



2008 U16 National Junior Championships

Welcome to the 1st Bulletin of the 2008 U16 National Junior Championships

Venue

Ray Owen Sports Centre is the venue for the 2008 U16 National Junior Championships.

The centre is approximately 20km east of Perth and this will be the first time a National Championship will be held there.

However, the Kalamunda and Districts Basketball Association will celebrate 40 years of basketball in Kalamunda in 2008.

The centre has been the venue for NBL preseason games between the Perth Wildcats and many interstate NBL teams over the years.

Competition

Games will commence on **Saturday 12th July together with the opening ceremony that night and conclude on Saturday 19th July with the Grand Finals followed by the closing ceremony.** All games will be played at the Ray Owen Sports Centre.

Teams will need to be in Perth by Friday 11th of July for a Technical Meeting which is tentatively scheduled for 7.00pm at the Lesmurdie Hall.

The Lesmurdie Hall is on the same reserve as the Ray Owen Sports Centre.

Accommodation

A complete list of accommodation is available on page 2.

However, if you have not yet booked we suggest that you do so ASAP as accommodation will go very fast.

Ray Owen Sports Centre is situated in the Hills east of Perth in a residential area and there is not a lot of accommodation close to the venue. You should expect to travel 15 to 30 minutes to get to the venue.

Medical Services

The services of local sports trainers and physiotherapists have been arranged for the duration of the Championships. Ice will be provided for injuries and rehab as required.

Merchandise and Championship Photos

Once again Coast 2 Coast will be the supplier of official apparel for the championships and Kangaroo photos is the official photographer. Order forms will be attached to the 2nd bulletin for teams and parents to pre-order.

Tickets

Championship entry passes must be shown to door staff on entry. Prices for tickets will be \$10 per day Adults and \$5 for U16's, aged pensioners and concession. Weekly passes will be available for \$60 and \$30. Family pass (2A + 2C) will be available for \$150 (championship) and \$25 (daily). U10 free.

Credit card facilities will be available.

Score Bench and Statistics personnel

Like all championships more volunteers are required. **If you are coming to Perth and can help** on the score bench or with statistics during the championships please contact our Event Manager Terry Rolfe on 041 717 3550 or Email u16nationals2008@bigpond.com

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Location of Ray Owen Sports Centre can be found by going to the following link

<http://maps.google.com.au/maps?f=q&hl=en&geocode=&q=ray+owen+reserve&sll=32.002253,116.022491&sspn=0.031007,0.05785&ie=UTF8&ll=-32.003418,116.021118&spn=0.031007,0.05785&z=14>



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U16 National Basketball Championships 2008 Accommodation Guide

The championships will be played at the Ray Owen Sports Centre, Gladys Road, Lesmurdie. W.A. The stadium is located **approx 20km east of Perth in the hills**. Accommodation in general is not close. You will probably have to travel 15 to 25 minutes to the stadium. Below is a list of accommodation that we suggest as being the most convenient to the stadium and after hours services e.g. meals etc

Serviced Units	Minutes from Stadium
Great Eastern Motor Lodge – www.gemotorlodge.com.au ****	20-25
Flag Motor Lodge – www.flagmotorlodge.com.au	20-25
Quest Ascot Village – www.Questascotvillage.com.au	20

Motels

Wattle Grove Motel – www.wattlegrovemotel.com.au ****	10
Astralodge Motel – www.home.iprimus.com.au/astralodge ***	15-20
Toorak Lodge Motel – www.tooraklodge.com.au	20-25
Comfort Inn Bel Eyre – www.beleyremotel.com.au	25
Bentley Motor Inn – www.bentleymotorinn.com.au	15-20
Inter City Motel Belmont – www.countrycomforthotels.com ****	20-25

Tourist Parks

Perth International Tourist Park – www.perthinternational.com.au	10
Banksia Tourist Park – www.banksiatourist.com.au	15-20



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If parents wish to come there are some B&B's in the hills but again not many. I suggest that those wishing to come using that style of accommodation book as early as possible.

B&B's

Go to www.stayz.com.au then in search box type Perth hills

The following are suggested from the web site

- Hills Holiday Cottage	- Kelmscott	Minutes from stadium 20-25
- Tanah Retreat	- Roleystone	20-25
- Treetops on the 15 th Araluen	- Roleystone	20-25
- Eagles Nest Villa	- Swan View	20
- Fawkes House	- Carmel	10
- Possum Creek Lodge	- Gooseberry Hill	10
- Carmelot B&B	- Carmel	10
- Falls Retreat B&B	- Lesmurdie	5
- Greenways B&B	- Lesmurdie	5