

Beaumaris Netball Club

2023







PRESIDENTS REPORT 2023 - ALISON CLARK

The 2023 season started off full of hope for an uninterrupted season and a return to some sort of normality after the previous Covid impacted years. We didn't have the interruptions of Covid but illness with players was still a large factor for teams to field a full side each week. Luckily we kept with the 10 per team max numbers which has worked well.



The initial grading went off without a hitch but many players were uncertain of where they wanted to be and who they wanted to play for. We had a lot of chopping and changing before the final teams were settled upon which made grading very difficult.

The club had 20 teams this year, a drop of 1 team from last year. This is a reflection of player movement and players choosing other sports.

I'd like to thank the 2023 committee for their support and dedication. Angela Erasmus, Andrew Bowness, Sequoia Burgess, Mel McLean, Fiona McKenzie, Helen Chester, Ciera Madden, Minnie D'Castro, Lauren Kershaw, Kristy Barnard, Renee Gill, Julie Madden, Marie Earley, Sarah Phipps and Steph Holt. Many are new to the committee and only started this year and even late into the start of the Season. It is wonderful to have so many willing volunteers and it ensure the progression of our club.

We decided to have our fundraising voluntary this year and instead charge a fee for the U11 – Opens end of season presentation so that our initial registration fees are kept low. The fundraising that was achieved by the Cadbury chocolates has been utilised with more equipment purchased which always needs some replenishment each year.

JNA trialled a new competition format in the aim of having more variety of opposition. After a few teething problems everyone has settled into the new format well. Feedback will be given to the JNA board at their next Club conference.

We sincerely hope you enjoyed the Winter 2023 season and hope to see you back in 2024. Our AGM will be held in October and we are always on the look out for new committee members. Please consider helping out and joining the team.

We hope you have all enjoyed the year as much as we have and on behalf of the 2023 committee, we hope to see you back in 2024.

DEVELOPMENT REPORT 2023 - LAUREN KERSHAW

Our 2023 season, as usual, started with 2 pre-grading training sessions and our grading sessions. This year we had a total of 20 teams, with 4 under 8s teams, 2 under 9s teams, 2 under 10s teams, 2 under 11s teams, 2 under 12s teams, 2 under 13s teams, 2 under 15s teams, 1 under 18s team and 3 opens teams.

This year has been an interesting one with the change of format in the winter season. This change was brought in to make age groups start in tiers and as the season progressed then into divisions. I would like to thank everyone for the willingness to embrace these changes, I feel everyone has risen to the occasion. I am so proud of how our club has banded together and supported each other this year.



We have had many players representing Beaumaris outside of the regular competition this year.

I am proud to say that we had many players representing at the next level for netball at the Fuel to Go & Play Championships.

At this tournament Beaumaris made up 20% of the players playing for the Joondalup Extended Training squad (JETS) with 22 players and 4 coaches representing. We also had 2 players representing Wanneroo Districts Netball Association at the carnival.

We've also had teams and players enter the South Midland Carnival, Warriors Cup Carnival and the Belmont Carnival.

Our U10 Lions were also invited to play at half time at a West Coast Fever game and they did a great job representing the club.

Well done to all our coaches who have put so much time and effort into improving their teams skill and teamwork. I am so impressed by the quality of play that we have been able to put on the court this year.

As it's my first year in the development officer role I would like to send a big thank you to all the committee and coaches who have assisted me this year. A particularly big thank you to Alison and Andrew for their guidance and support this year.

As I am writing this, I would like to wish everyone good luck in the finals.

Go Beaumaris!!

Sincerely
Lauren Kershaw
Development Coordinator (BNCnetballdevp@gmail.com)

UMPIRE REPORT - CIERA MADDEN

BEAUMARIS NETBALL CLUB UMPIRES FOR 2023

Isabella Petit
Stevie Gill
Samantha Davey
Caitlyn Davison
Celeste Mullarkey
Ava Madden
Josie Gorinski

Amelie Barnard
Sarah Tonkin
Hayley Bowness
Bethany Lee
Sarah Phipps
Alex Phipps
Lisa Schultz

Firstly, I would like to thank all our umpires this year, you have provided your dedication and excellence week in, week out, and I cannot commend you enough. You guys are a prime example of what umpires should strive to be; constantly willing to learn and improving your skills each week.

I am extremely proud of the umpires Beaumaris has, as we are highly commended on our excellent quality of umpires, from both Joondalup Netball Association and other club officials.

Our Saturday and Monday games would not be able to go ahead without our umpires, so a massive thank you is needed, especially for those frosty mornings and rainy Monday nights, we couldn't do it without you all. You are all amazing role models to the younger players in the club, and you should all be very proud of yourselves.

I just wanted to say a massive thank you to our mentors this year, Sarah Tonkin, Caitlyn Davison, Ava Madden, Sarah Phipps, and Alex Phipps. You girls give our new umpires the confidence and skills they need to be able to umpire a game effectively. Whenever we have called on you last minute, whether it be to mentor or jump in and umpire a game, you have always been there with a smile on your face, so thank you so much.

We had 5 girls, Amelie Barnard, Bethany Lee, Stevie Gill, Isabella Petit, and Hayley Bowness, undertake the green shirt program in 2022 Spring season, where they have all flourished into strong, confident umpires throughout the 2023 Winter season. Hayley and Bethany were admirably awarded their C-badge in 2022 and both continue to be excellent assets to our umpiring team, well done Hayley and Beth.

Another thank you is needed for the umpires not associated with BNC, who have supplied their skills to umpire all ages of our club. So, a massive thank you to Ava Strachan, Alyssa Gregory, Robyn Blomley, Georgie Blomley, Tara Davison, Charlotte Holmes, Grace Cameron, and Tallulah Rodgers.

Last but not at all least, a massive thank you to the players, coaches, managers, and parents who have consistently shown their respect and patience for our lovely umpires. Being an umpire is not easy and takes a lot of confidence so having the support of our club behind them means a whole lot.

If you want to get involved in umpiring in 2024, please email BNC with your name, DOB, and contact number. All umpires must be over the age of 13 to be considered.

GREAT WORK LADIES AND THANKS AGAIN!

NETBALL CARNIVALS

Each year there are a number of opportunities for players and teams to attend extended netball activities.

Beaumaris was represented by our athletes at the Association Carnival with JNA in the JETS squads. The competition puts our top players at JNA into teams to play against other Associations with in the metro and regional areas of WA. This year we also saw the return of teams from Singapore. It is held over the June long weekend at the State Netball centre and this year it was exceptionally challenging with very wet conditions.

Congratulations to the following players and Coaches:

12's

Eliana Chester
Kyla Drayton

13's

Hayley Bowness
Isla Collins
Rozy DeKlerk
Stevie Gill

14's

Jessica Jones
Laila Colic - train on

16's

Samantha Davey
Emilynne Lawton
Stephanie Inkster
Kelly Erasmus
Celeste Mullarkey

20's

Sarah Tonkin
Olivia Proctor
Ava Madden

Opens

Lauren Kershaw
Caitlyn Davison
Steph Holt
Sarah Phipps
Jess Sivec
Kaley Hood

Coaches

Lauren Kershaw
Ingrid Bryant
Andrew Bowness
Alison Clark

There are also carnival days held by a variety of associations and WANL clubs. We had teams enter the Gin Gin carnival run by the South Midlands Netball Association. The Warriors Cup carnival at the WDNA courts, run by the West Coast Warriors WANL club. Belmont Cup carnival held by the Belmont Netball association and the Southside Demons Netball Carnival at the Southern Districts Netball Association courts run by WANL club Southside Demons.

It's great to see a return of these carnivals which gives players an opportunity to play against other athletes to gauge their abilities.

Years of service recognition. 5 years

We would like to thank and acknowledge the below members for their years of service as volunteers to the club in the capacity of Committee, Coach and/or Manager

Kristy Barnard
Kylie Kershaw
Lauren Kershaw
Marie Earley
Sarah D Phipps

JETS



CARNIVALS - BELMONT & GIN GIN



West Coast Fever



PAST BNC WINNERS DATED FROM 2005

CLUB PERSON

2005 – Rob & Olivia Bortot
2006 – Jacqui Deetlefs
2007 – Corine Kubank
2008 – Nicole Kubank
2009 – Jennifer Gates
2010 – Sharlene Hall
2011 – Katrina Sims
2012 – Janine Hawkins
2013 – Cheryle Barley
2014 – Lauren Campbell
2015 – Debbie Whitehouse
2016 – Victoria Brimelow
2017 – Sarah Phipps
2018 – Ingrid Bryant
2019 – Andrew Bowness
2020 – Alison Clark
2021 – Sarah Tonkin
2022 – Alex Phipps

CLUB CHAMPION

2005 – Faye Malone
2006 – Stephanie Delaporte
2007 – Cassandra Gregoriadis
2008 – Tegan Hegarty
2009 – Jade Morgan
2010 – Alannah Hawkins
2011 – Natasha Stokes
2012 – Sasha Lee-Smith
2013 – Cassie Hegarty
2014 – Hannah Peters
2015 – Hana Stokes
2016 – Imogen Resta
2017 – Ebony Walton
2018 – Rosy Allen
2019 – Rylee Hall
2020 – Tahlia Bryant
2021 – Lauren Kershaw
2022 – Vienna Formato

JUNIOR ENCOURAGEMENT

2005 – Rachel Holmes
2006 – Katherine McKenzie
2007 – Alannah Hawkins
2008 – Jade Morgan
2009 – Lisa Loubser
2010 – Natassia Gregoriadis
2011 – Emma Rutter
2012 – Brianna Walters
2013 – Caitlin Murphy
2014 – Delaney Smith
2015 – Rachel Simmonds
2016 – Ebony Walton
2017 – Georgia Taylor
2018 – Rylee Hall
2019 – Teagan Edwards
2020 – Ava Madden
2021 – Caitlyn Davison
2022 – Kelly Erasmus

SPIRIT OF NETBALL

2005 – Sara Wong
2006 – Karly Gibbons
2007 – Chelsie Lane
2008 – Michelle Wong
2009 – Anastasia McKendry
2010 – Amy Hall
2011 – Emma Wishart
2012 – Ashlee Dullard
2013 – Evie Henderson
2014 – Erin Horsfall
2015 – Alexandra Phipps
2016 – Ava Madden
2017 – Emily Wolsoncroft
2018 – Caitlyn Davison
2019 – Nicola Bowness
2020 – Lexi Strachan
2021 – Isabella Petit
2022 – Hayley Bowness

UMPIRE AWARD

2007 – Talysha Jessop
2008 – Ashley Sims
2009 – Yasmine Saman
2010 – Kara Stokes
2011 – Cassie Hegarty
2012 – Maddie Izzi
2013 – Alex Izzi
2014 – Kiralee Bryant
2015 – Téa Beckett
2016 – Emma Brett-Mitchell
2017 – Jessica Whitehouse
2018 – Maisy Allen
2019 – Sarah Tonkin
2020 – Ava Madden
2021 – Imogen Plant
2022 – Caitlin Black

LIFETIME MEMBERSHIP

2002 – Toni Doran, Lynne Kusic & Karen Makepeace
(Founders of Beaumaris Netball Club 1992)
2003 – Jenny Richardson (original committee member from 1992)
2007 – Jacqui Deetlefs & Corine Kubank
2008 – Rob Bortot
2011 – Katrina Sims
2012 – Debbie Hegarty
2013 – Kim Stokes
2015 – Karen Peters
2017 – Cheryle Barley,
Lauren Campbell
Debbie Whitehouse
2019 – Ingrid Bryant
Karen Phipps.

GAMES PLAYED

50 GAMES

Tayla Brian
Tayla buchholz
Imeldiah Burgess
Eliana Chester
Nikita Davis
Francesca Dott
Nia French
Acacia Gallen
Louisa Gilbert
Eva Green
Stella Hill
Yvette Jones
Bethany Lee
Jasmine Lee
Makayla Oosthuizen
Olivia Proctor
Nicola Roux
Kireth Sandhu
Shia Schofield
Charlie Stoneham
Keeley Syme
Lucie Szabo
Jasmin Thompson

75 GAMES

Laila Colic
Ava George
India Henderson
Jessica Jones
Lauren Kershaw
Stephanie Holt

100 GAMES

Rozy De Klerk
Isla Ellery
Lily Ellery
Celeste Mullarkey

200 GAMES

Tahlia Deville

250 GAMES

Kate Phipps
Abbie Bentley

300 GAMES

Emma Wishart



UMPIRE AWARD - HAYLEY BOWNESS.

Hayley Bowness has been with Beaumaris since a young girl, starting when she was in under 7's, to now where she has played over 100 games for our club. Hayley undertook the green shirt program over the spring season in 2022 and has now achieved her C badge.

Hayley is an awesome umpire who always puts her hand up to take on extra games, and always willing to learn new skills. Hayley has received amazing feedback from coaches and club officials, commending her on her ability to always make fair and equitable decisions in her umpiring, whilst educating the young players on the rules of the game at the same time.

Hayley you are very deserving of the 2023 Umpire Award, and I am excited to see you blossom into a confident, young umpire.

Well Done!

(Ciera Madden).



SPIRIT OF NETBALL - AMELIE BARNARD

Amelie is a very talented but humble athlete. She is a mature young lady who conducts herself in the best possible manner at training and in games. Amelie has never missed training, and if it has been cancelled, she will train with another team.

Amelie encourages her teammates to stay focused at training and in games and focuses on the positive things they do. When learning new skills, she immediately attempts to put them into action. If someone doesn't understand or is struggling, you can often hear her explain to them how to master the new skill or demonstrate one on one how it is done. You would never hear her put down her fellow teammates.

Amelie is highly competitive and can always be relied upon to give 100% effort in every game. On game day, if she sees something unjust like an opponent continually contacting, she will acknowledge it when others are discussing it, but not dwell on it herself. She just gets on with the game. And with even more determination. She is never disrespectful to umpires.

Amelie is a natural born leader. Often it is Amelie who rallies the team to do our team chant at the beginning of each game and subsequent quarters and at the end of a game with our opposition.

Amelia is a shining example of the "spirit of netball" and deserving of this award.



JUNIOR ENCOURAGEMENT SHIELD - JESS JONES

Jess has been apart of the club since 2018 and has played over 75 games with the club. She is a committed player who shows good sportsmanship and leadership qualities. This year she was a co-captain to the 15 and under heat team. She would regularly give pep talks before and during the game to keep moral high and positive whilst also giving advice on game play.

She plays a strong and controlled game which helped to pace the team. Jess is a leader and helps to motivate and bring the team together. Jess is committed to training and gives her all at games. Jess has trialled and competed in the JNA association teams for several years and is always trying to improve her skills.

Jess is always respectful to officials and her team mates. We hope that Jess continues on her journey in the netball pathway and excels at everything she does.

Congratulations on winning this award.



CLUB CHAMPION - CAITLYN DAVISON

Caitlyn is a wonderful asset to BNC who displays our clubs core values. She is a quietly determined and focused athlete who sets a positive role model for all our members. Caitlyn displays a willingness to learn and improve her skills and commits 110% to all games. She is respectful to officials, teammates and coaches at all times, and always willingly helps where she can. She can often be seen at training helping coaches with their teams. Caitlyn is actively involved in our club by assistant coaching U15's and is/has been an umpire mentor at our club for numerous years. Caitlyn has been with Beaumaris since she started playing netball in U8's. When the age groups were first graded in U11's, Caitlyn was put into the 2nd team. This didn't deter her and she went on to be the teams F&B that year. In subsequent years she has trialed and achieved team 1 positions. From U12's she has competed in the Association Championships with JNA. In the first year of the Metro League competition she was in U14's and 2 years later in U16's. She strives to be the best and play to the best of her ability.



Caitlyn currently plays two NWA comps, at JNA and WDNA and has done so since U15's. Her skills are excellent and this is evident in the fact that often she plays and has played up in competitions above her age eg in 17U Div 1 when she was 15 years old and in Opens before she was 18 years of age. She regularly participates in Association Carnivals, often in higher age groups. This year and in 2022 she played Opens for JNA when she could have been in a younger age group. Caitlyn was also selected to play in the Fusion Academy for the last three years further extending her skills and abilities.

Her perseverance to trial every year in these many various competitions has seen her be a great representative of our club. She is a champion in every regard.



CLUB PERSON 2023 - SARAH PHIPPS

The Club Person of the year for 2023 is Sarah Phipps. Sarah has had an amazing year and been a shining example of putting the club's interests first.

Sarah has been with the club since she started playing netball in U8's. Sarah started her coaching journey when she was 17 years old taking on an U7 team. She has had her challenges, but it hasn't daunted her and Sarah has continued to coach the team into U8 and this year U9.

This year the club needed a coach for an U15 team. Sarah was quick to respond and take on the challenge of coaching an older age group. Sarah has been able to pass on her own netball playing experience to this young group of aspiring athletes.

Sarah has also joined the committee this year as our modified coordinator. She has been a great support to the NSG teams if they need advice or support. Having Sarah on the committee has given the club a younger voice with views that align with our playing fraternity.

It has been great to have Sarah's feedback at each meeting. Sarah has also jumped in when needed to umpire and is an excellent umpire mentor to our up and coming club umpires.

Thankyou Sarah for all you have given to the club this year. It certainly hasn't gone unnoticed, and you are a deserving recipient of this award. Congratulations.



Congratulations Sarah, 2023 Club Person of the year.





U8 BUTTERFLIES

COACH : Fiona Herrmann

MANAGER : Kristy Farmer



“We’re Yellow and White, Let’s take flight.....GO BUTTERFLIES”

I have loved teaching and motivating my little butterflies this year. All played their first ever game of netball. Each week they brought with them their excitement, determination and lots of 7yr old energy.

A big thankyou to Kristy for being an Amazing Manager, making sure all is organised at games so I can just ‘coach’. Your support towards me and the girls has been truly appreciated and I couldn’t have done it without you, xx

I can’t forget the support of our Cheer Squad..... The Parents, Grandparents and Siblings. You have all been amazing in supporting me and the girls. Never silent when asked to step in to help. The girls, Kristy and I have been lucky to have such a supportive parent group xx

Abi Smith, 2 goals - It was so nice to watch Abi’s confidence grow through the season, very shy to start with but didn’t take long to see her shine. She shows determination on court, but most importantly she always has fun. Great work Abi xx

Aliesha Herrmann, 21 goals - Been waiting 7yrs to see what Aliesha was capable of, she definitely didn’t disappoint. Such a confident, strong, reliable and determined player. I have loved her passion for her team and her want to do her best. Great season Aliesha xx

Ellie Stathakis, 11 goals - Ellie reads the play very well, and always makes herself available. She is a very smart player with strong ball skills. With more talking on court she’s going to be unstoppable. A great start to your netball journey. Well Done Ellie xx

Freyja Mason, 2 goals - Freyja is the player with the most fire in her belly. She goes hard for every ball, has become a great mover and a reliable team mate. Good luck getting the ball from her! Can’t wait to see how she develops! Good job Freyja xx

Harper Guildford, 2 goals - Our little fire cracker, tiny but mighty. Her passing and movement on court has improved significantly and she has become a reliable player. A smile never far from her face. Keep up the good work Harper xx

Isabelle Foxton, 6 goals - What a great season for Issy. Took a couple of weeks to get settled but has become a strong, clever, reliable player who plays well in all positions. Loved having you apart of the team and can’t wait to see what more you can do. Well done Issy xx

Isla Smith, 4 goals - Isla has come a long way this season, she is becoming more confident on court and her movement and ball skills are developing. She’s always happy to get involved and I love her commitment to her team. Well done Isla xx

Kira Sullivan, 2 goals - Well done Kira on a great season, Another little fire cracker who doesn’t stop running. A determined, competitive player on court. Absolutely shines in defence and never gives up. Amazing season Kira xx

Lahni Farmer, 6 goals - Lahni started the season already with good ball skills, she has developed court awareness and has become a great team player who has certainly owned her presence on court. Can’t wait to see you grow more. Great work Lahni xx

Zara Earnshaw, 1 goal - Such a quiet little player, Zara’s confidence grew as the season progressed. She has good court awareness when playing attack, just needs to yell louder. It’s been so nice to watch her develop and see her love for this sport. Great season Zara xx

U8 STARFISH

COACH: Nikita Kunniger
MANAGER: Natasha Fitch



The girls of the U8s Starfish have all been an absolute pleasure to coach and manage through the 2023 season. For their first year of playing netball their enthusiasm to learn and play the game of netball (rain or shine) has grown week by week.

The team consisting of Ella, Mia, Elayna, Annabel, Mila, Piper, Fleur and Aubrey have all come together as a great team, we love seeing the smiles on their faces and their laughter at each training session and game day. I'm sure it has put a smile on the parents faces as well. Introducing our wonderful players for 2023....

Ella

Ella comes to every session whether it be at training or game day with a positivity and smile that lifts the team and always has the best fun. Ella loves playing center and wing attack. The best part of netball for Ella is playing with her friends.

Mia

Mia has thoroughly enjoyed her first season of netball. She took to the game with such enthusiasm and her skills have improved from week to week, really taking on any suggestions. Playing with her friends is a highlight of her week!

Elayna

Throughout the season, it was lovely to see Elayna's "sunshine" personality shine through as she was often brightly smiling, chatting or even dancing on court. She has worked hard to build her resilience despite rain, cold weather and the occasional tumble! She has cherished playing with some of her best friends from school and making new friendships in her team.

Annabel

Annabel eagerly looks forward to both training and game day each week, rain, hail or shine. Netball has become her passion and she loves spending her free time practicing goal shooting, one of her favourite positions to play. Annabel enjoys having fun with her friends.

Mila

Throughout the season Mila showed a tremendous amount growth and improvement. She participated in various skill drills that not only boasted her individual performance but also reinforced her understanding of cooperative play.

Piper

Piper has loved her time with the Starfish this season. Despite not knowing most of the team, and having no experience with netball, Tuesday evenings training and Saturday morning games have quickly become Piper's favourite days of the week. The girls work so nicely together and are so inclusive. Piper has particularly enjoyed learning how to shoot and play centre, as well as meeting all her new friends.

Fleur

Fleur has fallen in love with the game and has already announced she wants to play next season. She enjoys playing centre and defending. Fleur plays with enthusiasm, a lot of energy and a big smile. She leaves at the end of each game with a full heart.

Aubrey

Aubrey has flourished this year in netball. She entered the season not knowing anything about netball and has quickly learnt the fundamentals and acquired a love for the game. Her favourite position to play is centre. She is eager to attend trainings and games and loves spending time with her new friends and teammates.

U8 DOLPHINS

COACH : Natalie Hartley

MANAGER : Sjinene van Schalkwyk

Alexis

Her goal shooting skills have developed so well over the season. She shows strength in her feistiness, determination and competitiveness during both training and games. Lexi is a ray of sunshine, always bringing laughter to everyone.

Carrie

Always trying her best and never gives up. Carrie has been showing her strength in defence. Her throwing skills have improved amazingly. She responds well to feedback and implements changes effectively. She is always willing to get involved and be part of the team.

Eve

Eve is a determined defender with a strong arm, throwing long direct passes. Recently she has been demonstrating her skills in shooting and showing focus in doing so. She is a caring team member always checking on her team mates and encouraging them to do well.

Freya

Freya is amazing in finding the open spaces. Before you can tell her to move she is already there. She travels at the speed of light. She is always willing to play any position. In the team she brings about a positive playful side and gets along with everyone.

Kori

Kori plays well in both positions of attack and defence. She can think ahead, reads the play well and is quick to learn. She has a friendly nature and gets along with everyone on the team.

Olivia

Olivia is a natural. She is brilliant in attack and frequently brings about a change in play. She knows how to make good strong passes and is a keen learner. She brings about a sense of calmness and maturity to the team.

Sabella

No matter how nervous and worried she is before every game, Sabella demonstrates tremendous courage and with a little bit of encouragement pushes through and plays her best at every game. She has a lovely gentle nature and fits well into the team mix.

Sophie

It has been great to watch her skills develop and find her way. As her confidence has grown she has become noticeably good at sticking to her player and making good catches. She always brings her big smile to training.

Teia

Versatility comes to mind. Tei has her favourite positions on court however can play any position and plays it to her fullest. She is quick with the ball and has good focus. She is well liked amongst her team.



U8 MERMAIDS

COACH : Leeanne Manderson

ASSISTANT COACH : Kate Long

MANAGER : Angela D'Amore



Our little Mermaids have come such a long way this season. Majority had never stepped onto a Netball court before, let alone know what each of the positions are.

They are now recognising the role of each position, where the space is, when they are offside, what type of pass to use, how to defend & find their player as well as not to think too long before passing.

They are all showing some great sportswomen ship out on the court which is FANTASTIC to see! Well done on a great season & keep up the good work girls

Abbi Lee - Abbi is our tallest player who has arms that go forever! She is showing some good talent on the court & her ability to grab the ball when you think it has been lost is fantastic to watch. Keep up the good work Abbi!

Aria Fracassini - Aria has some great footwork, especially in defence; being able to move in front of her player to take a great intercept. If the ball has knocked her glasses off, she doesn't let it affect her, she puts them straight back on & passes the ball. Nice work Aria!

Asha Kross Asha is such a great reader of the play, whether in attack or defence. Asha is a player you can place anywhere on the court; she is always consistent & she'll will give it everything! She is always listening & wanting to learn. Continue with the great work Asha!

Ellie Mathews - Ellie is one of our smallest & quieter players, though she is starting to make her presence felt with her voice on the court. Her eyes are up watching the ball & she has showed improvement with each game. Keep remembering to use that "yelling at your little brother" voice Ellie!

Faye Lonergan - Faye shows such resilience as well as having the will to learn. She is such an observant young lady, being able to read the play, especially from the sideline, is a great way to improve your game, so keep it up Faye!

Indi Lee - Initially, our 'Speedy Gonzales' (Indi) wanted to run all over the court. Indi has shown some great restraint, learning her positions, where she can & cannot go as well as keeping her feet still when she has the ball. Well done Indi!

Indiana Wilson - Indiana manages to find the free space & when in defence, sticks to her player like glue! She has been learning the roles of each position, which is helping her in finding that space & then making some beautiful passes. Lovely work Indiana!

Izzy Long - Izzy is establishing herself as a good defender with wonderful intercepts! Watching Izzy with her eyes up, using her speed & being able to pick off the incoming balls is just beautiful to watch. Keep it up Izzy!

Maddie Long - Maddie was initially timid with catching the ball, having flat hands. She now has her fingers spread & curved, meets the ball & brings it in, then makes some beautiful passes. Her shooting is also improving & it is so great to see how happy she is when she scores a goal for her team! Great progress this season Maddie!

Rebecca De Wet - Becca is another quiet one yet, is there when needed! She has learnt to wait for the defence to bring the ball up to her whilst in attack & when in defence, works hard to it to the attack. She is showing more confidence with each game. Great work ethic Becca!

U9 TIGERS

Coach: Sarah D Phipps

Manager: Sequoia Burgess

The tigers team this year has again had another amazing season. This year they have become a strong team that has bonded extremely well making game the flow smoothly. They have good respect for every team they come up against.

Ava: Ava is the newest member of our team. She quickly picked up the sport and became one of our more talkative and energetic members. Her speed allows her to get some amazing intercepts.

Grace: Even with needing to play every position, Grace has shown a talent and a want to learn in shooting this year. Her ball skills and footwork are also quickly progressing.

Holly: Holly takes all advice given to her and shows some good leadership qualities. She is our most outgoing player with lots of energy. In general she can play a strong game in any position.

Imeldiah: Imeldiah has a strong defensive drive and want for the ball. She enjoys sitting to the side of her player, making the opposition think they can throw the ball just so she can jump in and take an intercept.\

Ivy: Ivy is a strong play who will contest every ball she can. She has a competitive drive that pushes her to challenge herself in every game. Ivy always plays a strong game in any position she's needed in.

Lexie: Lexie has a want for the ball. In games she like to challenge and push herself and she will ask me to tally how many intercepts she gets. In some games she will easily exceed 10.

Michaela: Michaela is a very versatile player. She has a love for shooting and centre but her defensive skills are amazing to watch. With heading towards full rules, her development in all areas has really shown this year.

Tayla: Tayla likes to perfect every movement at training and fixes the corrections given to her. This year her development in ball movement, footwork and driving for the ball has been her highlight.

Yvette: Yvette is a speedy player who loves to intercept the ball. From any position in attack to defence she will get intercepts from any player she can. Yvette has such a strong passion for the sport.



U9 WOLVES

COACH : Caitlin Black

ASSISTANT COACH : Katie Deering

MANAGER: Elise Mathews



Francesca

Frans netball abilities absolutely astounds us every game. Fran is such a lovely girl to coach and brings a smile to every game, training and boosts our team's confidence. When saying three cheers at the end of the game she changes it to four cheers and makes sure to say one cheer for everyone, now it's a whole team saying. Frans a true team player.

Indigo

Indi is our little super trooper as she's always getting in the wars but still continues to push through and play to her very best. Indi has also found this season that she does absolutely amazing in centre court and as one of our old coaches told us WD is the most important position on the court and can change up the game so quickly and I know when she's in that position that our wing is covered.

Saylor D

Saylor also known as Lola is always practicing for netball at home which really shows on the court and her progressive improvement has been amazing to watch. Lola excels in playing the wing positions and is always trying her very best to stick to her player like glue. She maybe small but boy can you hear her voice on court!

Sailor H

Sailor also known as tall Sailor, adds the perfect height to our goal circle. Sailor also has one of the loudest voices on court and is always trying her very best to grab those intercepts. It has been a pleasure coaching her this season.

Mabel

Our little Mabel is always full of beans and loves making her coaches participate in team warm ups. Mabel is always full of laughs too but when time to get serious on court she's always up to the task. Mabel also has the ability to play any position given to her and play it well.

Sammy

Sammy loves to do what we call "hunt the ball" which entails getting as many intercepts as she can which she does brilliantly. Sammy is also known in the team to have an arm on her and by that we mean her passes go hard and far with accuracy. Sammy is a delight to coach.

Izzy

This season was Izzy's first and seeing her develop and grow as a player has been truly amazing. Izzy has been a joy to coach and seeing her come out of her shell and being full of confidence is all any coach can ask for. We can't wait to see what the spring season has to offer.

Penny

Penny this season has improved immensely and her hunger for the ball has too. Penny is always up for a chat whether she is talking to her opponent, team or coaches. Penny has the ability to be able to read the play, making her incepts accurate and effective. Also during this season, Penny has been surprising our whole team and sideline support with some wicked goals.

Leah

Leah joined our team later this season but you wouldn't even notice as she gels well with the team. Leah is known as our little speedy Gonzalez, she zooms down the court when in Centre and excels in that position. Leah is full of potential and I can't wait to see what her future netball career holds for her.

Thank you Katie for helping me coach this season and thank you to the families for all your support.

Hope to see you all next season

U10 LIONS

COACH : Alex Phipps

MANAGER : Gemma Alexander



Congratulations Team Lions on completing your modified journey! As your coach, you have all made me beyond proud and even though I won't be with you next year just remember it's about having fun and continuing the love of netball.

Firstly, thank you to our brilliant team manager, Gemma and to our fantastic parents and supporters who showed up rain or shine! Thank you for allowing me to coach your girls and passing on my love of netball.

This season, Team Lions were honoured to be asked to represent Beaumaris Netball Club at the Fever game by playing at the halftime show. We scored our first goal of 2023, and it was the beginning of a great season!

This year my plan was to continue to finetune their foundation skills and prepare them further for next year. I also took time to develop techniques used not only in areas on the court but individual roles for each position. Setting up a throw-in, getting into positions, putting pressure on the other team, holding as a shooter, and blocking the opponents out of their shooting circle. This allowed the girls to gain knowledge of their preferred positions and build up confidence on the court.

As a coach, I can confidently say that all of the girls are ready to take on grading and all will be an amazing asset to any team and coach!

Tahlia Alexander – Tahlia rotated between midcourt and shooting this year. Her shooting skills could always be relied on, and her excellent feeds were always a highlight as they were always on point! Great work this season.

Poppy King - Welcome Poppy! Poppy's confidence in the midcourt allowed her to develop her foundation skills. Her placement around the circle edge and moving into space assisted her team and gameplay. Amazing!

Ivy Fildes – Ivy focused on defending this season. Once she grasped the difference between attacking and defending techniques there was no stopping her on court! Her dedication to stopping the flow of the game even had her using her soccer skills! Great season Ivy!

Rylee Overstone – This year Rylee moved around the court as her skills can easily transition from attack to defence. Her feistiness allows her to go up against any player and chase the ball down. Rylee is a natural midcourt. Great season Rylee!

Grace Phipps – This season Grace stepped into the shooting positions. With already having a defensive background and lots of practice at home she excelled as a shooter. Grace has the ability to work well with all players in and around the circle. Another great season Grace!

Eva Green – Eva had an amazing season in defence! She focused on defending various passes, maintaining the goal circle, and communicating with other defenders and teammates. Eva also used her circle knowledge and often stepped in as a shooter!

Sophie Bennett – Sophie continued developing in Midcourt this season. She focused on her feeds into the circle along with using various midcourt techniques. With some of the strongest passes on the team and her feistiness makes her an amazing Midcourt player!

Ruby Lee – Once again Ruby did not disappoint this season! Ruby's ability to read the game and her opponent is second to none. She advanced her defensive skills this season by introducing forward-facing defence. Ruby is an amazing all-rounder! Great season Ruby!

Makayla Oosthuizen- Another amazing season Mak! Her natural shooting and goal circle work is amazing! Her ability to read the game and intercept play never goes unnoticed! Mak is a game-changer in any area on the court!

U10 LEOPOARDS

COACH : Belinda Roux

MANAGER : Amanda Cassidy



What a fun and exciting season we had! With a few new members to the team (and to netball for some), we all had a great time learning new skills and making friends along the way. I am proud of how far the team has come, both in developing their game and team spirit.

We had so much fun during training and games, with the rock solid support from our excellent team manager Amanda as well as parents. A special thanks to Daniel, who was always there to help out during training – the girls loved it! We also enjoyed our regular mini games with the u10 Lions and valuable advice from both Sarah and Alex Phipps along the way.

All in all, we had a great season and I'd like to thank each member of the U10 Leopards team for your stellar attitudes and commitment to the team. You made it all worthwhile and fun. Go Leopards!

Evelyn

As a new starter this year, Evelyn has done an amazing job developing her skills. Her movement, ball handling skills and defending have all greatly improved throughout the season.

Hermoine

Another new starter, Hermoine's natural ball skills combined with agility and shooting abilities made her a real asset for the team. She has a positive attitude and willingness to play any position.

Isabella

Isabella's general netball skills has really blossomed this season, and she has impressed me with both her movement and effort to keep the ball in play. Keep up the good work.

Krystal

Krystal is an excellent all-rounder, giving her best and playing a great game in any position she gets. As another new addition to the team, she fitted right in and was a real asset.

Nia

Nia is agile and strong in both shooting and defending. I was impressed with her commitment to give it her all and playing great during the games, even in her least favourite position.

Nicola

Nicola moves well, is attentive and always try to implement what she has learned. She is a good defender with enough speed and great endurance to add strength to the mid-court.

Olivia

Olivia is a strong defender and is also developing into a good mid-court player. She is a quiet achiever who listens well and provides great support to the team.

Tayla

Tayla is an outstanding player, with good defending and shooting abilities on top of great general skills. She always gives 100% and we can depend on her in tough situations.

Zoe

Even though Zoe got hurt right at the start of the season, she showed remarkable dedication and team spirit – always coming along and cheering even when she couldn't play. We were happy to have her back playing the second half of the season.

U11 PUMAS

COACH : Kristy Barnard

ASSISTANT COACH : Nikki Bowness

MANAGER : Natalie Hill



2023 has been a wonderful year for the U11 Pumas. We have had a strong season with lots of great fighting spirit and attitude. All the girls should be very proud of their successful year. Thank you to Nikki Bowness for being a wonderful role model and assistant coach to our team.

Becca F&B - You are the engine of the team who inspires everyone each week. We regularly get feedback from players, coaches, parents and umpires about your defensive skills and ability to constantly defend, disrupt and intercept anything. Well done on your selection in the Future Jets squad.

Summer – Wow what a season you have had! You graded for WD and ended up one of our most consistent shooters! Your improvement as a shooter is phenomenal and watching your confidence grow throughout the season has earned you selection in the Future Jets squad.

Grace Coaches Award – We love watching you work in GK and GS. You can shoot from anywhere in the D and are willing to play wherever is needed. You have showed resilient when things have not gone your way and are always willing to learn and improve. Well done a great season Grace.

Mia –You hassled and tagged the hardest players on the court with a cheeky glint in your eye. You are one of our most determined, reliable and versatile players and are a handy shooter too. What a fabulous season Mia!

Evie – You have blossomed throughout the season and were best on court multiple times. You have shown great resilience playing up and being put under enormous pressure in some close games. You are super-fast around the court have amazing intercept skills. Well done Evie!

Milly – It has been wonderful to watch you trust yourself, especially shooting. You create opportunities, and court space with your speed and intercepting skills and pressure your opponents with your fight every week. You are great fun to have on the team Milly!

Sophie – What a fabulous first season. You picked up all the rules and skills so quickly and have been a key part of our defence. You are a versatile player and have taken on all roles with a smile. Great job Sophie!

Kireth –You're a resourceful player who can move across all areas but have the biggest impact as a midcourt player with your speed, court awareness and work ethic. You were determined to improve your shooting skills and were rewarded; you also greatly improved your defensive skills which gave you the ability to intercept and create space at turnovers. What a wonderful season Kireth!

Sage – You are a quiet and determined player who gives your all. You are a wonderful shooter, working well with anyone in the D. You have been an important link between attack and midcourt, playing as far up as C and doing everything asked of you. You happily work your passing and catching with some of our hardest throwers, giving it back with just a much heat. Your biggest improved has been your lateral movements to improve your opportunities for receive passes. Well done on a great season!

Sienna – You had a disrupted season through injury and illness, but once you returned you got straight back into full training and matches. It was wonderful to see your improvement with every training session and game, always working hard and doing everything asked of you. You are a great team member and have given 200%. Well done!

U11 PANTHERS

COACH: John Hurley

MANAGERS: Sam Bishop, Emina Davis.



As a team where many of the players came from other clubs, other schools, and two of the players were new to the game, the Panthers managed to make a Team very quickly. Some wins along the way and some harder lessons, but that's sport.

Having a Team where most of you wanted to play the same position it was hard at first, but you've all made the best of it and learned more about the game as we went along. All of you girls should be proud of their efforts and proud as a Team. Hopefully you all keep going with this great sport!

Charli Bishop – The first words Charli spoke to me was “here's the ball you crazy man” :) . Charli is a great GA, a little sleepy as a GS, but a reliable shot at goals. Loves to chatter away and add lots of fun to game day, and a bit of cheeky frustration to training drills.

Sophie Cochrane – Quiet as a mouse at times, it was easy to lose Sophie in the noisy crowd but has shown some real effort and skills as the season progressed. A pocket-rocket of sorts and plays much taller and tougher than she looks. Well done Sophie.

Nikita Davis – Nikita relishes the role of WD, and it shows. Cruelly struck down with an injured hand early in the season, Nikita missed a bunch of games, but you came back strong and fitted straight back into the team. You also came back from Bali with an awesome hairdo!

Jessica Grady – Another first-year player, Jess was thrown into defence from the start and has progressed every week without fail. Jess you're always excited to be there and I can see that the game is made for you. Keep on playing and a fantastic first-year effort.

Milla Hardy – Milla you were a hard book to read early on but have certainly come out and played! You've progressed really well as a centre, as a player, and your vigour and edge is great to watch. A bit cheeky at times, but very keen and competitive.

Grace Hurley – As the daughter of the coach I was worried things might get tense, but not to be, thankfully. Grace as a first-year netballer you've progressed well, developed a great competitive edge, and enjoy being there every game. I'm sure you've found your sport Grace and thank you for being nice to the Coach!

Lily (or Eva) Nevitt, and Eva (or Lily) Nevitt:
FAIREST & BEST and COACHES AWARDS – I've not been successful in telling these (identical) twins apart all season. I've tried, but I keep getting it wrong. Both these girls are absolute athletic machines, sometimes amusingly clumsy because they're so fast, but always 110% effort. Both girls have played in every other position all season, and without complaint, they just get it done. Well done girls, it's been a pleasure, in particular your well-mannered approach to the game.

Shia Schofield – First day of training I passed the ball to Shia a little too hard and promptly hit her in the face! Not off to a good start, but soon after Shia came out of her shell and showed how effective she was in goals, and as goalkeeper. Your smile returned more and more as the season went on.

Oceana Winkleman – Oceana gets on the move and defends very well. You've been great in the goal defensive zone and when you forget that you're a bit shy your competitiveness comes through. Doubling as a centre you've no shortage of energy.

U12 SAPPHIRES

COACH : Elyse Spencer

MANAGER : Leanne Taylor



AVA

You worked hard to develop the foundation skills. Every week you've improved and gained confidence to push yourself. I thoroughly enjoyed watching your 'specky' shooting.

TAYLA

Great work this season Tayla. You are very bubbly and chatty and brought a smile to everyone's faces. Every week you bring a positive energy to the team, and I can see you taking on what you have learnt at training into your games. Well done

LILLY C

Worked hard to improve her skills and didn't hesitate to ask questions if she was unsure. Your confidence grew each week. You have developed into a strong versatile player and a great teammate.

CHLOE

What an amazing shooter. Your movement throughout the circle and how you worked with your shooting partner really shone through. You listened to every bit of feedback at training and used all learnt skills in your game.

EVA - F&B

Is our all-rounder. You were happy to play any position and did so with speed and accuracy. I loved watching your 'specky' shooting and your ability to cover the entire court was impressive.

ISLA - Coaches Award

Your happy and bubbly personality is contagious. A fantastic bundle of energy. You worked so hard at training, and it has really shown in your game play. Isla is a real team player; she is always there when her team needs her.

MATILDA

My side kick is always asking what she can do to help at training and at the game each week. You have improved so much this season and I love watching your confidence grow.

CHARLOTTE

You are an excellent defender and put in so much effort to intercept the ball wherever possible. I love your enthusiasm and always giving your teammates positive advice. You make a great role model and would even make an excellent coach one day.

QUINN

Our smiling little pocket rocket. You moved around the court with such speed, your opponent often struggled to keep up. You had some fantastic intercepts and always keen to learn new skills.

LILY W

New to the club this year and straight away picked up the rules. You always took on board all my feedback. You gave 100% in every game and was such a joy watching you develop throughout the season. Well done

Kind regards
Coach Elyse Spencer

U12 EMERALDS

COACH : Tracy Holyoake

MANAGER : Paula Thompson



U12 Emeralds have had a great season this year and it has been an absolute pleasure to coach them! They have gelled well and gone from a group of girls to become a team. They are always looking out for each other on and off the court and it has been wonderful to spend time with this group of girls each week! They played in the South Midlands Tournament this year and came home the U12 Champions! Woohoo!

Eliana Chester. Eliana has been an absolute superstar in defence this season. Her movement on and off the ball is amazing. Eliana is an integral part of the team and I love hearing her encourage all of her teammates at training and on game day. Fantastic season Eli!

Acacia Gallen. What a great season Acacia has had. Acacia has worked hard on improving her movement in the shooting circle and losing the "noodle arms" which has made her a beast at rebounds! Her confidence has grown and it shines on court! Keep up the hard work Acacia!

Louisa Gilbert. Louisa has had an awesome season. She works very hard and takes onboard any instructions given. Her consistent eagerness to improve her game all around throughout the season has been outstanding and her hard work has paid off. Congratulations on a great season Louisa!

India Henderson. F&B. India has had an exceptional season. Whether it be in the defensive circle or in the attacking circle India has shone! India has worked hard at training and at home and mastered being a holding shooter which has helped her become our top goal scorer. Outstanding season Indi!

Stella Hill. Stella has worked hard all season and has become the teams all-rounder! It doesn't matter what position I ask Stella to play, she does it with a smile on her face! Her one on one, touch tight defending has been amazing this season and has seen opponents shooters completely marked out of games! Fantastic work Stella!

Isabella McClean. What a season this little pocket rocket has had! Isabella does not stop when she is on court and I love how we can all hear her call for the ball! When she is sitting on the sidelines she consistently cheers and encourages her team mates and is a true team player! Congratulations on an awesome season Bella!

Charlie Stoneham. Coaches Award. What a phenomenal amount of growth Charlie has made in her game this year! Charlie has shone this year with her growing confidence, her timing on her runs and her vision for passes into the circle. Charlie continues to work hard at every training session and is an absolute pleasure to coach! Excellent season Charlie!

Lucie Szabo. Lucie has worked extremely hard this season and I have seen so much improvement in her game. As a shooter Lucie will always defend when our opposition has the ball and appear from nowhere to gain an impressive intercept! Lucie is eager to improve and when given hints and tips, will go home and practise until the adjustment becomes muscle memory. What more can a coach ask for! Fabulous season Lucie!

Jasmin Thompson. Jasmin has had an amazing season, whether it be in defence or in the midcourt I know she will pay to the best of her ability not for herself, but for our team. Jasmin always gives 100% and her game awareness is fantastic! Jasmin has worked hard on her timing and leading for the ball. Awesome season Jas!

**Thank you girls for letting me be a
part of your team!
1,2,3 Emeralds!**

U13 COMETS

COACH : Ingrid Bryant

MANAGER : Renee Gill



Winter 2023 has been a great season for the Comets. This team is compiled with some big personalities and jokesters. Most have played together for a few seasons, with a couple of new recruits who gelled quickly with the rest. It took them awhile to settle and trust their new coach but the girls learnt to train with purpose and intensity. They have gone from strength to even more strength, working hard to improve their basic skills and it has shown in their games. Our win margins have been astronomical, yet they have always been respectful to their opponents.

Coaches and parents from other clubs have commented on what a great little team they are. Currently we are sitting second on the ladder and chasing a premiership. If the girls continue to stay focused, we hope to bring home a win for Beaumaris. It has been a pleasure seeing their confidence grow and how much they have enjoyed playing this season. Well done, Comets.

A big shout out to Andrew and his team who often combined training with us and our manager, Renee, who efficiently organised us at every game with the biggest smile. Thank you also to our parents who came and supported us every week.

Lily - Our goal attack and wing attack. Lilee's change of direction leads often opened up space and enabled us to effortlessly get the ball into the circle where she would then accurately shoot and score goals.

Hayley Our other moving goal attack. Hayley worked hard to apply all new tricks and skills taught into her game, often turning the ball over and moving the ball back into the goals to single handily, score for her team.

Stevie Stevie used her height to her advantage to hold and get the high balls passed into her. She impressed me with her knowledge of a shooters screen and her explosive popping out from behind a defender to grab the ball and score.

Cleo : Coaches Award Tall and athletic, our most versatile player. Cleo effectively played wherever her team needed her. She moves and reads the play well to get an intercept whether in mid, defence or shoot and often gained the ball to score goals.

Isla Our Wing attack/center. Isla has the best front cut and would open up space to work the ball down to our shooters. She worked hard to improve her passes this season and was always an attacking option.

Viana Our tinniest, speedy mid court with a phenomenal vertical jump. Vianna worked hard to improve her defensive game, flying out of nowhere to get an intercept and could always be relied upon to chase down a loose ball.

Bethany Our other trusty, midcourt who also played circle defence. Bethany greatly improved her passes. She would stick like glue to her player and fearlessly attack the ball when going for an intercept.

Mia Another shooter and our main wind defence. Mia worked hard to improve her footwork and passes this season. She used her height to her advantage to score goals on rebounds and her long arms saw her have the best hands over a ball.

Amelie : Fairest and Best award. Amelie was our goal defence who annoyed her opponents through her speed and skill. She is a smart player and consistently got the best and most intercepts this season. Amelie's trail leads always linked both ends of the court together.

Rozy Our other circle defender. Rosie's shadow defence and read the play enabled her to get the most unexpected intercepts. Her great passes could always be relied upon to help transition the ball down the court.

U13 METEORS

COACH : Andrew Bowness

MANAGER : Suzanne Forward



Zoe: Zoe is a dynamic player who has a very strong presence on the court. She works well under pressure and has the ability to take control of an attack and grind down defences. She has a positive impact defensively and in attack in all games. She is mentally strong and is willing to accept challenges presented to her and is deserving of our **Fairest and Best award**.

Bonnie: Bonnie has developed well this season and has applied valuable skills to her circle work in attack. She has learned to hold and offer her other shooter options. I am really pleased with her progress and willingness to improve. Her attitude toward improving is impressive.

Isla: Isla has improved the whole season. She is making stronger more efficient leads and has developed a keen sense of timing when feeding the goal circle. What makes her a good attacking player is her ability to defend and create pressure through great balance and hands over the ball skills. She is a hard working team member and an example to her teammates at training. She is only going to get better.

Kyla: Kyla's biggest asset is her willingness to improve. She is learning to overcome the pressures of congested space and as a midcourt player is learning how to be efficient with her leads and reoffering. As the youngest member of our team she has had to overcome the age difference and has done this with grit and determination. She was also a member of the u12A Jets team.

Jessica: Jessica has made incredible improvements in her game. Her change of direction and timing is very good as she consistently finds space and supports other leads. She has good balance and creates effective defensive pressure. As a new club and team member, I have seen her confidence grow and hope she has found her new netball family.

Grace: Grace is a big asset to our defensive team. Her understanding of protecting her circle and shutting down the circle movement of the opposition attack was very impressive. Her season was cut short due to injury and we hope she will be back and strong in the future.

Ellie: Ellie is a wonderful developing player. She applies herself to each practice and works hard at getting the basic skills correct. She recognises her own abilities and concentrates on perfecting them which makes her a very reliable team member, who shows an aptitude for defence.

Cheyney: Cheyney has matured as a player and her understanding of her role as a circle defender is developing quickly. She is learning how to channel her infectious enthusiasm (which could be described by some as loud and untimely) and this is now becoming a strength where she recognises moments in matches, practices and applies herself, appropriately to being better. She has grit, tenacity and wants to perform well for the team. I look forward to watching her progress. **Coaches Award**

Esme: Esme is a calculating, hard-working, resilient defender. I have been very impressed with how she adapts to advice during matches and I can see the cogs in her netball brain working out how to get the better of her attacker. This process of taking on and working out how to break down an attack is a very valuable defensive skill and she is doing it well.

Te Meri: Has improved as the season has gone on demonstrating competent shooting skills as well as defensive skills. I have been impressed with how she has applied the coaching tips she received. Her presence defensively has a positive impact on our team and allows the other defenders to work off her making her a sensible calculating team defender. I look forward to watching her netball improve as she applies herself in the years to come.

U15 SCORCHERS

COACH : Alison Clark

ASSISTANT COACH : Caitlyn Davison

MANAGER: Bree Job



This group of young ladies has come together well as a team and they are all supportive of each other. I'm excited to see how far we can get in the finals. Many thanks to our manager, Bree for your organisation and to my daughter, Caitlyn for assisting me with training and at games.

Bella Bellenger – an amazing young lady who knows what she wants. Bella contacted the club to enquire about any vacancies with a team as she wanted to get back into playing netball. Bella was a bit rusty at first but has worked hard on her shooting and improves with each game. Keep up the hard work.

Chloe Boland – Chloe is an experienced player that has owned the WD role. I was so pleased that Chloe came back this year after suffering a major injury in last years Grand Final. Chloe continues to show great dedication to playing netball and improves year on year.

Kiera Brumell – Our speed demon. Kiera is essential to getting the ball into our shooters and clearances out of defence. Kiera is always enthusiastic and has been a great captain for the team.

Ivy Campbell – Ivy reluctantly took on the role of GS this year but her shooting efficiency proved it was the right decision and Ivy is now relishing the position. Ivy has great movement in the shooting circle and is an asset to the team. What a great season you've had.

Kate Job – Kate is improving on her defence skills and I have seen definite growth since last year. We've been working on her defensive rebounds with correct positioning and 2 hands up to pull in the rebound. I'm sure Kate will keep growing as a defender and keep improving. Well done.

Lily Kilcoyne – Lily has been our third shooter and has shown great skills with her circle movement. Lily is great at making leads and passing into the shooters. Whether it is WA or GA Lily is a valuable player on the team.

Sofia Lonsdale – Thankyou for joining the team Sofia. We really needed your steadying influence in the mid court and you've fitted in really well with the rest of the group. I hope you've enjoyed your first year at Beaumaris and the JNA competition.

Taylah O'Hanlon – Taylah is new to Beaumaris but has picked up some tips from big sister Sam who also plays for the club. Taylah has a strong determination to get the ball and challenge every pass. Taylah also has excellent speed and movement that helps the team get the ball quickly down court and into attack. Great first year Taylah. **Coaches Award**

Emma Sargent – another new player to Beaumaris but not new to netball. Emma has a natural ability and her height has really helped the team in defence. Emma has worked hard to keep improving and is eager each week to learn new skills. It has been a pleasure to coach you Emma and I can see great things for you in your future if you keep working hard. **Fairest and Best**

Lollotea Steventon – Lolli is brand new to netball, never having played before, and it was evident that Lolli had a lot to learn. With that though comes the greatest growth potential and Lolli has really shown she's dedicated to achieving as much as possible. From going to stepping every time she caught the ball to nailing her landing within the first 10 weeks was amazing. I'm so pleased you didn't give up Lolli. You're naturally athletic and can do anything you put your mind to.

U15 HEAT

COACH : Sarah Phipps

MANAGER : Lisa Petit



The Beaumaris heat team have had a strong 2023 season this winter. The team started the season strong and found themselves to be a competitive division 1 team in the U/15's age group. For my first year coaching a team that wasn't in modified rules, it was a big change but overall, I have enjoyed coaching this team this season.

Mia continued to develop in the attacking side of the midcourt this year. She has proven that C and WA are her most competitive position, regularly outperforming her opposition. In the midcourt she can easily transition the ball down the court to the shooters.

Jess was one of the teams co captains this year. Jess's athleticism allowed her to perform competitively each week. From the beginning of the season, she has been able to read the play and knew where to go which created a nice shooter to shooter connection between herself and the other shooters. **Coaches Award.**

Laila came into this team as a shooter but would regularly help in the defensive circle. This year she has proven herself in both end of the court. In defence Laila has strong body positioning allowing herself to get intercepts and rebounds from the shooters. Where in shooting, her movement and positioning has improved greatly this season

Steph was our other co-captain this year. In the shooting circle, she would rotate the circle with the other shooter, creating space to be able to get a clean lob over the defenders. Her shooting accuracy across the whole season was always particularly high, hardly missing any shots. **F&B.**

Sophie plays a fast pace but controlled game. This year she has primarily been in C but did swing into both shooting and defence when it was needed. Sophies speed and natural defensive ability allowed her to create turn overs by getting clean intercepts each week.

Paige was new to the club this year. She started the season as an attacking midcourter but quite quickly found that WD was a preferred position. Her footwork has improved dramatically over the season which helped keep turn overs she created with the intercepts she got.

Bell is a player who knows to balance the court to help the ball flow fluidly down the court. Each game she would create easy passing options for her team at centre passes and down the court. This season Bell primarily played in WA, where she has had sharp leads and feeds into the shooters.

Keeley was primarily in the defensive circle with Rachel this year. She played a strong body on defence this year. Keeley is able to block the shooters out forcing the shooters to take longer shots, which created more rebounds to turn over the ball.

Rachel has consistently performed across the season. She reads the ball down the court extremely well allowing her to contest the ball from anyone in the opposing team. She creates multiple turn overs each game allowing the team to have more opportunities at gaining a lead.

Emilynne had a slow beginning to the season with some injuries and illness. She plays a smart game in the attacking end of the court creating options for the team to get the ball to her in the goal circle. She also has a strong pass for feeding into other shooters.

U18 FIRE

COACH : Lauren Kershaw

ASSISTANT COACH : Kylie Kershaw

MANAGER : Minnie D'Castro



This year has been a good one for our Beaumaris Fire as we head into the division two finals. Special thanks to Kylie Kershaw and Sophie Kershaw for helping me coach this year and thanks to Minnie D'Castro for being manager.

Tahlia - One of our superstar shooters. This was Tahlia's first year playing club netball and she quickly became pivotal in our shooting combos with her quick movement and beautiful height. Tahlia's athleticism, ball control and long range shots are something to be seen. Keep pushing with your netball, I truly believe you could go far!

Nicola - Nicola is a versatile and reliable player. She has done so well this year, moving into our defensive circle to complete the defensive unit. Nicola has been vital in the team's dynamic with her amazing ball skills and speed. Nicola has a skilled netball brain and is able to consistently think ahead of the play to help the team with the next move. Awesome work Nicola!

Gemma - Gemma is an asset in the WD position. She is a consistent, reliable player who has a fantastic attitude. You can always rely on Gemma to give 100% when she is on the court. It was great to coach Gemma as she takes all training and coaching onboard and implements it in her game. Good work Gemma!

Kelly - Our team's strong captain. Kelly has shown great leadership this season, on and off of the court. She has been reliable in our shooting combination with her high accuracy and speed. Kelly is amazing to watch with her own flair and style that stands out when you watch her. Well done Kelly for an amazing season! **Fairest and Best**

Ava - Our team's silent assassin. It has been amazing to watch Ava develop this year in her confidence and her skill. Ava has been our most consistent Centre and she is always there as an option to pass to. Her spatial awareness and ability to read the play has made her an asset to this team. Thank you Ava for a great season! **Coaches award**

Nyx - Nyx has been an asset to our defensive unit. Nyx's strong rebounds and pressure over the ball is able to change the outcome of a game. They are able to put a smile on everyone's face. Although our most accident prone player, Nyx always gets back up and keeps going. Amazing job this season!

Emily - A skilled and reliable player in our defensive unit. Emily is a great interceptor and it has been lovely to see her become more hungry for the ball through the season. Emily always has a big smile on her face and can always be seen encouraging her team mates. Hope to see you in opens next year Emily!

Jasmine - Jasmine has been reliable centre court attack this year. Jasmine has a beautiful ability to settle and calm the court, creating amazing plays in attack and centre court with her strong skills and sense of control. I can always trust that Jasmine will be able to play her 100% and she always has an ability to help others around her to play at their best also. Well done!

Samantha - Sam is a strong leader, who sets an example for her team and others to look up to in times of need on and off the court. She is one of my most experienced players and although at times can be injured, she always makes an impact when she is out on the court with her beautiful leads and strong ball skills. Well done!

Megan - It has been great to watch Megan develop into a very accurate and reliable shooter. Megan has a beautiful calming presence on the court and has beautiful movement in the circle. She also uses her body well, creating space in the shooting circle for her other shooter and not allowing the defender to get past. Good job Megan!

Well done team!! Hope to see you all back next year.

OPEN CRUSADERS

COACH / MANAGER : Olivia Proctor

Aliesha is such a good teammate. Constantly in position when we need her and always smart with circle feeds and reset passes. She plays centre in WA amazingly and always has a smile on her face.

Ava is a fantastic teammate and netball player. She's always positive and never gives up, no matter how tough the games get. She's also supportive of everyone on the team and knows how to bring out the best in each player. She is one of our key players on our team and we're lucky to have her.

Cassidy has undeniably proven herself as an asset this season. Her remarkable skills on the court make her an exceptional player, effortlessly orchestrating the ball's movement. Cassidy's unwavering support and positive encouragement uplift the entire team during crucial moments.

Celeste is our C star. She will give any position a crack and always try her best. However, you will mainly find her in C running her defender around mad. You can always rely on Celeste to catch your dodgy balls or run her heart out to keep the ball in play. She is a massive asset to this team.

Chloe is a returning player to the club and has slotted into the team like a dream. Chloe was building her skills in her defensive role but unfortunately suffered an injury in round four which sadly put her out for a bit of the season. She is a much-loved member of the team and we've loved seeing her grow as a player and a person.

Kaley is new to Beaumaris and has proven to be a consistent player. She mostly plays GD but can be put in any position and she'll still succeed. She's always there for rebounds, knows how to read the game and she constantly comes to games with a positive attitude. **F&B**

Olivia is a very good shooter, who rarely misses. She will catch any ball you throw at her. Liv can also play defence if the team needs it and shuts down the shooter instantly. This season, she has been a great captain, organising everything for the team on match day. **Players Player**

Sarah is amazing with her defensive pressure both in the circle and midcourt. She constantly goes for intercepts and hands over which has helped us out heaps. It has been amazing watching Sarah build into the season with one great game after another.

Sophie is another of Beaumaris's first timer and has been a standout asset for the team this season. Her consistent improvement in shooting accuracy and fluid movement has left everyone impressed week after week. Notably, she excels as both an extraordinary team player and a source of vibrant energy on the court.

Tahlia is a versatile player being able to shift between defence and midcourt. Her quick decision-making enables her to intercept shots and passes leaving the opponent struggling to make headway. Throughout the season, Tahlia's remarkable progress had been evident. Great season!



OPEN LILIES

COACH : Alison Clark



There is a story behind the name Lilies, something to do with grandmothers. I've had the pleasure to coach these ladies for a few years now and they are a lovely but sometimes cheeky bunch.

They frustrate me endlessly because I know they can do so much better than they sometimes give on court. We've had some easy games and some challenging games but towards the end of the season we have found our groove.

Abbie Bentley F&B – Great circle defender and gets the team lots of turnovers with her rebounds. Abbie is a key player in our defensive line up.

Ella Bentley – A beautiful girl that quietly goes about her game with an excellent shooting efficiency. Ella works the goal circle really well and is a dream to watch partnering with Sarah in the goal circle.

Caitlyn Davison – Caitlyn is everywhere on court and is always making leads and getting the ball down court and into our shooters. Has great feeds into the shooting circle and provides the team with multiple passing options.

Maisie Henderson – this lady has the height and agility that sets her apart from many other players. Maisie loves the mid court and is a great target for the team to pass to. The ball is in safe hands when Maisie gets a hold of it.

Steph Holt Players player – the first season we have had Steph in the team and she has brought with her a wealth of experience and shows the team other options for passing and court movement. We've loved having Steph on board and her support and encouragement has been very welcome.

Rachael Little – we welcome back Rachael this year into our defensive end. Rachael has some great defensive moves and is strong under the goal post. Rachael always fits in well with the rest of the team and we love that she has joined the team again.

Ava Madden – Our captain this year, Ava is our WD and circle defender. Ava brings her smiles and love of netball each game. Ava is supportive of her team mates and an excellent player to boot. Thankyou Ava for being a great leader, even if you don't think so yourself.

Ciera Madden – Ciera has a great attitude on court and helps lighten the mood. Ciera is our WA has great passing feeds into our shooters. Ciera is always there to support the team.

Jess Sivec – Thanks Jess for joining the team again this year. Jess is super flexible and will play any role but strongest in shooting. Jess helps support the team wherever she is needed. There is still so much to teach you and I love watching you grow and develop your game.

Sarah Tonkin – Super shooter extraordinaire. Sarah is a very accurate shooter and has great circle movement. It is a pleasure to watch Sarah partner with Ella in the goal circle. They have been playing together for so long they have a unique understanding of each other's game. Another great year for you Sarah.

OPEN AVENGERS

COACH : Ingrid Bryant

MANAGER : Lauren Kershaw



A great team with great attitudes. Most of these girls played together last season with a few new additions along the way. It's pleasing to note that many of the Avengers have been with Beaumaris since the very first day they started playing at a club.

These girls have played competitively all season but have also had so much fun playing together with their friends and sisters. The skills they put out on court has been a pleasure to watch and a pleasure to coach (and for me, to coach again).

The following is what the girls had to say about each other.
Ingrid x

Ashlyn - Ashlyn is a strong, versatile player who can play anywhere from shooting circle to WD. She has beautiful defensive pressure and attacking movement throughout the court. She always gives 100% and is an asset to our team. Love your work, Ash!

Kiralee - Kiralee has really stepped it up this year both in attack and defence. She is constantly moving on court, making herself a hard opponent to defend. Her shooting accuracy is at an all time high and her ability to shoot from anywhere in the circle is a joy to watch.

Sophie - Sophie is a player who happily steps into any position to help her team out, this year primarily in shooting. She plays a strong controlled game, which helps when playing against those competitive teams. Wonderful season, Sophie!

Kate - Kate is an extremely reliable mid court player with her strong passes and quick feet. She is always there when you need her, both in her play and her encouragement. A smart netballer with beautiful decision-making, we've loved playing with you.

Hattie - Hattie is our speedy mid courter that plays a fast and competitive game. She knows how to put on good pressure and always consistently makes leads and reliable offers. Well done, Hattie.

Jess - What a pleasure it has been to have Jess back this year after a long break. Jess is an amazing sport and such a versatile player. She has fantastic hands over, amazing footwork and gets great intercepts. Love you, Jess.

Emma – Players player - Emma is such a great team player and is quick and zippy when on court. She has fast feet which allows her to intercept, lead and feed the ball into the attacking end. Emma is always bubbly and cheerful and brings great energy to the team.

Sarah - Sarah is highly competitive and skilful against a hard competition. Her game knowledge, along with her immense stamina and physical strength makes her a key team player. Sarah catches and chases balls that nobody else can and when needing a defensive player, steps right in and shines as bright as ever.

Vienna – F&B - Congratulations on a strong season! You have consistently played at a high level whether it's getting a turnover in the circle or bringing the ball down the mid court. We can always count on your positivity and cheerfulness to lift the team.

Lauren - You are such a circle defence superstar! Your defence makes such an impact on the game with all the turnovers and pressure on the shooters. You're always willing to help other players with your netball knowledge and give great feedback after each quarter. Amazing Lauren!

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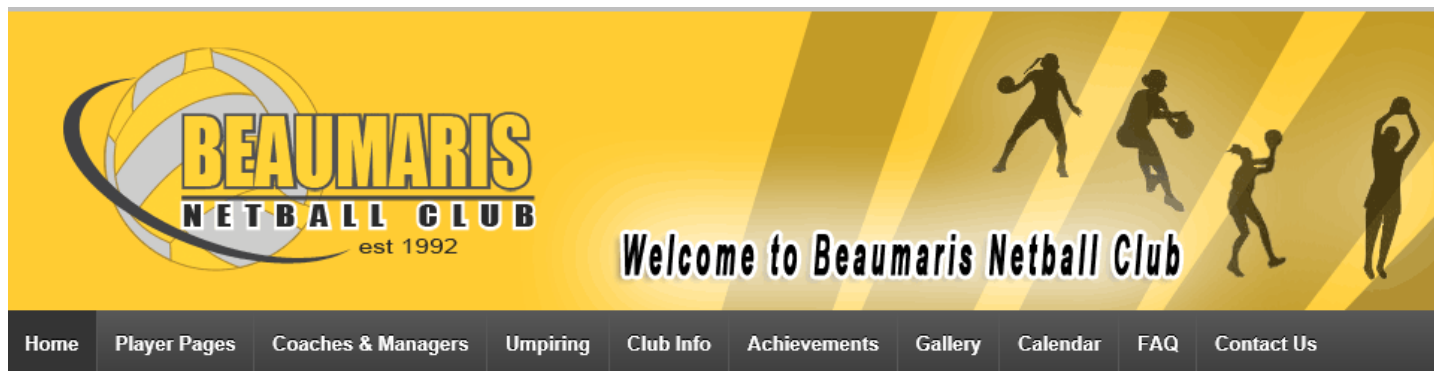
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