

INFORMATION – WINTER 2024 SEASON

Would you like to play in our Winter season competition for 2024?

Detailed below you will find relevant information to assist you with completing our online registration process. Please don't hesitate to contact the club if you have any questions. Completed online registrations will be accepted until Wednesday 31st January 2024 or the player may not be placed into a team. Any fees outstanding from the previous season must be paid by this date or you will not be placed in a team or able to participate in the group training / grading skills sessions.

All Junior and Senior Members – Mandatory Online Registrations

All players wishing to participate in the Winter competition are required to register to our competition through the Netball Connect online platform. They must be registered to their exact age group (not a higher one even if have played a higher age last season).



Please refer to our website https://www.montrosenetballclub.com/online-registration-platform for all the resources required to complete your registration online.

Winter 2024 Netball Connect Registration link:

https://registration.netballconnect.com/userRegistration?organisationId=b73cf077-2aec-4ca2-8099-73dc9a82083c&competitionId=36f094db-5988-4fcb-bbb5-2ea94ebafe69

Age Group Grading Skills Sessions (highly recommended)

Attendance is not compulsory, but it is highly recommended you attend the relevant age session to assist with team placement of players. Teams will also be based on previous seasons feedback completed by the team coaches and winter and spring 2023 team selections. In order to participate, you must register online through the Netball Connect system to ensure you are covered by insurance.

All scheduled sessions will be held on **Saturday Feb 3rd at Pinks Reserve** courts with the times below:

- <u>9U:</u> 9:00 to 10:00 am Come & try U9's activities program for new and current players (Must be 6 years of age before 31st August)
- <u>11U:</u> 10:00am to 11:00 am Grading
- 13U: 11:00 to 12:00 pm Grading
- 15U & 17U: 12:00 to 1:30pm Grading

Payment

<u>Netball Insurance</u> - A reminder that the Netball Victoria Membership ("NVM") fee payment is required when you register online with a valid credit card or credit debit card. If you do not have a valid card you will need to email the club for more options. Note: the Netball Connect system will automatically check to see if you are already registered through the Netball Connect system for the current calendar year through another competition and the system will automatically adjust the amount as required. The NVM fee is payable once per calendar year (a player cannot take the court until this fee has been paid).

Junior NVM - \$66 Senior NVM - \$86 9U Net Set Go Competition - \$89

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<u>Club Fees</u> - The club fee will be \$170 per player for the Winter season and can be paid either at the time of registering your netball insurance (club preference is to pay both the insurance and club fees at time of registering) or you can select the option of setting up a payment plan and paying via 5 instalments (Note: first instalment of \$34 is due at time of registering and the other four instalments are due on 19/04, 24/05, 05/07 and 09/08. These dates and amounts are already pre-set by our Association and cannot be changed).

Please note the dates and ensure that there are enough funds available for each instalment date on the method of payment used when registering at the start of the season.

Family Discount Offer

Our club offers a family discount for three or more registered family members. To receive the discount after registering online, please send an email to the club to organise for the discount to be reimbursed.

Uniforms

New Items

Uniforms will be available to purchase at the Age Group Training / Grading Skills Sessions or by prior arrangement via email. Payment must be received before item(s) can be taken. Payment methods are cash, EFT via your mobile device or by credit card (in person only and a 2% transaction fee is applicable).

Second Hand Items

Second hand uniforms are available for selling and buying through our club Facebook page: http://www.facebook.com/MontroseNetballClub

Note - any of the uniform items posted on this site are between the buyer and seller direct. Please only contact our club if you are unsuccessful in finding or selling a uniform item and require a new one instead. Facebook Admin can be contacted via messenger for any issues / questions.

Club colours and LYVNA policy to be followed

Item	Description
Briefs / Boy legs sports briefs	Navy blue or black in colour ONLY. Note: no bike shorts are allowed
Sports socks	White in colour. Note: black or other coloured socks are not part of our uniform
Sporting shoes	Note: no volleys or canvas shoes are allowed
Leggings & long sleeve top	U9 Only - Can wear <u>black</u> full length leggings and/or <u>black</u> top underneath the dresses in cooler weather
Long sleeve top	U11, U13, U15, U17, Open Only - Can wear a <u>black</u> top underneath the dresses in cooler weather

Please contact club to request any uniform exemptions required for any medical or personal reasons.

Training Sessions and Games

Training for all junior teams is compulsory. All teams are expected to train at a designated time and place which is set by the coach (usually the Montrose netball training courts on Mount Dandenong Tourist Road, next to the football oval). Games are held on Saturdays at Pinks Regional Netball Facility (123 Liverpool Road, Kilsyth). The winter season is currently scheduled to run from Saturday 2nd March 2024 to Saturday 7th September 2024.

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Coaches

All our coaches are volunteers and must be respected for the work they do for the club. Netball Victoria have put in place Members Protection Acts, including coaches completing a 'Working With Children Check'. Junior players over 13 years of age can be an assistant coach to assist a senior / adult coach, if interested. Please send any expression of interests through to the club email.

Umpires

All our umpires are volunteers and must be respected for the work they do for the club. Netball Victoria have put in place Members Protection Acts, including umpires completing a 'Working With Children Check'. Please send any expression of interests through to the club email.

Team Managers

A team manager is there to help the coach on game day and assist where necessary. Possible tasks may include handing out notices, collecting and completing the score sheet. As part of the Netball Victoria initiative, all teams should have a team manager who are now required to complete a 'Working With Children Check'.

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