19-Oct	Tues		KNA Executive Meeting	
25-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 6
1-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
8-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
13-Nov	Sat		KNA AGM	
15-Nov	Fri			Spring Comp Week 9
22-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 10



12. Consideration of any Special Business of which Notices have been given in accordance with the Constitution

Nil required.

13. Election of Office Bearers

Nominations for the following *Executive members and Office Bearers* have been received with due notice in accordance with the Constitution.

Further nominations for vacant positions which were not within Constitution can be accepted in an acting capacity (marked ***) and tabled for approval at the next General Meeting.

13.1 EXECUTIVE MEMBERS

President	Jo-Anne Perry	WAH
Secretary	Helen Pratt	WAH
Treasurer	Ian Eldershaw	WP
Executive Member	Gillian Boyd	BER
Executive Member	Mick Flarey	BER
Executive Member	Stuart Moore	KP
Executive Member	Ros Roots	HH

13.2 OFFICE BEARERS

Club Coaching Convenor	Vacant	
Fixtures Convenor	Katie Bonjer	STI
Grading Convenor	Kissane Gray	NT
Grounds Convenor	David Funk	BER
Junior Registrar	Jo Keevers	WAH
Night Comp Coordinator	Tatjana Domazet	KNA
Rep Liaison Officer	Vacant	
Senior Registrar	Tanya Sinclair	LIN
Umpires Convenor	Alan Pentice/Ally Gill (Joint)	KNA
Senior Rep Selection Convenor	Louise Woods	LIN
Junior Rep Selection Convenor	Stuart Moore	KP

Nominations for the following *Positions to be Appointed* and *Sub Committees* have been received, however further nominations may be submitted up to and at the AGM.

13.3 POSITIONS TO BE APPOINTED

Junior Registrar Assistant	Gillian Boyd	BER
Lofberg NetSetGo! Skills Coordinator		
Member Protection Information Officer		
NetSetGo! Convenor		
Night Court Booking Officer		
KNA All Abilities Manager		
KNA All Abilities Coordinator		
Senior Registrar Assistant	Gillian Boyd	BER
Website Administrator	Jo Keevers	WAH



13.4 SUB-COMMITTEES

Appointments panel Jnrs. (invited)	Keri Sheraton (Chair)	KNA
Ratify	Kathy Staggs	KNA
	Stuart Moore	KP
	Louise Woods	LIN
	Jo Perry	WAH
Grading Committee	Jennifer Maneschi	WAH
(max. 6 members incl. Convenor)	Belinda Kelly	BER
	Jill Martin	
	Larissa Daniel	
	Katrina Tritton	
	Fiona Rondeau	
Grounds Committee	Miriam Kluger	KP
(min. 6 members inc Convenor)	Tiffany Judson	WPNC
	Stewart Stead	WPNC
Junior Rep Selection Committee	Leanne Abrahams	
	Karen Garlick	
	Katrina Tritton	KP
	Ros Roots	HH
Rep Liaison Committee		
Special Events Committee		
Umpires Committee	Natalie Wrightson	
(15 members incl. Convenor)	Katrina Wrightson	
	Suane Bloem	
	Courtney Flarey	
	Cathy Dell	
	Zacary Aubourg	

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14. Qualifications for Nominees for KNA AGM 2020

EXECUTIVE:	
Jo-Anne Perry	KNA President 2013-20, 2019 NNSW Anne Clarke recipient, Director North Shore United 2015-2020, NSUU23 Manager 2019, NNSW Competition Review committee 2019-20, NNSW Appeals panel member 8 plus years, NNSW MPIO Tribunal and Hearing Officer (8 years), NNSW Advisory panel Board nominees 2017, NNSW Reserve Delegate NNSW 2013-2020, KNA Vice President 2011-12, KNA Executive 2005-8, 2010, KNA Appointments panel 2013-2020, KNA Life member, Jun Rep Selector 9 yrs, Jun & Sen Rep manager 6 yrs, KNA Grading committee 2000-2001, KNA Grading Secretary 2002-2006, KNA Delegate to NNSW various yrs, Int coach, various club President, Secretary, Registrar, Treasurer, Grader, Selector, Coaching mentor, Coach, Manager, Company Secretary over 35 years, Public officer NSU @ KNA various Member 29 years.
Helen Pratt	KNA Secretary 2020, WNC Secretary 2016 – March 2018, WNC Coach 2008-2018 NSG-Cadets, NSG Convenor 2007-2017, Club Delegate 2009-2018, All Abilities - Coach 4 years (main stream team), Company Secretary to various companies for over 20 years.



Ian Eldershaw	KNA Treasurer 2020, CPA Accountant with 38 years experience. Employed for many years as Financial Controller at Pittard Pty Ltd which consults and trains in the real estate industry, Life Member and Eight years as treasurer for the Gordon West Public School Parents and Citizens Association, Previous P&C auditor, as well as West Pymble Scouts, MYOB software trained.
Stuart Moore	Many years as KNA Junior Rep Convenor, KNA Fixtures, Selector. Ex KPNC President, etc etc etc.
Ros Roots	KNA Executive 2019-20, Vice President Hornsby Heights 2019-2020, Selector Berowra and Hornsby Heights 2014 – 2020 (9 years to Cadets), Manager 11 years talent squad 2014 -2020, Umpires Committee 3 years, Coach and/or Manager Club for over 30 years, Umpire at Club level for over 35 years.
Gillian Boyd	Various positions on the Committee over several years. Vice President Berowra, Umpires Convenor BER.
Mick Flarey	Sales Director, Berowra Netball Club President 2020

OFFICE BEARERS:	
Tatjana Domazet	KNA Night Comp Convenor 2014-20, Club Sec @ Publicity officer 5 yrs, team mgr., KNA Assist. night comp Convenor 2013
Tanya Sinclair	KNA Snr. Registrar 2014-20, Club member 14yrs, registrar, internet, uniforms, night comp Convenor, grading, coaching, team player. Secretary and Publicity officer of Ex Brigidine Club.
David Funk	Grounds Convenor 2013-20, good organizer. On Grounds Committee.
Kissane Gray	KNA Grading Convenor 2014-20, KNA Grading committee 2009-20, KNA Rep Liaison committee 2008-12, KNA rep manager 2011, club grading Convenor 2005-2016 - 2020, Club VP 2014, club committee 13 years.
Angela Walker	KNA Rep Liaison Officer 2016-20, KNA Rep Liaison Committee 2012-15, Club Coaches Convenor 2012-13, Club Grading Convenor 2014, club coach 2012-14
Jo Keevers	KNA Night Comp registrar 2018-2019, Club (WAH) Website manager 2015 - 2020, umpire, player. KNA Webmaster 2020. KNA Junior Registrar 2018-2020.
Katie Bonjer	KNA Fixtures Convenor 2017-2020, Vice President St Ives 2015 – 2018, good knowledge of MyNetball software.
Louise Woods	Senior Rep selection Convenor. KNA Coaching Convenor 2018-2020.
Stuart Moore	Junior Rep Selection Convenor 2020 and before.
Alan Prentice	National A Badged Umpire. KNA Umpire Co-Convenor with Ally Gill.
Ally Gill	National A Badged Umpire many years as a Committee member before becoming Umpire Convenor which she held solo and now is working with Alan Prentice as a Co-Convenor.
POSITIONS APPOINTED / COMMITTEES:	
Gillian Boyd	Senior/Junior Assistant Registrar. Various Committee positions over several years.



Leanne Abrahams	Junior Rep Selector. 14's Selector – 2019, Grader St Ives Netball, Coach 9A, 10A, Inters 2.
Gillian Boyd	Assistant Junior Rep Selector. Various Committee positions over several years.
Karen Garlick	Junior Rep Selector
Ros Roots	Junior Rep Selector Selector Ber and HH 2014 – 2020 (9years to cadet), Manager 11 years talent squad 2014 – 2020, Umpires Committee 3 years, Coach and/or Manager Club level for over 30 years, Umpire at club level for over 35 years, KNA Executive 2019-2020, VP HH 2019-2020.
Katrina Tritton	Junior Rep Selector Previous years of selecting Junior reps and decades of club selecting for Berowra, Kissing Point and Sacred Heart.
Larissa Daniel	Grading Committee WPNC – Registrar, Coach Convenor, Committee (10+ years). KNA Grading Committee 3-4 years.
Belinda Kelly	Grading Committee Previous KNA Grading, Berowra Grading Co-Ordinator.
Fiona Rondeau	Grading Committee Returning member of the KNA Grading Committee
Jen Maneschi	Grading Committee KNA Grading Committee over 10 years, WAH Grading Committee over 14 years, KNA State Age Manager 2020, 2019, 2018 and State League prior to this.
Jill Martin	Grading Committee KNA Grading Committee for over 15 years, Level 2 Coaching and B Badged umpire.
Katrina Tritton	Grading Committee Many years on Grading KNA Committee, Previous Grading Convenors for BER and KP, Previous Registrar for BER, Current Registrar for KP, Rep selecting Both Junior and Senior for KNA.
Tiffany Judson	Grounds Committee Unbelievable Creds
Stewart Stead	Grounds Committee Grounds Committee 2019 – 2020.
Miriam Kluger	Grounds Committee Years of experience
Natalie Wrightson	Umpires Committee National B Badged Umpire became a member of the umpiring committee in 2020. Been an active member of her club both as an umpire and as an umpires coach.
Katrina Wrightson	Umpires Committee Have had a wide experience being the Umpire Convenor for Hornsby Heights for several years. Experience in allocating umpires to games.
Courtney Flarey	Umpires Committee National B Badged Umpire. Became a member of the umpiring committee in 2020. Been an active member of her club both as an umpire and as an umpires coach.



Cathy Dell	Umpires Committee National B Nededged Umpire. Been an active committee member for a number of years. Represented KNA as an umpire coach at several carnivals, and as an umpire at State, State Age and Metro League. Also coach umpires at KNA and been a member of many National Badge Panels.
Zacary Aubourg	Umpires Committee National B Badged Umpire. Have been coaching and badging Umpires for both Kissing Point and KNA.
Suane Bloem	Umpires Committee National B Badged Umpire. Became a member of the umpiring committee in 2020. Been an active member of her club both as an umpire and as an umpires coach.

15. Draft Minutes of AGM 26th November 2019

1. Apologies
 2. Presentations KNA General Meeting 2019
- GENERAL AWARDS**

KNA congratulated the following award recipients who were also acknowledged at Grand Final Day presentations and Representative functions. KNA thanks all our volunteers for their dedication and commitment and for everything they have contributed to the Association.

AWARDS FOR YEARS OF SERVICE:

50 years	Brenda Williams
30 years	Kathy Staggs Ken Eberbach
20 years	Peter Havrlant
10 years	Jennifer Maneschi Allison Gill
5+ years	Jessica Clay Larissa Daniel Nick Hermann Tiffany Judson Fiona Rondeau Nathan Tilbury

AWARDS (Presented on Grand Final Day)

Large clubs award	Lindem Netball Club
Small clubs award	Killara Netball Club
President's award	Tanya Sinclair, Lindem Netball Club
Volunteer of year award	Tiffany Judson, West Pymble Netball Club

UMPIRE AWARDS: (Presented on Grand Final Day were as follows)

Steve Cary Award	Garnet Ho, East Lindfield Netball Club
Brenda Williams Award	Madison Unicomb West Pymble Netball Club
Senior Umpires Award	Suane Bloeme St Ives Netball Club
Best Junior Umpire	Jodie Crisp St Ives Netball Club
Most improve Jnr. Umpire	Sam Key West Pymble Netball Club



COACHING AWARDS: (Presented at Grand final)

Jnr. Coach of Year	Kayla Baker, Warrawee
Snr. Coach of Year	Krystel De Ruitter, St Ives

REPRESENTATIVE PLAYER

Julie Champion Award	Rep Player of the Year Hollie Cameron ,15 year Representative team
Junior State Team of Season	14 Year Representative Team

All Stars(presented at Grand final)

Coach's award	Stephanie Boxwell
Most Improved	Eleanor Stamford
Best and Fairest	Maddie Harwood

RETIRING:

Many thanks to the following who are retiring and have assisted KNA in their roles: A special mention to Nick Hermann who has contributed on Executive as VP and Board member of NSU for five years. Thank you for your valued contribution to KNA

- *Secretary: Rhonda Dekker*
- *Treasurer: Bart Dekker*
- *Executive member - Nick Hermann*
- *Executive member: Jason Roach*

3. Previous Minutes

Copies of Minutes attached at the end of this AGM package

3.1 Minutes of Annual General Meeting held on 17th November 2018

3.2 Minutes of Special General Meeting held on 18th June 2019

4. Business Arising

5. Consideration and Adoption of the Annual Report and Audited Balance Sheet

Audit will be presented at February SGM.

6. Reports

6.1 President's Report

In opening, I'd like to acknowledge the passing of one of our founding members, Jeanette Wright. What an incredible legacy Jeanette has left our Netball Family, volunteering her services to our community for over 50 years. A life member of KNA as well as West Pymble Club. Jeanette was a lady who was totally dedicated to the development of netball in this region, showing many young people -some now adults with children of their own - why they should so love our game. A fabulous coach, mentor and friend to all, who always encouraged everyone to give of their best.

Jeanette will be sorely missed by all those who knew her and benefitted from her generous spirit. We convey our deep appreciation and gratitude to her for the unceasing support she gave KNA members at every level through the years. Her contribution made it possible for our Association to be where it is today. Our fond wishes and gratitude go to her family for allowing us to celebrate her wonderful life with them. RIP Jeanette and thank you for all you have so generously given to our Association and to the game of netball.



Volunteers:

Well what can I say, except that you are amazing– and that we thank you most sincerely for the many hours you put in at KNA to support our members. There are just too many people to mention individually, but I want to assure all of you, that your contribution does not go unnoticed. We are all very aware that KNA only continues to grow as an Association because of your amazing contribution and that we would not survive without you. We look forward to welcoming you back next year.

I would especially like to thank our Staff, Executive Members, Office Bearers and Committee members for all their time and support and our Patron Brenda Williams who is all things netball at KNA. Our great netball community has achieved many wonderful things this year. The following is a small snapshot to close off our 2019 season:

Strategic Plan:

The Executive have commenced working through our 2020-2025 Strategic Plan and have had extensive discussions with all our Office Bearers, Club Presidents and Club Representatives to identify our strengths and weaknesses. Many hours of discussions and meetings have already taken place and, working with our 2020 committees, we will continue to ensure that KNA is able to secure the best possible future for our members, as well as netball, in our community

Community Fund Raising efforts:

During 2019 our generous KNA members raised well over \$25,000 for charity:

The Farmers Drought Appeal:

Two road trips have already taken place and all the funds and goods donated to the Country Women's Association for distribution. A huge congratulations must go to our very own Ros Roots who coordinated this whole event with passion and pride. We are incredibly proud of what you have achieved Ros.

Crazy Hair & Sock Day:

Participation and donations this year broke all previous records.

The Pymble -Shore Sony Camp Bake Sale:

We collaborated with PLC for another record-breaking cake sale. We thank all those special people who participated, either by donating money or volunteering, to make these initiatives possible. Every cent of the funds raised goes directly to these worthy causes and KNA will continue to raise funds for them in 2020.



2019 Competition season:

Again, KNA had a strong participation in both our Winter and Spring competitions. Our season was very successful with little issues to handle. The few issues we had were handled very well in close consultation with our clubs and resolved amicably. We thank our respective Presidents and their clubs for their co-operation and playing in the spirit of the game and look forward to another great year in 2020.

Works:

Work has finally commenced on our Lights, together with additional works for our Physio shelter and general upgrades to our parking. This project should be completed by year end, so we can take advantage of the lighting for our 2020 Winter competition season. Only one night has been allocated for our Winter competition, but we have the joy of now having 9 more lit facilities for training. We just can't wait. Such exciting times ahead!

KNA members have approved our budget to do our lights and general works. We have been fortunate in having a fund-raising levy included in our registration costs. This was established over 10 years ago and is now assisting us to fund these projects. This levy is placed in a holding account to be used only for upgrades to our facilities and we thank our members for continuing the support of these projects.

On an exciting note, we were recently very privileged to be recipients of a grant for \$200,000 from the NSW Government "My Community Project" to help us fund our lights. This funding was allocated according to a public voting process by the Ku-ring-gai Electorate based on the Canoon Road courts locality, which made it even more special to receive and should be available for our next financial year through KMC facility at Canoon Road. Our gratitude must go to Alister Henskens, State Member for Ku-ring-gai, who strongly supported us in achieving this goal. We thank him and our many members and friends in the Ku-ring-gai electorate who made this possible, by voting for us. It was a fabulous achievement, particularly as we have a membership base which is broader within the KNA community covering Davidson, Berowra and Hornsby electorates, so well done everyone on achieving this enviable goal.

Congratulations to all our members for their support and the many prior members who have forged the way for this to be achieved. Well done everyone, KNA is very proud!

Umpires:

Congratulations again on another great year everyone. Thank you to our Committee - ably supported by our new convenors Alan Prentice and Ally Gill - and all our clubs for just being the best. We can take a bow, as KNA Umpiring is acknowledged far and wide for its professionalism and the strength of its umpires. Well done everyone.

Our Representative program:

We are very proud to say our Junior and Senior program is well and truly supported. This year we achieved wonderful results in all areas, our Metro div.2 team achieving gold winning the Suncorp Metro competition, and our two runners-up in State Titles - our 14s Junior State championship and our 17-year Senior State Championship division for 2019.

What great year for all teams this year, with strong results from our 11,12,15 sides at Carnivals and State titles this year and success for our Metro 4 team in getting to the semi finals. Our teams have worked incredibly hard and deserve the results they have all achieved. Well done everyone.

We are very proud of all teams and must not forget our flag ship "NSU Premier League" teams who had a great season and have done KNA proud. The ongoing development of our coaches, players, umpires and administrators is well supported and we are very aware of the opportunities this has given us.

We congratulate all our players, coaches, managers and officials on a wonderful job. To our parents and supporters, well done on ensuring the spirit of KNA continues. It was a pleasure to watch you this season.

All Abilities:

Congratulations once again to Deb Frost and Helen Pratt and the many volunteers for the great success of this program. Our players have thoroughly enjoyed their season and many new players have joined their team. We thank our clubs for embracing our All Abilities players in the mainstream competition every week- and for their support in the development and improvement of this program. We look forward to the return next season of this talented group of athletes who never cease to make us proud of their achievements. Well done everyone.

Sponsors:

We could not achieve what we do, without our wonderful sponsors. Chadwick Real Estate has reached a milestone within our Association by supporting us for over 20 years. We sincerely thank them, as well as all our other sponsors, for everything they have done for us over the years and look forward to seeing all of them back next year.

Our thanks for all their hard work go to those KNA members retiring from the Executive Committee; NSU Board member and 5-year KNA Executive member/Vice President Nick Hermann outgoing Secretary Rhonda



Dekker, our Treasurer Bart Dekker and Executive member Jason Roach. We recognise that we have been very fortunate to have the benefit of their skills and appreciate their commitment and everything they have done to ensure our success.

To our members, in closing may I ask that you take the opportunity to have a voice and that you continue to enjoy netball. KNA can only be bigger and better as a community for having you there. Enjoy the break and family time at Christmas and during the holiday season and we look forward to seeing you back in 2020.

Jo-Anne Perry
KNA President

6.2 Treasurer's Report:

Report and Audit will be presented at February SGM.

Bart Dekker
KNA Treasurer

6.3 Gala Day Report:

Both our NetSetGo and Jnr Carnivals once more were very successful teams came from Norths, Pennant Hills, Baulkham Hills, Manly, Eastwood Ryde and Gosford as well as KNA. Many of the NetSetGo teams will be back for the Junior Gala Day in 2020.

It was lovely to see all those happy faces enjoying themselves. We also received very positive feedback with coaches saying their players enjoyed the day. We even had parents asking if we would consider inviting 12 year old teams. Unfortunately, we do not have enough courts to accommodate another age group. We should think about how we could accommodate the 12s.

I would like to take this opportunity to once again thank our wonderful volunteers for all the work you do each year. In this I include the Club volunteers. We have once again had a very successful season and I look forward to catching up with many of you in 2020.

Brenda Williams
KNA Patron

6.4 KNA All Stars – All Abilities Report:

2019 was another successful year for the KNA All Abilities program. The opportunity to play in the C1 Division mainstream competition was again rotated amongst the 25 registered players in addition to a coaching session and game for those not playing mainstream. Inclusion in the mainstream competition has been an enormous success. The players all love this opportunity and there has been substantial improvement in their skills. The mainstream players have embraced the All Stars with grace, dignity and sportsmanship. The umpires have done a fantastic job applying flexibility and help when required.

The AllStars also played against Kissing Point Intermediate 1 twice during the season. This was very successful and more opportunities like this will be organised for 2020.

Unfortunately, the KNA Interclub All Abilities Carnival scheduled for June was cancelled due to bad weather. The carnival will be organised again for 2020.

The All Stars had 2 teams play in the end of season Manly run All Abilities State Championships. Team 1 achieved second place losing only to the South Australian Special Olympics representative team. This was a fantastic achievement.

The All Abilities Special trophy winners for 2019 were:

- Most Improved - Eleanor Stamford
- Coach's Award - Stephanie Boxwell
- Best and Fairest - Maddie Harwood

The All Abilities coaching team was again headed by Deb Frost and included Helen Pratt, Sophie Dixon, Anneliese Hooper, Carolyn Sinclair and Nicole Sykes. Our manager was Janet Heberden.

The continued support of the KNA Association, committee members and Jo-Anne Perry is greatly appreciated.

The All Abilities program runs so successfully largely due to this support!

Deb Frost

All Abilities Convenor

6.5 Club Coaching Report:

We have had a busy 2019 with many coaching and player opportunities.

At the beginning of the season our beginner coaches were given the opportunity to attend a Beginner Coaching Clinic with Lisa Duncan, KNA representative Coach and NSU Assistant coach, which proved extremely popular.



This session focused on planning a training session and a demonstration of different drills used in each component of a training session. Over 40 club coaches attended this session. A big thank you to Lisa for presenting this clinic.

We have also had open training sessions available for all our club coaches throughout 2019. Thank you to our KNA representative coaches for providing open sessions for coaches to attend. While numbers at these sessions are not high, coaches who do attend have commented on how beneficial the sessions are in terms of drills and planning.

TEAM SESSION	Training Focus
KNA 15's State Champs team	Defence
KNA 13's State Age	Decision making and options
KNA 14's State Age	General Session / Blocking / Man on man defence
KNA 12's State Age	General Session / Centre Passes / Circle Rotations
KNA 11's Squad	General Session

In June we were given the opportunity to invite club coaches to an open training session with the Open and Under 23 North Shore United Premier league teams. A big thank you to NSU Head Coach Bec Bulley and Assistant Lisa Duncan from the Open's team and NSU Head Coach Colleen Mitchell from the Under 23 team for this opportunity. This was attended by approximately 15 club coaches from KNA and was a very beneficial experience for those who attended.

In August KNA hosted a Netball NSW Development Coaching Face to Face Course with 10 coaches achieving their Development level coaching qualification.

There been 4 player clinics run by NSU during 2019. These sessions are intended to enhance player skills in a fun environment. In terms of numbers the most popular was the Pre-Season Back to Netball Clinic with over 90 participants.

- Pre-Season Back to Netball Clinic
- April School Holiday Clinic - April
- Specialist Skills Clinic – May
- July School Holiday Clinic – July

In August all club coaching convenors were invited to attend an open forum discussion on club coaching needs which has led to the development of a series of new initiatives for 2020.

Congratulations to our KNA Senior and Junior Coaches of the Year

- Senior Coach of the Year – Krystal de Ruiter – St Ives
- Junior Coach of the Year – Kayla Baker – Warrawee Wildcats

Louise Woods

KNA Coaching Convenor

6.6 Fixtures Report:

This year we have successfully completed the fixtures for both KNA's Winter and Spring Competitions with minimal issues. For the winter competition we had adequate court space for all teams in all timeslots. We avoided the use of courts 20 & 21 which allowed for them to be used for warming up. We also avoided where possible the use of courts 17, 18 & 19 which do not have goal posts and are less popular with the teams. We again had short grades day on week 12 where for those in a competition of 6 teams, we played 2 half games. This ensured every team played each other 3 times. We created the fixtures for the NetSetGo Orientation Day, NetSetGo Gala Day and 10/11 Gala Day.

The 3 week finals series for the winter competition went smoothly fixtures wise. For the Spring Competition we had to move the 9/10 Division 2 competition to Loftberg courts as several courts were unavailable due to the installation of the lights. We are trialing rotating fixtures for Monday nights, ladies division 4, 5 & 6. This was to avoid one division having to play the 8.40pm timeslot which was not popular.

Katie Bonjer

KNA Fixtures Convenor

6.8 Grading Report:

Winter Competition:

This season 328 teams competed from Net Set Go through to A grade.

- Senior teams: 69



- Junior teams: 179 (10 years – Cadets)
- Net Set Go: 81 (7-9 years)

There was a decrease in team numbers in Opens, 10 years, 12 Years & NSG this year. However, team numbers were slightly up in 9 years, 11 years, Inters & Cadets.

During days 4 and 5, the Grading Committee watched/assessed then regraded 27 teams based on the results up to and including day 5. Most teams that were regraded were in 9 years as we didn't have the 9 year round robin at the beginning of the season due to bad weather.

Spring Competition:

The Spring Competition is currently underway with 109 teams competing from 9/10 years through to Ladies Comp and Senior Mixed. Team numbers are down on 2018 figures. The grading committee decided to not have competitions in ladies' divisions 1, 3 and 9 due to lack on team numbers.

- Ladies Comp – 44 teams, Senior Mixed Comp – 22 teams, Cadet Mixed – 9 teams, Inter Mixed – 10 teams, 11/12 Comp – 10 teams and 9/10 Comp – 14 teams.

Over the last few years the Spring Competition has been extremely difficult to grade due to teams stating they could only play at a certain time and night rather than where they should be graded. This year we are trialing a rotating timeslot in the Ladies Competition (grades 2, 4, 5 & 6) At this stage it seems to be working well, however I will request feedback from clubs and advise.

Special thanks to the wonderful 2019 Committee: Larissa Daniels, Belinda Kelly, Jen Maneschi, Jill Martin and Fiona Rondeau. I would also like to thank Loraine Unicomb, Tanya Sinclair, Katie Bonjer, Tatjana Domazet, Devi Ramakrishnan, Brenda Williams, David Funk and Jo-Anne Perry for their continued support during the season.

Kissane Gray

KNA Grading Convenor (2019)

6.9 Ground's Report:

Thank you to all volunteers who assisted with the grounds during 2019. Special thanks go to the members of the Grounds Committee who work hard to ensure that everything runs smoothly, with mention to Stewart who joined us this year. Equipment-wise, the main purchases during 2019 were a new BBQ, a new portable PA system, and replacement parts for the rep tents which needed repair.

Around the grounds there has been some significant work this year:

- The missing section of the car park works from 2017 was completed.
- The bins were moved from near the BBQs to a lock-up behind the storage container. This has made the area around the BBQs more pleasant and has prevented vandals from burning bins on the courts.
- A permanent shelter has been built (after the season) in the physio area.
- Work has commenced on the lights. It is anticipated this should be completed by mid-November.

David Funk

Grounds Convenor

6.10 Member Protection Report:

Overview of recent policy updates

In December 2018, Netball NSW adopted a revised set of Member Protection and associated policies, which came into effect in January 2019.

As part of the updates, the existing Member Protection Policy has been reorganized and revised into three distinct policies:

- (i) the Member Protection Policy,
- (ii) the Disciplinary Policy and (iii) the Grievance and Dispute Resolution Policy.

The Member Protection Policy seeks to ensure that every person involved in netball is treated with respect and dignity, and is protected from discrimination, harassment and abuse and other inappropriate and unacceptable behaviour. The Member Protection Policy has broad application – the Member Protection Policy applies to parents, guardians, spectators, sponsors and other persons to the fullest extent possible. All individuals bound by the Member Protection Policy are responsible for (i) complying with the standards of behaviour set out under the Member Protection Policy, (ii) placing the safety and welfare of children above all other considerations, (iii) complying with any decisions and/or disciplinary measures imposed under the Member Protection Policy and (iv) cooperating to provide a netball environment free of discrimination, child abuse, bullying, sexual harassment and victimization. *Attachment B* to the Member Protection Policy now provides forms for documenting both informal and formal complaints under the Member Protection Policy and includes detailed Complaint Handling Procedures. Forms are available at the complex at Cannon and can also be downloaded from [library/policies](#)



link'.

The Disciplinary Policy provides a formal framework for addressing "on court" offences. The Disciplinary Policy imposes automatic 1 and 2 game suspensions for certain "on court" offences that apply mandatorily, without the need for any Disciplinary Tribunal proceeding. Where a player has been ordered off for the remainder of the game by an umpire, the umpire must report the ordering-off by completing an Incident Report in the form included as Appendix C to the Disciplinary Policy as soon as possible after the game. A player who has been ordered off for the remainder of the game for an alleged level 1 offence will receive an automatic 1 game suspension from all games in the competition in which the ordering off occurred and no Disciplinary Tribunal will occur. A player who has been ordered off for the remainder of the game for an alleged level 2 offence will receive an automatic 2 game suspension from all games in the competition in which the ordering off occurred and no Disciplinary Tribunal will occur. Where the player has been ordered off for an alleged level 3, 4 or 5 offence, or for a subsequent level 2 offence, the matter will proceed directly to a Disciplinary Tribunal, and the player will be suspended until a decision has been made by the Disciplinary Tribunal.

The Grievance and Dispute Resolution Policy covers grievances and disputes as between members (and/or with clubs and associations). Under the Grievance and Dispute Resolution Policy, member to member grievances and disputes will generally be resolved by mediation.

As a general matter, all issues or potential issues should be raised and first considered at club level, where practicable and appropriate. Each club should appoint a Member Protection Information Officer, whose role it is;

- (6) to provide input and guidance as to the applicability and relevance of the Member Protection Policy to alleged issues and incidents raised at the lower informal level and
- (ii) to provide information in relation to the rights, responsibilities and options available to an individual that may be considering making a complaint.

Critical in ensuring the safety for participants that is fundamentally the core priority under the Member Protection Policy is that members feel comfortable approaching the MPIO and see the MPIO as impartial and not conflicted. If complaints are handled at club level, the MPIO should not be the officer advising of, or administering, any sanctions. If a complaint is raised at club level, it is also vital that confidentiality be maintained as between participants in the process. Any complaint should not be the subject of an executive meeting or broad discussion among executives.

2018 – 2019 incident report

During the year, there were three incidents of note. Two of these incidents were able to be resolved by KNA without the need for Hearing Officer consideration or a Hearing Tribunal. In the context of a third complex situation, KNA supported the relevant club in obtaining, and acting upon, advice from Netball NSW.

Particularly in view of the recent revisions to the Member Protection and associated policies, these incidents highlight that each of us – players, umpires, coaches, supporters and administrators – must ensure that

- (6) the safety and welfare of children is 16atronized16 above all other considerations,
- (ii) all those involved in netball activities are treated with dignity and respect and
- (iii) the game we love takes place in a safe and supportive environment and is played, officiated and administered in accordance with the spirit of the game.

Laura Sheridan Mouton
Member Protection Officer

6.11 NetSetGo Report:

This year we had 48 teams playing at Loftberg across 6 time slots beginning on the hour from 8am. Many of the teams participated in an orientation day before the season commenced, which was of great benefit for the teams starting the season with new players.

KNA held an NSG Gala Day which was also well 16atronized by Teams from KNA and surrounding associations as far as Gosford. It's always a great day and we thank the KNA committee members involved for all the hard work that goes in to making it a success. I'd also like to thank the club convenors who assisted in the complex to make the day run smoothly.

Each year one of the main tasks is checking that teams are rotating their players to allow every player the opportunity to play in every position on the court in a fair and equal manner. It seems to take several weeks for all teams to understand the procedure and fulfill this requirement of NetSetGo. This year teams were spot checked throughout the season to ensure they were rotating and allow for any support in understanding the process. The hands on approach allowed for clarification of the procedures where necessary. Unfortunately, the NetSetGo Skills program didn't run during the season this year due to the lack of a volunteer. We are



however offering a short term 4 NSG Program for 8 weeks on Friday afternoons at Loftberg.

Michelle Rae
NetSetGo Skills Coordinator

6.12 Night Competition/Spring Report:

This year's competition started on Monday, 9th of September for 3 weeks, followed by a 2-week school holiday break.

This year's competition attracted a lower number of teams than last year (down from 119 to 110) across all but Cadets Divisions. The most significant drop was in the Mixed Competition (down 3 teams) followed by 2 less teams in Ladies, Inters and Juniors Divisions. This could be partially explained by the increase in number of indoor netball competitions available to netball players during this period.

Given the commencement of the floodlighting capital works project at the Canoon Road Complex and the availability of only 8 courts for the 2019 Spring competition, one of the Junior Divisions had to be relocated to the Loftberg courts. This year, a decision was made not to open the canteen based on it being inequitable at Canoon Road Complex. The Jnr spring competition for these 2 divisions (11/12 and 9/10 Div 1) has been running smoothly with the assistance of our comp supervisor, Tina Tritton (KP).

The Monday night competition saw the introduction of a 'rotating time slot' for these 3 divisions, which was received well by all teams although we experienced some issues with umpires getting mixed up on their time slots. The highest division in Ladies competition is Div 2 which is held on Tuesday nights and has been running well with the help of Margot Davis (KP). Another thanks goes to Helen Burns (NT) and Kathy Thompson for their assistance on Monday and Wednesday nights.

I would like to give special thanks to the following people that helped me organize this year's competition and who were generous with their time and advice.

- Spring Comp Registrar – Devi Ramakrishnan
- Grading Convenor – Kissane Grey
- Fixtures – Katie Bonjer
- Umpiring On-call Supervisor – Loraine Unicomb
- Secretary – Rhonda Decker
- Grounds Co-ordinator – David Funk
- Council KNA Liaison – Robert Huntley

Some of the issues experienced to date with the 2019 Spring Competition were a reduction in team numbers across most divisions, down by 9.

As discussed earlier in the report, the availability of limited number of courts at the Canoon Road Complex this season due to the commencement of floodlighting capital works meant that one of the Junior Divisions had to be moved to Loftberg at 5.15 pm on Wednesday which could have created an issue with supervision (thank you Tina for stepping in).

Attempts to attract supervisors for Monday and Wednesday night on a permanent basis weren't successful.

We had some issues with younger umpires that struggled to umpire games in both the Ladies and Senior Mixed Competition, despite their relevant umpiring badge levels.

We had some minor issues with lighting on court 4 and in the ladies toilets which has been rectified by Council. A request was sent to Council for some additional maintenance works (repainting of court lines and tree trimming)

Recommendation for 2020 Spring Competition

- Ensure that the Spring Comp Committee has an Umpires Convenor. If possible, the clubs should attempt to attract older, more experienced umpires for both the Ladies and Senior Mixed Competitions.
- If any competition is run at the Loftberg complex, consider introducing a Key-Safe on the building that will assist with attraction of volunteers.
- Continue with a 'rotating time slot' for the Ladies Competition.

Tatjana Domazet
Spring Competition Convenor



6.13 North Shore United Report:

North Shore United Report 2019 was another great year for NSU

This year saw the inclusion of the U23 replacing the U20's last year. The pre-season starting with fitness testing and extensive training and played over April and May with the general competition season commencing at the end of May with 8 teams competing in our Opens and U23 competition. Our teams performed strongly with our Opens coming in equal third and falling short on the final series by .02% on goal count back. They were very disappointed as they performed extremely strongly particularly against the grand final teams. They challenged all season and were very competitive. Our U23's were the youngest in the competition. They went from strength to strength each week and by the end of the season were competing against more experienced players and making them stand up and notice. Many KNA players have benefited from this program including our training partners and our future is looking strong at NSU with trials commencing at the end of October 2019 for next season.

We are very proud of what these young girls achieved, and it put NSU and our association in good stead for the future pathway development of our players. There were some very exciting games played by both teams during the season of which we should be extremely proud. We were fortunate to have a wonderful coaching team and have pleasure in announcing their return for 2020 season.

Opens: Bec Bulley (Head coach) and our very own Lisa Duncan (Assistant) Manager Robyn Bramwell

U23s: Colleen Mitchell (Head coach) and NSNA Tania Dohery (Assistant) Manager: Jo-Anne Perry

NSU ran several successful events this year including a trivia night and supported both NSNA and KNA strong with our club coaching programs and held a wonderful end of Season presentation night enjoyed by all.

Our matches were live streamed on three courts including live commentary on the Show court with. Live streaming this year saw over 300,000 views.

The new formula of U23's has proved successful and will continue in 2020 with the additional inclusion of two new franchises making 10 teams in the draw and we believe we are set for great season in 2020 and we wish all the teams' great success.

NSU Team Lists for 2019	
U23's	Opens
Head Coach: Colleen Mitchenl	Head Coach: Bec Bulley
Assistant Coach: Tania Dorahy	Assistant Coach: Lisa Duncan
Manager: Jo-Anne Perry	Manager: Robyn Bramwell
Leah Bevan Sophie Dixon Ashlie Edwards Lucinda Drinan Bethany Fry Sally Guthrie Ella Johnson Erin O'Brien Jamie Podmore Taylor Millie Roach Annika Rudd Hannah Victor	Amelia Basheer Elle Bennetts Eliza Burton Sarah Corfield Tayla Fraser Sabina Gomboso Matisse Letherbarrow Maddie McCathie Emily Moore Emily Nesbitt Charlotte Raleigh Hayley Wilson



Madison Ward		
Training Partners		
Ella Daniel	Lucy Matthews	Jordyn Chue
Georgia Dean	Leisel Millard	Laura Borkman
Claudia Lenehan	Sophie Kevern	Sarah Jamieson

6.14 Marketing Report:

The KNA Brand

As well as the obvious impact that Ku-ring-gai Netball Association has had in terms of netball locally and at State level, the Association has, over the past few years, participated in several initiatives which have raised considerable funds for various community-based projects. In addition, KNA has contributed substantial amounts to upgrading the Council owned Canoon Rd facilities as well as establishing and maintaining an All Abilities program.

We have a loyal group of sponsors and suppliers who continue to support our Association and a code of behaviour that has been developed over the past 50+ years. Consequently, KNA is well regarded by Local and Federal Government as well as NNSW and most of the local community. As a result, we have been the recipient of several grants and have also received enquiries from companies that wish to sponsor KNA or be associated with the Association in some way in 2020.

Sponsorship

I have met with the following sponsors who have agreed to renew their sponsorship for 2020 and I am currently preparing contracts for them to sign:

Gold Sponsor: Chadwick Real Estate

Silver: North Shore Orthodontics

Partner: St Ives Shopping Village

I am following up with:

Silver: Ku-ring-gai Sports and Spinal Physiotherapy

Silver: NRMA

Potential Sponsor:

KNA has been approached by a potential Gold Sponsor for 2020 (now \$10,000 for new sponsors). Jo-Anne Perry and I attended a meeting with the directors of the company concerned and it was agreed that they would become sponsors for next year. Their legal team is currently going over the contract we sent to them. Once that has been signed, we will advise KNA members of their details.

Activities Prior to the start of the season:

After the 2019 AGM I completed the following:

- Compiled and sent out a Sponsor's Newsletter listing key dates for 2019
- Met with existing sponsors and signed them up for 2019
- Worked with the designer to develop an updated Sponsorship Pack for 2019
- Worked with the designer to develop and updated format for the newsletter
- Worked with the designer to update advertising rates and dates brochure

Activities during the season:

- Followed up with each sponsor on a regular basis to ensure that they received - and were happy with - the benefits listed in their contracts
- Assisted sponsors with their editorial if requested
- Called them to discuss any opportunities which may have arisen
- Liaised with them about participating in Sponsor's Day and donating prizes for Crazy Hair & Sock Day and the Drought Relief initiative.

Newsletters

Four 12- page Tabloid sized newsletters were emailed directly to the KNA membership data base during the 2019 season, while four hundred hard copies of each issue were distributed to advertisers, sponsors and the general public.



During 2019 I dropped off newsletters at the Gordon Centre, SISV, Bendigo Bank (Turrumurra and Lindfield) and various participating IGA stores. I checked on these locations and found that the uptake was extremely good, especially in Gordon. I would like to expand the delivery area of the newsletter because, while electronic copies are mailed to the entire KNA data base, hard copies are the only form of direct communication with the general public - promoting awareness of KNA among potential sponsors, possible new KNA members and the wider Ku-ring-gai community.

Special Events

Crazy Hair & Sock Day

Participation in the 2019 event was much better than in previous years and a record-breaking amount of over \$5200 was raised for the designated charity. I was assisted throughout by Keri Sheraton while Michelle Rae organised CH&S at Loftberg.

Keri Sheraton donated hairspray and helped to set up the table on the day, as well as organising collection boxes and entry forms for Canoon Rd and Loftberg from 7:30am to 2 pm and follow -up publicity appeared in the final newsletter and on social media.

Sponsor's Day

- Liaised with sponsors to arrange attendance
- Chadwick Real Estate, Ku-ring-gai Sports and Spinal, North Shore Orthodontics and a retailer from St Ives Shopping Village (SISV) participated in this event
- Liaised with David Funk to arrange parking and set-up for sponsors
- Feedback received from sponsors was very positive
- The event was publicised in the next newsletter and on social media.

Media – Electronic, Social, Print and General

- Sent out media releases to local papers in respect of lights, Crazy Hair & Sock Day, Drought Relief and Fund Raising in 2019
- Wrote material for website and Facebook as required
- Wrote material for various sponsors celebrating their years of KNA sponsorship
- Wrote material for The Source/Umpire's competition

I would like to thank Barbara Pope who assisted me during the year, as well as David Funk and his Grounds Committee - who ensured that the logistics were taken care of and that everything ran smoothly at all events - and Brenda Williams, who was the go-to person when I had any queries. Special thanks to Keri Sheraton and Michelle Rae for their roles at Loftberg during Crazy Hair & Sock day, as well as all those willing KNA members who stepped in whenever I needed their help.

Rhoda Fowler
Marketing Manager

6.15 Registrar Report – Seniors:

Thank you to all club registrars for their patience and understanding during the year. NNSW keeps us on our toes, with new programs, breakdowns and sometimes leaving us wondering what's it all about. We also tried something different by having each club supply an Office bearer member to allow them to get some insight on what the KNA management on a Saturday, inside our complex. We hope those that participated enjoyed the experience and are more aware on how things work. Whilst we all have our individual roles it is the whole Netball community support that makes the season so successful.

I would like to thank Jo our Junior Registrar, for all her help and support this year. You were there when I needed you.

On a statistical note, numbers of member have been steady over the last few years. They tend to fluctuate a little. Winter numbers are a little down this year, but Spring Comp numbers are up. With the lighting being fitted now no doubt this will encourage more new members and old to return. Our Association is growing for the better and is an Association to be reckoned with.

I had the honour of being awarded the Presidents Award this year. It was a very heart felt surprise. I would like to thank everyone that supports me and all volunteers that give up their time to help run the Association. Whilst accolades are directed at one, they cannot be achieved without all.

Have a wonderful safe Christmas everyone. I look forward to seeing you all again next year and look forward to you achieving your 'goals' in 2020.

Tanya Sinclair
Senior Registrar



6.16 Rep Liaison Officer's Report:

Another very busy season in 2019 in both our junior and senior rep programs.

This year saw Netball NSW make changes to the State Age and State Championships program. State Age became Junior State Titles consisting of 12, 13 and 14 year age groups. State Championships became Senior State Titles consisting of 15 years, 17 years and open divisions.

The junior program commenced with the selection process in September/October 2018, finishing with the Junior State Titles in July for State Age teams, and the Wyong Carnival in August for some of our Development teams.

The 2018/2019 representative carnivals were well attended with many wins from our various Junior State Titles and Development teams. Carnivals attended included Parramatta, Penrith, Eastwood Ryde, Norths, Newcastle, Baulkham Hills, Liverpool, Campbelltown, Manly and Wyong. The junior program had a good season, producing strong results at the Junior State titles and many carnival wins for both our Development and State Titles teams.

KNA had three teams compete in Metro League. Our teams were in Division 2, 4 and 5. The Division 2 team worked hard finishing by winning the grand final and coming in 1st. The Division 4 team had a strong season, finishing 4th and the Division 5 had a tough year coming in 10th.

Courcraft Night Inter-district, Summer Series Development League and Fast 5 are currently underway. KNA have a team in Division 1 of Night Interdistrict, a team in the U17 Development League and a team entered in the Fast 5 competition.

Court bookings have been as challenging as always. Facilities utilised for representative training are Lofberg courts, Canoon Rd courts in summer, PLC and Abbotsleigh.

I would like to thank the following people for their assistance throughout the season:

- The State Titles, Development, Metro League, Night ID, Summer Development League and Senior State Titles managers for giving up their time to ensure the success and organisation of each team throughout the year. These roles are crucial to the support of the program and coaches.
- Kim Chan and the Umpiring committee. Finding umpires for weeknight games, coordinating umpires for all trials, carnivals and championships throughout the year. This is such an important part of the rep program that we are always very thankful for the unwavering support.
- Brenda Williams for assistance with uniforms, frock shop and stocktake throughout the season.
- Marinda Taha for running the BBQ roster for the year
- Lee Field for all her help throughout the year
- The Executive for their continued and ongoing support of the rep program
- All members of the Rep Liaison committee for their support throughout the year. The Rep Liaison committee is always in need of volunteers, so if you feel you can spare a little time and would like to make a contribution to the running of the rep program we would love to hear from you.

The representative committee continue to look at ways of improving our program. This is an ongoing process, and all facets of the representative program will be under the microscope as we work to improve the KNA rep program. The Development of players in both the junior and senior level is critical to the future of our representative program. Our development teams in both junior and senior form an important part of our representative program each year, ensuring a strong program for the future.

Angela Walker

KNA Rep Liaison Officer

6.17 Rep Selection Convenor's Report – Seniors:

The Senior Representative Program has enjoyed a successful year. Our Senior Representative Teams have had a very long season and I commend the commitment of all players, coaches and support staff. As usual, Ku-Ring-Gai teams played with skill, creativity and great sportsmanship. Thanks must go to my fellow selectors who have taken time to watch and observe the players and teams in both their representative and club games. Thank you to Maddi Hallam and Louise Woods for their assistance this year.

We had two teams competing this year in the Senior State Titles. The 15 Years team finished 11th in the State, and the 17 Years team came 2nd in the State. Congratulations to both teams.



Division 4 and Division 5. Our Division 5 team had a very difficult year but continued to train and play with dedication throughout. For many this was their first year in a senior grade. Under the guidance of their coach, Erin McArthur, they continued to improve across the season. Our Division 4 team, coached by Kathryn Williams, made it into the finals series but narrowly lost by 2 goals. Our Division 2 team, coached by Stuart Moore, had a persistent season and played a nail-biting semi-final which went to double extra-time to move straight through to the grandfinal. They played beautifully in the grand final and won by 3 goals. Congratulations to all three of our Metro teams on an outstanding season.

The official team behind our Senior players also needs to be thanked, in particular Ange Walker, our Rep Liaison Officer who organises everything so that the teams are as cared for and prepared as possible. Thank you also to the hard-working team managers, the umpires who give up their time to help the teams develop, and the parents and carers who transport the players to trainings and games. Thank you also to Dave and his team for their work as Primary Carers at our representative events.

Congratulations to the following players and officials who represented KNA with so much pride;

15 Years State Titles Team	17 Years State Titles Team
Hollie Cameron Francesca Gunn Lilian Huntley NiraayaJayasinghe Mia Johnson Lily Johnstone Georgia Lafford Jessica Marx Grace Stump Kathryn Trehwella Bonnie Tucker	Syrena Bayne Ella Daniel Pippa Day Sasha Deffert Sophie Dixon Caitlin Fletcher Ella Johnson Molly-Rose McArthur Sasha Oaten Madeline Playford Sophie Roe
Coach: Pete Havrlant Manager: Jen Maneschi Assistant Coaches: Jackie Cane and Tess Havrlant	Coach: Kat Williams Manager: Ros Roots
Metro Division 2	Metro Division 4
Ella Daniel Pippa Day Georgia Dean Amber Hart Isabel Johansson Taela Marriott Molly-Rose McArthur Kaitlin McCaffery Liesel Millard Madeline Playford	Sasha Deffert Rachel Doherty Caitlin Fletcher Molly Haymen Anna Johansson Emma Jones Natalie Lukacevic Sasha Oaten Sophie Roe Alice Taylor
Coach: Stuart Moore Manager: Kathy Staggs	Coach: Kat Williams Manager: Susie Fletcher
Metro Division 5	
Chloe Beytagh Caitlin Blandford Suane Bloem Maddison Diener Sophie Halliday Ella Koster Natalie Losanno Isabelle McDougall Lauren Robinson Shannon Smit	Coach: Erin McArthur Managers: Susie Losanno / Alison Halliday



Catie Stewart Rachel Wright	
2019 Fast 5 Georgia Cottle Sophie Dixon Jemma Donoghue Bethany Fry Sarah Heward-Belle Ella Johnson Genevieve Mexted Milla Papallo Annika Rudd Hannah Victor	
2019 Night Interdistrict Team Syrena Bayne Ella Daniel Sasha Deffert Caitlin Fletcher Ella Johnson Jess MacLennan-Pike Molly Rose McArthur Liesel Millard Sasha Oaten Claudia Petrie Coach: Stuart Moore Manager: Kathy Staggs	2019 Summer Development League Scarlet Brett Hollie Cameron Fran Gunn Mia Johnson Lily Johnstone Georgia Lafford Kyasha Marango Jessica Marx Grace Stump Kathryn Trehwella Coach: Jeanne Selvage Manager: Heidi Cameron

6.18 Rep Selection Convenor's Report – Junior:

Report not provided

Stuart Moore

Junior Rep Selection Convenor

2019 11s Talent Squad Lily Brignell Amy Daniel Lily Fargher Cayleigh Hartwig Lara Hughes Sasha Kalinin Amy McKessar Jodie Mead Amelia Moore Annie Moyes Mia Nemeth de Bikal Jessie Procter JoJo Ricketts Annabelle Stewart Adelaide Taylor Amelia Thomas Charlotte Tidemann Isla Webster Harlow Wigley Georgia Wood	Co Coach: Lee Field & Garry Cornius Development Coach: Alice Taylor Manager: Ros Roots
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12 Years State Age	12 Years Development
Marinè Botha Sienna Brett Caroline Cuda Ella Giffin Louise Lovell Alice Mackenzie Maia Madden Khan Juliette Mouton Amelia Watkins Mandy Williams Jessica Young Coach: Lisa Duncan Assistant Coach: Jordyn Chue/Emily Moore Manager: Robyn Bramwell	Gaby Brooker Emelie Coe Arabella Cox Audrey Draper Saskia Jordan Sarah Lovell Bethany Tate Olivia Wood Madeleine Woods Kiera Yerbury Coach: Shannon Smit Manager: Avona Cox
13 Years State Age	13 Years Development
Hannah Alexander Sheridan Baker Annaliese Chan Jodie Crisp Maddy Elder Charlie Hill Macy Marx Dijana Mazumdar Hannah Taha Taya Yerbury Coach: Tracy Taylor Assistant Coach: Isabel Johansson Manager: Cathy Davies	Ella Brown Stephanie Buys Shayla Gleeson Asha Goddard Ella Magee Abbie Maley Charlotte Morris Georgia Muirhead Sarah Urbaniak Mischa Winkel Jessica Woods Coach: Taylor Hickman Manager: Sally Magee
14 Years State Age	14 Years Development
Olivia Armati Caitlin Blackburn Sienna Bond Samantha Janssen Mia Mackenzie Claudia Runge Hannah Thonell Abigail Tyler Brianna Worsfold Coach: Maddi Shume Assistant Coach: Hayley Wilson Manager: Louise Smit	Tahlia Thompson Hannah MacLennan-Pike Ollvia Hooper Scarlett Judd Alicia Tsang Georgia Spanswick Giuliana Panozzo Zoe Huxtable Hayley Griffin Emily Burns Coach: Rod Selvage Manager: Sarah Panozzo
15 Years State Age	15 Years Development



Hollie Cameron Francesca Gunn Lilian Huntley Niraaya Jayasinghe Mia Johnson Lily Johnstone Georgia Lafford Jessica Marx Grace Stump Kathryn Trehwella Bonnie Tucker Coach: Peter Havrlant Manager: Jen Maneschi	Scarlet Brett Paige Critchlow Chloe Duncan Layla Farook Laura Legovich Rose Mitsui Emily Moraitis Abigail Sage Coach: Erin McArthur Manager: Simone Brett
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6.19 Umpire Convenor's Report:

2019 was an extremely successful year for KNA umpires, despite a small committee. Our sincerest thanks go to the hard work put into the season by everyone to ensure such amazing results. We would also like to thank the committee members who will not be returning in 2020.

This year we focused on developing umpire coaches and mentors to improve the caliber of umpires not only at grass roots levels but to continue improvement for those umpiring within the state programs.

We wish to thank the hard work by the club convenors and committees to ensure the success of the district badging program. Increased collaboration and communication between the KNA committee and our club counterparts made for an extremely successful season at all levels.

The success of these programs can be seen in the number of district and national badges that were awarded throughout the season. The following is a breakdown of the umpiring badges awarded.

District badges:

- Low Ds 84
- Mid Ds 94
- High Ds 77

National badges:

- Cs 33
- Bs 15

Further success of the new development programs can be seen by the number of KNA umpires involved and/or identified at NSW run competitions. We are very proud of the umpires who represented our associations at the following competitions:

- Senior State Titles
- Junior State Titles
- Metro League
- Premier League
- Night ID

A further congratulations goes Shauna Winchester, Kim Chan and Jessica Clay who were awarded Premier League and Metro League grand final games this year.

**Allison Gill/Alan Prentice
Umpires Convenor**

6.20 Web Administrator's Report:

The website address for KNA is www.kna.nsw.netball.com.au. The website was very stable this year, with no known outages. The following mail-outs were sent via e-mail to our members for 2019:

- 4 – KNA Newsletters
- 3 – Messages from our Sponsors
- 3 – NSU Player Clinics
- 2 – Grant Voting
- 2 – Charity



Figure 1: Below are some statistics from Sendgrid which the program is used to send e-mails to our members:



Figure 2: Below is a graph showing what people are using to view KNA e-mails:

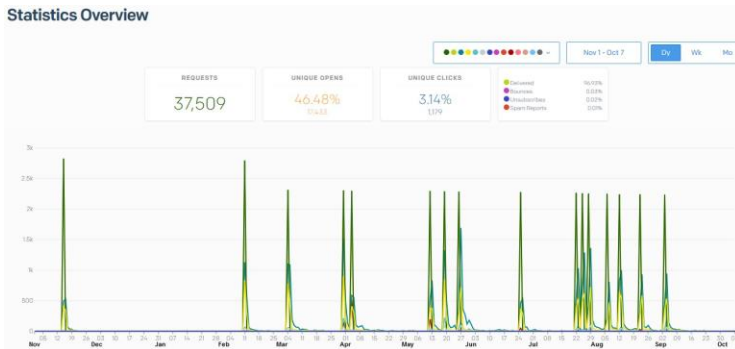
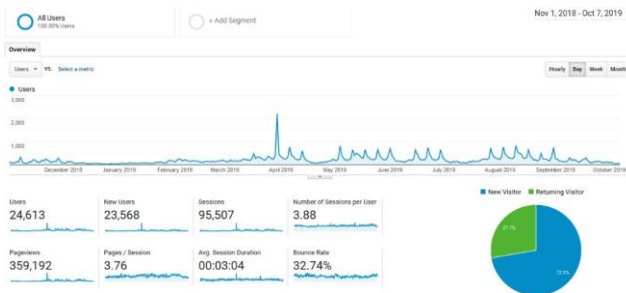


Figure 3: Google Analytics for www.kna.nsw.netball.com.au Date range: (Nov 1 2018 – Oct 7 2019)
Page View: an instance of an Internet user visiting a particular page on a website



Loraine Unicomb
Website Administrator



7. Appointment of an Auditor

It is recommended that PBA Partners be appointed again in 2020 as appointed Auditor.

8. Notices of Motion

NOTICES OF MOTION TO ALLOW SMALL CLUB BORROWING

Proposed: Kissane Gray

Second: Loraine Unicomb

Proposed, to permit borrowing outside the Borrowing guidelines, for Small clubs (20 teams or less) with a "Sister club" as determined by the Grading committee.

Standard Borrowing rules would apply, including borrowing for the finals series.

It is envisaged that the club borrowing the player would provide a uniform to the borrowed player.

Process:

1. This rule will only be made available for small clubs (20 teams or less)
2. The Competition "Borrowing guidelines" will be applicable.
3. The Grading committee will vote by majority with no conflict of interest, and "highlight" Small clubs (20 teams or less) who have no borrowing capacity within their club.
4. A "Sister club" will be allocated for this purpose.
5. If the "Sister club" is not available within the borrowing guidelines the Grading Committee will designate an alternate club to assist. .
6. **All requests by the "Small Club" is to be given in writing to the Grading Committee 48 hours prior to the day of play and approved in writing.**
7. This process would need to be followed each time someone is borrowed

NOTICE OF MOTION TO CHANGE LINDEM CLUB NAME TO LINDFIELD NETBALL CLUB

Proposed: Rod Jackson

Second: Louise Woods

Lindem Netball Club hereby gives notice to Ku-Ring-Gai Netball Association (KNA) to change the name of Lindem Netball Club to Lindfield Netball Club.

Rationale for Name Change:

The decision to change the name of the club is based on the following reasons:

1. Lindem Netball was originally founded to represent the pupils of Lindfield Demonstration School, hence the name Lindem. Lindfield Demonstration School changed its name to Lindfield Public School several years ago. The name Lindem is now only associated with the Netball Club and has no recognition to any other school or organisation. The name Lindfield is representative of the suburb and local area. This enables us to represent all the schools within the local community under one (1) name - Lindfield.
2. There is overwhelming support from our members and executive to change the name of our club to Lindfield Netball Club.
3. Due to the changing demographics within our local community, it is getting more difficult to attract girls to netball. Changing the name to Lindfield will be part of our marketing within the community to provide more name recognition with the local area and hence provide more opportunities to attract players.
4. As a club, we are the southern most club within KNA based on location and closest to Northern Suburbs Netball Association, (NSNA). It is important that we have very strong name recognition within our local community to ensure we attract girls from within the local community. Particularly when girls enter high school and attend schools within the NSNA catchment area, changing associations becomes an option for them. We anticipate that changing to Lindfield Netball will provide more teams within the transition age groups to allow the club to improve our spread of teams and therefore retain these girls and attract new players.
5. Lindem Life Members and family members of deceased Life Members have been contacted in person to seek their feedback regarding the change of name. We have had unanimous support from our Life Members who believe that the change of name will be more representative of the local community.
6. The name Lindfield Netball will provide larger engagement within the local community as currently people are unaware of what the name Lindem represents.
7. The name Lindfield Netball will provide vastly improved sponsorship opportunities within the local



community as we will represent the entire community, rather than a single club.

8. The change of name will also represent a change of uniform. The uniform change will be in keeping predominantly with our existing colours

We are more than willing to answer any further queries relating to the change of name.

Resolutions required:

Nil required.

Fees

Please find proposed fees for 2020 attached below.



(all fees are GST inclusive)	2019 Fees				2020 fees			
	NSWNA Fee	KNA Fee	Building Fund Levy	Total Fee	NSWNA Fee	KNA Fee	Building Fund Levy	Total Fee
Club Affiliation Fee (once off fee per Club per annum)		\$60.00		\$60.00		\$60.00		\$60.00
Building Fund Levy (see notes below)								
Winter Competition - All Divisions								
Player 18 yrs and over (Note: NNSW fee = 4.5% increase FY19 to FY20)	\$86.26	\$78.74	\$12.00	\$177.00	\$86.26	\$78.74	\$12.00	\$182.00
Player 11-17 yrs (Note: NNSW fee = 4.5% increase FY19 to FY20)	\$65.53	\$76.47	\$12.00	\$154.00	\$65.53	\$76.47	\$12.00	\$158.00
NetSetGo (modified - Canoon) - Player 9 & 10 yrs (Note: NNSW fee unchanged from FY19 to FY20)	\$63.34	\$74.66	\$12.00	\$150.00	\$63.34	\$74.66	\$12.00	\$150.00
NetSetGo (modified - Lofberg) - Player 6 - 8 yrs (Excludes Building Levy) (Note: NNSW fee unchanged from FY19 to FY20)	\$63.34	\$74.66		\$138.00	\$63.34	\$74.66		\$138.00
NetSetGo Skills Program - Lofberg (Excludes Building Levy) (Note: NNSW fee unchanged from FY19 to FY20)	\$63.34	\$13.66		\$77.00	\$63.34	\$13.66		\$77.00
Non Player (Excludes Building Levy) (Note: NNSW fee unchanged from FY19 to FY20)	\$44.77	\$0.23		\$45.00	\$44.77	\$0.23		\$45.00
All Abilities Player (Excludes Building Levy) (Note: NNSW fee unchanged from FY19 to FY20)	\$29.49	\$20.51		\$50.00	\$29.49	\$20.51		\$50.00
Spring Night Competition - Playing Senior Divisions (Note: NNSW 30% reduced for Summer only)								
Senior 18+ (existing members KNA) (Excludes Building Levy)		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00
Senior 18+ (existing members other associations, Player registered with NNSW)		\$50.00	\$12.00	\$62.00		\$50.00	\$12.00	\$63.00
Senior 18+(new players) (Note: NNSW fee = 4.5% increase FY19 to FY20)	\$60.38	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$122.38	\$60.38	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$125.00
Senior 18+ Non Player to Player	\$15.61	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$77.61	\$15.61	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$80.00
NC Junior <18 (existing members KNA) playing ladies comp (Excludes Building Levy)		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00
NC Junior <18 (existing members other associations, Player registered with NNSW) playing ladies comp		\$50.00	\$12.00	\$62.00		\$50.00	\$12.00	\$62.00
NC Junior <18 (new players) playing ladies comp (Note: NNSW fee = 4.5% increase FY19 to FY20)	\$45.87	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$107.87	\$45.87	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$108.00
NC Junior <18 Non Player to Player playing ladies comp	\$5.00	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$67.00	\$5.00	\$50.00	\$12.00	\$67.00
Non Player (Excludes Building Levy)	\$44.77	\$0.23		\$45.00	\$44.77	\$0.23		\$45.00
Spring Night Competition - Playing Junior Divisions (Excludes Building Levy & NNSW fees)								
Junior girls 9/10 & 11/12 (existing members KNA)		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$51.00
Junior/Intermediates mixed (9 to 14 years) (existing members KNA)		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$51.00
Cadets mixed (15, 16, 17 years) (existing members KNA)		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$50.00		\$51.00



Winter Comp Refunds

\$35 to KNA members for withdrawing from competition up to game 7, that have not played during this period. As per the Netball NSW Affiliation and Membership Policy section 5.6 which can be found on their website, we are unable to deregister / refund membership fees after 31 March each year. KNA need to maintain consistency and follow the policy in order to deliver an equal service to all members.

Spring Night Comp Refunds

\$25 to KNA members for withdrawing from competition up to game 5, that have not played during this period. As per the Netball NSW Affiliation and Membership Policy section 5.6 which can be found on their website, we are unable to deregister / refund membership fees after Spring Comp commence day 1. KNA need to maintain consistency and follow the policy in order to deliver an equal service to all members.

Building Fund Levy

The building fund levy is to be applied once per player per year, excluding NetSetGo Skills, All Abilities, non-players registrations. It will be applied in the Senior divisions for night competition registration fees to players who did not play Winter competition with KNA.

Fees have been maintained for (predominantly) for (Juniors and) NSG to encourage more participation.

Netball NSW Council meeting took place on 3 November 2019 and fees were approved as included in KNA fees update.



9. Draft KNA Calendar 2020

2020 Calendar - Option 1

This option has 3 games played before the Autumn (April) holidays.
 No games being played in the April holidays
 It has a short grades day where those grades of only 6 teams will play 2 x half games. (Day 12)
 Spring competition finishes last week of November

Date	Day	External Events	Association Support / Sport Events	Competition Dates
1-Jan	Wed		Registration opens for winter season	
27-Jan	Mon	Australia Day Public Holiday		
28-Jan	Tues	School term 1 starts		
14-Feb	Fri		KNA Club President Meet & Greet / Pre Season meeting	
21-Feb	Fri		Umpires: Nominations for new umpires Workshop, List of active umpires and Rep Carnival nominations due	
25-Feb	Tues		SGM & NetSetGo Forum	
27-Feb	Thurs		Registrations completed & teams submitted by all clubs	
29-Feb	Sat		KNA paper grading +	
2-Mar	Mon		Umpires: Beginner Umpires Workshop	
3-Mar	Tues		Preliminary grading issued	
3-Mar	Tues		Under 11 Club Coaching Clinic Series 2020, Tuesday 3rd, 10th and 17th - 4.30-6.30pm	
4-Mar	Wed		Grading disputes deadline	
7-Mar	Sat		NSU Back to Netball Clinic 2:00-5:00pm	
8-Mar	Sun		NSU Specialist Clinic - 9:00 - 12:00 (TBC)	9 Year Round Robin grading
9-Mar	Mon		Final winter comp grading issued	
12-Mar	Thurs		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 1-5 Due	
14-Mar	Sat			NetSetGo Orientation Day
21-Mar	Sat		Newsletter issue 1 + NNSW AGM & Council Meeting	Day 1
28-Mar	Sat			Day 2
29-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
4-Apr	Sat			Day 3
5-Apr	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
10-Apr	Fri	Good Friday Public Holiday & Autumn school holidays start		
13-Apr	Mon	East Monday Public Holiday		
20-Apr	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
25-Apr	Sat	ANZAC Day Public Holiday		
27-Apr	Mon	School term 2 starts		
2-May	Sat		Sponsors' Day (Day 4)	Day 4
9-May	Sat		Newsletter Issue 2 (Day 5)	Day 5 (regrading)
11-May	Mon		Re-grading issued	
12-May	Tues		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 6-10 Due	
16-May	Sat			Day 6
17-May	Sun			All Abilities Carnival (KNA hosting)
19-May	Tues		Competition Forum	
23-May	Sat			Day 7
24-May	Sun			NetSetGo Gala Day
30-May	Sat		Crazy Hair and Sock Day (Day 8)	Day 8
6-Jun	Sat		HART Senior State Titles (Div 1 - Liverpool)	
7-Jun	Sun		HART Senior State Titles	
8-Jun	Mon	Queens Birthday Public Holiday	HART Senior State Titles	
13-Jun	Sat			Day 9
16-Jun	Tues		SGM & Club Forum	
20-Jun	Sat		Newsletter Issue 3 (Day 10)	Day 10
22-Jun	Mon		Umpires: Grand Roster Weeks 11-15 Due.	
26-Jun	Fri	Private Schools Break		
27-Jun	Sat			Day 11
4-Jul	Sat		HART Junior State Titles (Div 1 - Penrith)	
7-Jul	Sun		HART Junior State Titles	
6-Jul	Mon	Winter school holidays start	HART Junior State Titles	
20-Jul	Mon		NSU School Holiday Skills Clinic 9:00 - 3:00pm	
29-Jul	Mon			Day 12 (Short grades)
25-Jul	Sat			
26-Jul	Sun		Spring Comp Registrations open + NSU July Specialist Clinic 9-12	
26-Jul	Sun		President's Forum	
1-Aug	Sat			Day 13
2-Aug	Sun			Junior Gala Day
8-Aug	Sat			Day 14
14-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Registrations close	
15-Aug	Sat			Semi Finals
17-Aug	Mon		Spring Comp Paper Grading	
21-Aug	Fri		Spring Comp Grading issued	
22-Aug	Sat			Finals
29-Aug	Sat		Newsletter Issue 4 (Grand Final Day)	Grand Finals
5-Sep	Sat			Back Up Grand Finals
6-Sep	Sun	JNR Rep Trials - anytime for next month, including all weekends and weeknights		
7-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 1
14-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 2
21-Sep	Mon			Spring Comp Week 3
28-Sep	Mon	Spring school holidays start		
5-Oct	Mon	Labour Day		
12-Oct	Mon	School term 4 starts		Spring Comp Week 4
19-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 5
26-Oct	Mon			Spring Comp Week 6
2-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
9-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
14-Nov	Sat		KNA AGM	
16-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 9
23-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 10



2020 Calendar - Option 2

This option has competition starting a week later so that there is more time for club grading + season preparation
 It then puts Day 3 after the Autumn school holidays and everything else one week later
 It has a short grades day where those grades of only 6 teams will play 2 x half games. (Day 12)
 Spring competition goes into 1st week of December

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28-Mar	Sat		Newsletter issue 1 (Day 1)	Day 1
29-Mar	Sun		Under 11 Representative Development Program Selection	
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9-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 7
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16-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 8
23-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Week 9
30-Nov	Mon			Spring Comp Day 10



Netball NSW calendar was not presented due to Netball Australia Calendar in process. We don't anticipate this will affect our 20210 calendar presented but we will update upon receipt from Netball NSW as appropriate.

10. Consideration of any Special Business of which Notices have been given in accordance with the Constitution.

Nil required.

Election of Office Bearers

Further nominations for vacant positions which were not within Constitution can be accepted in an acting capacity (marked ***) and tabled for approval at the next General Meeting.

EXECUTIVEMEMBERS

President	Jo-Anne Perry	WAH
Secretary	Helen Pratt	WAH
Treasurer	Ian Eldershaw	WP
Executive Member	Loraine Unicomb	WP
Executive Member	Nicole Sykes	HH
Executive Member	Ros Roots	BER
Executive Member	Don Tritton	KP

OFFICE BEARERS

Club Coaching Convenor	Louise Woods	LIN
Fixtures Convenor	Katie Bonjer	STI
Grading Convenor	Kissane Gray	NT
Grounds Convenor	David Funk	BER
Junior Registrar	Jo Keevers	WAH
Night Comp Coordinator	Tatjana Domazet	KNA
Rep Liaison Officer	Angela Walker	WP
Senior Registrar	Tanya Sinclair	LIN
Umpires Convenor	Alan Pentice/Ally Gill (Joint convenors)	KNA

Nominations for the following Positions to be Appointed and Sub Committees have been received, however further nominations may be submitted up to and at the AGM.

13.2 Positions to be appointed

Junior Registrar Assistant		
LoftbergNetSetGo! Skills Coordinator		
Member Protection Information Officer		
NetSetGo! Convenor		
Night Court Booking Officer		
KNA All Abilities Coordinator	Deb Frost	HH
Senior Registrar Assistant		
Website Administrator	Loraine Unicomb	WPNC

13.4 Sub-Committees

Appointments panel Jnrs Ratify	Kerri Sheraton	KNA
Grading Committee (max. 6 members incl. Convenor)	Jennifer Maneschi	WAH
	Belinda Kelly	BER
	Larissa Daniel	WP
Grounds Committee (min. 6 members inc Convenor)	Miriam Kluger	KP
	Tiffany Judson	WPNC
	Stewart Stead	WPNC



Rep Liaison Committee (4 positions)		
Special Events Committee (4 positions)		
Umpires Committee (15 members incl. Convenor)	India Dwyer	STI
	Kelly Oastler	
	Arabella Judson	WPNC
	Courtney Flarey	
	Paris Judson	WPNC
	SuaneBloem	

11. Qualifications of Nominees for KNA AGM 2019

EXECUTIVE:	
Jo-Anne Perry	KNA President 2013-19, 2019 NNSW Anne Clarke recipient, Director North Shore United 2015-2019, NDUU23 Manager 2019, NNSW Competition Review committee 2019, NNSW Appeals panel member 8 plus years, NNSW MPIO Tribunal and Hearing Officer (8 years), NNSW Advisory panel Board nominees 2017, NNSW Reserve Delegate NNSW 2013-2019, KNA Vice President 2011-12, KNA Executive 2005-8, 2010, KNA Appointments panel 2013-2019, KNA Life member, Jun Rep Selector 9 yrs, Jun & Sen Rep manager 6 yrs, KNA Grading committee 2000-2001, KNA Grading Secretary 2002-2006, KNA Delegate to NNSW various yrs, Int coach, various club President, Secretary, Registrar, Treasurer, Grader, Selector, Coaching mentor, Coach, Manager, Company Secretary over 35 years, Public officer NSU @ KNA various Member 28 years.
Loraine Unicomb	KNA Vice President 2019, KNA Exec 2016-18 KNA Grading committee 2012-2015 yrs, KNA Website Admin 9yrs, club President to 2019, grading and coaching committees, club coach, player and umpire
Ros Roots	KNA Executive 2019, Netball player 42 years. Umpire 42 years; Club coach 16 years + ;Umpires committee club and association 11 years +; Hornsby Heights Committee member last 5 years; Appointed VP HH 2019; Grading HH 5 years And Berowra 3yrs; Manager KNA 11s 6 year Assistant coach KNA 11s 2013 Mgr KNA U17s 2018 and 2019
Ian Eldershaw	CPA Accountant with about 35 years experience. Employed for many years as Financial Controller at Pittard Pty Ltd which consults and trains in the real estate industry. Eight years as treasurer for the Gordon West Public School Parents and Citizens Association Previous P&C auditor, as well as West Pymble Scouts. MYOB software trained
Don Tritton	Current President of KPNC as well as a Committee member, ex-Vice President Berowra Netball Club as well as Committee member.
Nicole Skyes	Many exec roles at HH Coaching, NSC and President'
Helen Pratt	WNC Secretary approx 4 years, coached 2008-2018 SSG-Cadets, NSG Convenor 2007-2017, Club Delegate 2009-2018, All Abilities, Coach 4 yrs (main stream team), Company secretary 20 yrs.
OFFICE BEARERS	
Tatjana Domazet	KNA Night Comp Convenor 2014-19, Club Sec @ Publicity officer 5 yrs, team mgr., KNA Assist. night comp Convenor 2013
Tanya Sinclair	KNA Snr. Registrar 2014-19, Club member 13yrs, registrar, internet, uniforms, night comp Convenor, grading, coaching, team player
David Funk	Grounds Convenor 2013-19, good organizer



Kissane Gray	KNA Grading Convenor 2014-19, KNA Grading committee 2009-13, KNA Rep Liaison committee 2008-12, KNA rep manager 2011, club grading Convenor 2005-14, Club VP 2014, club committee 12 yrs
Angela Walker	KNA Rep Liaison Officer 2016-19, KNA Rep Liaison Committee 2012-15, Club Coaches Convenor 2012-13, Club Grading Convenor 2014, club coach 2012-14
Jo Keever	KNA Night Comp registrar 2018-2019, Club Website manager, umpire, player
Katie Bonjer	KNA Fixtures Convenor 2017-2019.
POSITIONS APPOINTED	
Member Protection Information Officer Laura Sheridan	15 years experience as legal professional with a global law firm. Strong oral and written communication skills. Diversity champion with focus on enhancing organizational culture and inclusion. Foundation Coach Accreditation Course 2018-19. Netball enthusiast, passionate about the empowerment of players and building individual confidence and resilience through participation in sport.

16. Minutes SGM 16th June 2020



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PO Box 5067
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SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING TUESDAY 16TH JUNE 2020
Held via Zoom at 7:30pm

The Special General Meeting will commence at 7.30 pm. The attendance book will be updated with a list of the Zoom attendees.

DELEGATES It is requested that club delegates remain the same throughout the year. If it is necessary to change a Delegate due to emergency **circumstances**, please notify the KNA Secretary, Helen Pratt knasec@kna.com.au, prior to the meeting.

1. APOLOGIES

Lisa Duncan

Keri Sheraton

2. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES - SGM 25 Feb 2020 (Link to web attached)

Moved - Angela Walker

Seconded – Ruth Havrlant

3. Business arising from Minutes

Nil

4. Notices of Motion

see point 6



5. REPORTS

- Treasurer, including the signed Financial Statements. (A copy is attached)
Seconded by Peta Stewart and carried based on majority.
- Any other Reports - **no reports tabled**
Ian Eldershaw – 2019 financial statements have been distributed.

They are usually presented at AGM but were not mainly because our Auditor Wayne Prior sadly passed away and some accounting issues were not resolved and accounts now have been audited. GST issues – we have paid \$50,000 – no penalties or interest. We have spent \$380K on lights shelters, bathroom flooring etc and have 1.2 million in the bank.

We are expecting a grant for \$200K for lights. We are financially strong but we will carry a loss this year, but then we will have low overheads. Clubs seem to be in a strong financial position as well. If any Club is in trouble please let us know.

NNSW are relieved that the season will go ahead.

6. RESOLUTIONS REQUIRED

- a. **Resolution – accepted Peter Havrlant /seconded Kathy Staggs – carried 100%**
Moved by Jo-Anne Perry seconded Ian Eldershaw

Due to Covid19 permission be given to the Executive to modify Bylaws/Rules in regard to competitions, calendar and operations for the 2020 season as and when appropriate.

***Rationale:** Due to uncertain times, and the many variations currently taking place with COVID-19, KNA Executive, in consultation with the relevant Office Bearers and Clubs as appropriate, may need to modify the current competition and calendar together with processing in regard to operations of season in close consultation with Office Bearers, as and when they occur, should the season is able to commence in any capacity in 2020.*

- b. **Resolution:**
Moved by Ian Eldershaw seconded by Jo-Anne Perry
to adopt the 2019 audited accounts as presented.

7. GENERAL BUSINESS

Jo-Anne Perry commented on the sad passing of Neryl James (St Ives) and also Loraine Unicomb (West Pymble). Our condolences to both the families of Neryl and Loraine.

**Loraine was a member of West Pymble and KNA for 15 to 20 years and Neryl was a lifetime member of KNA and instrumental in setting up our Spring Competition.
West Pymble are having a memorial on Sunday 21st June at Lofberg Road Netball Courts for Loraine.**

Congratulations to Julie Fitzgerald who received an OAM in the Queen's Birthday Honours. Julie is a long serving life member of KNA and the honour is very well deserved.

Also congratulations to Ruth Havrlant, who has been made a life member of Netball NSW. Ruth has made a massive contribution to NNSW.



- 2020 Season Update
- 11 weeks of play, commencing Saturday 18th July to Saturday 26th September with a mini finals series
- Borrowing will be flexible
- Sub committees of logistics and covid have been established
- 500 maximum on site as at 1st July but could progress to 1000,
- but no date for that as yet
- No parent participation
- Training with 20 maximum with social distancing effective now but with Covid Manager across all teams (he or she will report to Kathryn Williams our Covid Safety Co-Ordinator and Assistant, Shauna Winchester)

KW and SW will contact every club with regard to covid safety requirements.

- Active kids voucher stays with the Clubs
- Registrations are now open
- 100% refund for those players not wanting to participate – refunds will be accessed through Clubs and cut-off date for both new team registrations and refunds is 30th June
- 26 maximum allowed on a court, which will include umpires
- 9's will be transferred to Thursday night commencing 16th July – 2 timeslots 5.00pm and 6.00pm
- No canteen, BBQ or coffee cart
- Physio will be in attendance
- Limit of 2 people in the complex – everything will be signposted
- Seniors now included, but more discussion needed
- NSG will remain at Lofberg for the time being
- Clubs will have 3 days to regrade (after 30.6.20) and cut off is 5.00pm, 3rd July – final gradings will be released to Clubs on 10th July – no regrading
- Umpiring – no national badging this year but district badging will occur where possible.
- Alan Melville will be sending all the Clubs minimum badge requirements. Two umpire committee will be on duty morning and afternoon to deal with complaints – will not be going to the courts for any other reason than to deal with complaints.
AM working towards having a member of the umpiring committee at Lofberg Courts.
Umpire your own and Clubs to organise replacements if there are no shows or illness
- Coaching video with covid safety requirements now available on the Web.
- Spring Comp to be discussed at a later date – there could be a crossover as Winter comp will finish 26th September. Spring Comp will start week beginning 14th September.



- **Little Athletics will also have a 4 week crossover with Winter Comp Hornsby Heights change of uniform – Tanya Sinclair advised all Clubs had been notified and will be ratified by the Executive.**

8. ELECTIONS

OFFICE BEARERS

Senior Rep Selection Convenor 2020 – Nominees:
(Lisa Duncan not standing in 2021)

Junior Rep Selection Convenor 2020 – Nominees: vacant with

Stuart Moore will be in caretaker role at the moment and happy to train someone up in the next 6 months.

Matt Hillier (St Ives) advised he will speak to Stuart as may have someone prepared to take over the role.

POSITIONS TO BE APPOINTED (nominations close at meeting)

Junior Rep Selectors five (5) positions available – Nominees:

Louise Woods (but wont be able to do Coaching Convenor role as well)

Rep committee will be able to update soon –

Junior Reserve Rep Selectors positions available two (2) for each age group – nominees:

Rep Appointments panel - Three (3) positions. Nominees: **Keri Sheraton**

All Nominations General Note: If vacancies still exist after the SGM, the KNA Executive Committee will source invited members to hold those positions as appropriate.

NetSetGo Skills Coordinator –

Junior Registrar Assistant –

Senior Registrar Assistant –

Spring Competition Umpire Convenor

Spring Competition Registrar – Nominees:

COMMITTEES

Coaching Committee two (3) positions available.

Larissa Daniel – Nominated from the floor by Angela Walker and seconded by Jo-Anne Perry Carried

Further general business

Andrew (Wahroonga) commented that a NSG Skills Co-Ordinator could take the opportunity to address all local schools on our NSG Skills program to encourage players to try Netball at a young age.

Ruth Havrlant – State Government Funding to community grass roots. They need to think about the governing bodies of grass roots sport who are struggling and there will be cuts sadly. Hard times ahead but we will survive.

General talk about grass roots sport

Meeting Concluded 9.00pm



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