



Quakers Hill Netball Club Inc.

Terms and Conditions

1. PLAYERS

1a. Registered players shall be given every opportunity to learn the game of netball, improve their skills, techniques and participate in games whilst the player is representing QHNC.

1b. Every player shall at all times exercise good manners and be courteous to others whether she/he is at training, participating in games, or representing the club in other functions.

1c. Players are expected to fulfil their commitment to attend weekly training sessions and games during the season, and must notify her/his manager or coach if unable to attend.

1d. No player will be allowed to take the court in a competition game unless in FULL club uniform.

1e. The full fee amount must be paid in full prior to the commencement of Round 1. Players will not be allowed to take the court until the balance is settled.

2. TEAMS

2a. Compulsory Team Grading will be held prior to the commencement of the season for all players. Failure to attend or give notice of absence will forfeit your right to appeal team placement.

2b. Where practical players will be placed in teams of their own age group, however the QHNC Grading Committee may recommend individual players or whole teams to play in a higher age group for their development.

2c. Playing time throughout the regular season will be evenly distributed. Players taking the court during the Finals Series shall be at the discretion of the coach, with all players participating in at least one quarter of each game.

2d. QHNC endeavours to place a maximum of 9 players in a junior team and 10 in a senior team; however these numbers are dependent on total registrations received. There will be no more than 12 players in each team.

3. CLUB DUTIES AND VOLUNTEERING

3a. It is pre-requisite of joining Quakers Hill Netball Club that all members will perform Club Duties throughout the year.

3b. Failure to meet this requirement will result in the forfeit of presentation awards, and may result in the denial of future membership with the club.

4. TRAINING and COMPETITION RULES

Players, officials, and spectators will adhere to the following rules at all times.

- 4a. The courts and playground are a strict NON-SMOKING and ALCOHOL FREE zone.
- 4b. Place all rubbish in the bins provided, don't leave it to others to clean up after you.
- 4c. NetSetGo teams are to finish training by 7:00pm, and all Junior teams (12 years and under) are to finish training by 7:30pm
- 4d. Players 12 years and under are to be collected at the courts at the conclusion of training by a parent/guardian. Under NO circumstances will a child be allowed to walk in to the carpark alone.
- 4e. All players must wear appropriate clothing and footwear whilst training.
- 4f. Only appointed coaches are to train players.
- 4g. Teams must vacate their area ASAP once their allotted time is finished to make way for the next team.
- 4h. Parents and spectators must NOT sit in the Team Bench area during games.

Breaches of the above rules may result in suspension (for individuals and/or teams) from ground privileges and/or other disciplinary action at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

5. CODES OF CONDUCT

- 5a. All players, officials, and spectators are to adhere to the Club "Code of Conduct"
- 5b. The use of violence or abuse in any form is strongly condemned.
- 5c. Parents and spectators are to observe the rule that no coaching be applied from the sidelines except by the appointed coaching staff, instead encouraging the team collectively and applauding good play from all participants.

6. DUTY OF CARE

The Duty of Care for all NetSetGo and Junior players remains with the parent/guardian. No coach/manager will be left with the sole responsibility of a child at any stage.

7. MEMBER PROTECTION POLICY

Quakers Hill Netball Club values the rights of its members to enjoy a safe and healthy environment whilst respecting the rights, dignity and fairness of everyone and will adopt, and be governed by, the NSW Netball Association Ltd Member Protection Policy.

8. CORRESPONDENCE AND EMAILS

8a. All members of the club are to refrain from inappropriate use of electronic media or otherwise with the purpose of maligning the club, intimidating, manipulating, or violating the privacy of family, guardians or the like of Quakers Hill Netball Club or any other club or BCNA.

8b. All members of the club are to ensure that any correspondence from electronic media or otherwise is to be directed through the QHNC Secretary for approval. Under no circumstances is the opinion, point of view, or wording to imply or indicate a position of Quakers Hill Netball Club to be forwarded or sent to any other club, association or the like without the express consent of the QHNC Executive Committee.

8c. All members of the club are to ensure that any correspondence from electronic media or otherwise does not contain profanities, personal attacks, derogatory comments or the like. Correspondence shall be written in such a way that is legible, clear and concise, and is factual without exception.