



NEWSLETTER – APRIL 2024

Dear Members

It is less than a week away that round 1 starts and we are looking forward to seeing all the girls on the court.

Some important updates we want to inform you of:

Players Required

- We are requesting our members support to promote the following:
 - Seeking 2 x players in U16 competition (2008 born)
 - Seeking 1-2 x players in U10 competition (2014 born)
 - Our new Net program - which is a training only program on a Tuesday night commencing 7 May. This targets girl aged 5 - 7 years. Please see the attached flyer and share with anyone that you think may be interested.
- We thank members in advance for sharing these opportunities with your wider circles outside the club.

Uniforms

- You may have seen we have been working hard behind the scenes to make our netball process much easier for members. We have recently signed a partnership with Vayda Sport in Booragoon. Members are able to drop into Vayda Sport and try on uniforms and purchase there. Please ensure you have your playing dress ready for game 1, last minute orders maybe difficult to fill on the spot.

- More information, including our clearance items, can be found on our website

- [Uniforms - St Christopher's Netball Club \(stchristophersnetballwa.com\)](http://stchristophersnetballwa.com)

Bibs

- We are pleased to announce we have purchased new game day bibs for every team this year. This will be distributed to your team manager ASAP, we are just waiting on our supplier and although they won't be here for our first game they are on the way. We can't wait to see all the girls out there on Saturday.



Tompkins Partnership

- You've likely heard about our partnership with Tompkins, and we couldn't be more thrilled. We're busy transforming the space we've been given into a true Saints home and eagerly anticipate welcoming you all soon for some drinks and catch-ups. Remember to mention you're with "Saints Netball" when you visit the bar to make a purchase, as a portion of the sales supports us.



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- Our first opportunity to do this will be April 27th, where all teams are able to go back to Tompkins as they serve breakfast, lunch, and dinner, or just to have a coffee, drink and a catch up with your team and Saints friends.

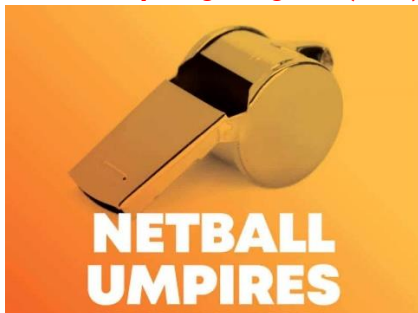
Coaching and Player Development (CAPD) Committee

- Our CAPD is working hard to get everything in place for Round 1 on Saturday, more information will be sent to members on match day play later this week. They are also working on a specialist skills session plan, which look fantastic for players and will be distributed in the near future.

Member promotion (including discounted fees)

- Our member promotion that we undertook generated 85 new registrations into Saints for 2024. This is an extraordinary effort and I would like to thank all our volunteers in the club, as this increase put pressure on every aspect of our club. It is a fantastic result and one that is great for every member of this club to ensure we have more teams in each division. We discounted all continuing members fees as well, to cover the umpiring portion in 2024; this was a small gesture to thank you for your support of Saints.

Saints Umpiring Program (SUP)



- After feedback that many of our members missed out on the FNA JUDP we have decided to run a program at the club to help umpires develop their skills and confidence.

Calling all Saints Umpires and Players (turning 14 or older in 2024) who are interested in umpiring.

The SUP starts Tuesday 16th April 2024 – 4.30pm!

Our umpire extraordinaire Matilda will be on court 8 to help all umpires to develop their skills and build confidence to effectively officiate netball games.

The SUP sessions will run for 45 minutes.

We hope to see you on court 8!

- To find out more please contact us on admin@stchristophersnetballwa.com Subject: SUP

Review of Trophies

- After reviewing our trophies and gathering feedback, we're adjusting our awards to better align with FNA's new divisions and Netball WA's decision to not continue with medallions for Set and Go divisions. This season, Set and Go teams will receive team trophies, while our 11&U juniors and up will be recognised with True Sport awards, with two awards presented per team.



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Round 1 – FNA Bar Allocation

- Join us for a post-game celebration! All Saints members, friends, and FNA peers welcome! After our first game of the season on April 20th, let's gather for a drink and catch up at the FNA Bar.



Date: SAT April 20th



Time: 3:30PM onwards

Plans ahead.

- There is still a lot to come this year including a new website, new database, more specialist skills session, different options for uniforms available, new property (including training bibs) to be rolled out, the NET program starting in May, as well as continued promotion of our netball club to schools to generate more members.

I look forward to seeing everyone down at netball on Saturday for round 1.

Kind regards

Kylie-Anne Stokes

President



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ST. CHRISTOPHER'S NETBALL CLUB

NET SET GO

8 WEEK PROGRAM

- **Commencing** : Tuesday 7 May 2024
- **Finishing**: Tuesday 25 June 2024
- **Time**: 4.15 - 5.00pm
- **Venue**: Fremantle Netball Association
- **Cost**: \$80.00

Expressions of interest are also being taken for 8-10 years this will run dependant on numbers - use below EOI link: <https://forms.gle/jRqucXEppTzjCRe6>

- See website for more details

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Contact us:

Admin@stchristophersnetballwa.com

SUBJECT: Net Set Go

Website:
<http://www.stchristophersnetballwa.com/registrations.html>



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