

BLACKBURN SOUTH NETBALL CLUB BY-LAWS

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1 COACHES AND ASSISTANT COACHES

- (a) The minimum age for Coaches and Team Managers shall be 16 years of age in line with being a senior member of the Club as defined in Clause 3.
- (b) The minimum age for Assistant Coaches shall be 14 years of age.
- (c) All Coaches and Assistant Coaches shall be required to undertake an accredited Coaching Course as directed by the Committee, and the Club shall meet the costs of attendance at such a course.

2 CODES OF CONDUCT DISCIPLINE PROCEDURES

- (a) All codes of conduct applicable to members will be accessible.
- (b) Where a **serious** breach of one or more codes of conduct by a junior member is suspected, the Executive Committee is to be advised as immediately as is practicable and, when there is no immediate risk of harm to the safety of any person(s), action is to be deferred until instruction from the Executive Committee is received.
- (c) Further to (b) above, other than when the breach by the junior member is at risk of causing immediate harm to the safety of any person(s), a junior member is not to be approached until a parent or guardian is in attendance or the parent/guardian has first been contacted to inform them of the situation.

3 DISCRETIONARY BENEFITS

- (a) Executive Committee Office Bearers are not required to pay club fees for members under the age of 18 that are their children. Netball Victoria insurance (VNA insurance), however, is still required to be paid by the Office Bearers for such children.

4 TEAM NAME THEME AND COLOURS

- (a) Our registered theme for club team names with the Whitehorse Netball Association (WNA) Saturday Competition is '**Sea**'. Teams must be named according to this theme.
- (b) Teams are to submit proposed team names to the Executive Committee at least 7 days prior to club registration day so that the team name can be ratified with WNA.
- (c) Our registered team colours with the Whitehorse Netball Association (WNA) Saturday Competition are shirts of White, Navy blue and Jade and skirts(girls)/shorts(boys) of Navy blue.

5 MEETINGS

- (a) The Executive Committee shall meet on a monthly basis whenever practicable
- (b) The Club Committee (Executive and Operating Committee combined) shall meet on a bi-monthly basis whenever practicable.

6 ENDORSED

Dated this _____ day of _____ Year _____.

_____ President

_____ Secretary