



2008 BASKETBALL NSW DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM



Country Basketball Tour SELECTION CAMPS 8th & 9th September 2007

****PLEASE NOTE NEW TRIAL FORMAT....Players are not longer 'invited' to attend Trials;
Trials are OPEN to all eligible players****

Details for Trials are as follows:

Invited Selection Trial Dates:

ACJBC and PCS

Saturday, 8th September 2007

Terrigal – U15 & U16 Girls 10am – 4pm

Niagara Park – U15 & U16 Boys 10am – 4pm

Sunday, 9th September 2007

Terrigal – U14 Girls 10am -4pm

Niagara Park – U14 Boys 10am – 4pm

Trial Times: All One Day Trials

Commence: 10:00am Finish: 4.00pm

Selections for U17 and U18 Tour teams will not take place on this weekend.

Selections for these age groups will be made at the 2007 U17 Regional Waratah Camps (See info page 3)

Tournament Dates:

ACJBC

Albury 11th – 19th January 2008

(Games start 14th)

PCS

Port Macquarie 19th– 26th January 2008

(Games start 21st)

SELECTION PROCESS

- Two teams to be selected for ACJBC each of U/16 and U/14 Age groups: Kookaburras and Waratahs.
- Two teams will be selected for PCS each of the U/15 age groups.
- The teams will be selected to be as equally balanced as possible.
- These selection trials are the first stage in the Country U18 and U16 State Team Selection Process
- Final Selection: at selection camp all successful candidates will be issued with a letter outlining the tour details.
- U17 and U18 Selections will be made at the 2007 U17 Senior Waratah Camps

PLAYERS WHO HAVE A LEGITIMATE REASON AS TO WHY THEY CANNOT ATTEND SELECTION CAMP, E.G., INJURY, OVERSEAS, WILL BE CONSIDERED FOR SELECTION PROVIDED THEY SUBMIT ACCEPTABLE WRITTEN CAUSE FOR SPECIAL CONSIDERATION PRIOR TO THE CAMP TO BASKETBALL NSW & COMPLETE ATTACHED 'SPECIAL CONSIDERATION APPLICATION FORM' INJURED PLAYERS MUST ATTEND TRIALS AND ALSO PROVIDE A WRITTEN LETTER AND/OR MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

- ❑ The touring teams will be announced at the conclusion of the session. They will consist of twenty players who will then be placed into team(s) – as indicated above.
- ❑ Under 15 players are eligible to be selected for either ACJBC or PCS Tours.
- ❑ Only top age U14 players will be selected for the ACJBC Tour. Only in exceptional cases will this policy be varied.
- ❑ Players who are unavailable for State Team Selection are asked to advise Basketball NSW immediately as they will not be selected for Country Tours and therefore will not be required to attend the selection camp.
- ❑ Players selected for the Australian Junior Camp at the AIS in Canberra, January 2008 have an obligation to give that event their priority.

SELECTION CAMP DETAILS

Complete the forms and return to Basketball NSW together with your payment (cheque/money order) or credit card details.

Trial Venues:

ACJBC and PCS

Saturday, 8th September 2007

Terrigal – U15 & U16 Girls 10am – 4pm

Niagara Park – U15 & U16 Boys 10am – 4pm

Sunday, 9th September 2007

Terrigal – U14 Girls 10am -4pm

Niagara Park – U14 Boys 10am – 4pm

Camp Fee:

\$18.00 (GST inclusive)

BRING TO CAMP:

- Training gear, tape and underwrap, water bottle
- Any medications that you may require
- Reversible singlet or light & Dark tops
- Lunch/snacks (lunch is not included in camp fee)
- Basketball: U14 – U16 Women – SIZE 6
U14Men – SIZE 6
U15 – U16Men – SIZE 7

ALL PLAYERS ARE REQUIRED TO BE AT VENUE AT 9:30am ON NOMINATED TRIAL DAY (SATURDAY OR SUNDAY) (30 mins prior to start)

ONE DAY CAMPS ARE EXPECTED TO FINISH AFTER ANNOUNCEMENT OF SELECTED PLAYERS AT APPROXIMATELY 4:00PM

- Players are not to leave Venue at any time for any reason. Players are under the control of camp staff at all times over the Trials weekend.
- Parents are not allowed at camp, except for Medical Reasons – please advise Basketball NSW if your attendance is necessary for your child's health

UNIFORM SIZING SHEETS MUST BE FILLED OUT AND BROUGHT ALONG TO TRIALS BY ALL TRIALING PLAYERS

Any further questions, please contact Claire Gilchrist at the BNSW Office on (02) 9746 2969 or via email: claire_gilchrist@nswbasketball.net.au

NEW TRIAL FORMAT 2008 COUNTRY TOUR TEAMS

Players aspiring to achieve selection in NSW Country State Teams are expected to participate in the Development Tour Program to continue to develop and to demonstrate their ability in the team situation.

Participation in this program is essential for NSW Country State Team Squad selection.

In 2007 and onwards, selection for NSW Development Tour Teams will be undertaken as follows:

NSW Country Development Tour Selections:

U/14 Tour Teams (U/14 Year of Tour):

Selected from the Country Tour Trials to be held as per calendar each year (generally in the September preceding the tour in the following January). The trials are intended to identify the most outstanding U/14 (next year) basketball development athletes in NSW Country.

The target group to attend trials would be athletes who are outstanding association representative players from the NSW country junior leagues. They are open trials so that any athlete from the target group wishing to trial may complete the application form available on the BNSW web site to apply to attend trials.

NSW County Junior Leagues are encouraged to identify appropriate athletes from within their leagues, to provide them with information about the trials and to encourage their attendance.

U/15 & U/16 Tour Teams (U/15 & U/16 Year of Tour):

Selected from the Country Tour Trials to be held as per calendar each year (generally in September preceding the tour in the following January). The trials are intended to identify the most outstanding U/15 & U/16 (next year) basketball development athletes in NSW Country.

The target group to attend trials would be athletes who are outstanding association representative players from the NSW country junior leagues. They are open trials so that any athlete from the target group wishing to trial may complete the application form available on the BNSW web site to apply to attend trials. NSW County

Junior Leagues are encouraged to identify appropriate athletes from within their leagues, to provide them with information about the trials and to encourage their attendance.

U/17 & U/18 Tour Teams (U/17 & U/18 Year of Tour):

Selected from the U/16 & U/17 Waratah Development Program All Star Camp

(PLEASE NOTE CHANGE – SEPARATE COUNTRY TOUR TRIALS WILL NOT BE HELD FOR THIS AGE GROUP)

To be held as per calendar each year (generally in September preceding the tour in the following January). This development program is intended to identify the most outstanding U/16 & U/17 basketball development athletes in NSW Country.

The target group to attend these camps would be athletes who are association representative players from the NSW country junior leagues.

The regional camps are open to all appropriate age BNSW registered members so that any athlete from the target group wishing to attend the regional camp may complete the application form available on the BNSW web site to apply to attend.

NSW County Junior Leagues are encouraged to identify appropriate athletes from within their leagues, to provide them with information about the camps and to encourage their attendance.