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THE 2020 SEASON...

**Let's go Oakhill -
you know the drill!**

This year has certainly been a challenging one but we are very fortunate to still get to the courts, even with an 11-week season. We are now over two thirds of the way through and are all (hopefully) used to the new safety protocols which will no doubt be here for some time. It's important to continue to abide by these protocols so we can all keep playing - they're listed on page 4.

Coming into Round 9 we wanted to take this opportunity to thank all of our volunteers - our coaches, managers, umpires and our Committee and of course all of our wonderful families for all their support too. Read our "Team White" update on Page 3, the whistle wouldn't blow without them.

Whilst our season is far from normal, your Committee is discussing how we can achieve a sense of "normality" in regards to our end of year events including team photos, presentations and we may even have some exciting news about Term 4 NSG clinics! And our NSG teams are looking forward to the BNSNA Gala Day next weekend.

See you at the courts!

Ladder positions
after Round 8...

Team #	Grade	Ladder position
22	10D Gold	3rd
21	10B Gold	1st
20	11D Green	1st
19	12D Gold	5th
18	12B Gold	6th
17	13C Green	3rd
16	13B Green	3rd
15	14C Gold	3rd
14	17C Gold	1st
13	21D	5th
12	21C Gren	5th
11	21B Green	4th
9	C4 Green	1st
8	C1	4th
7	B5 Navy	2nd
6	B5 Green	1st
4	B2 Green	5th
3	B1	5th
2	A4	3rd
1	A3 Gold	3rd



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Meet our teams!





Team White update

“Umpiring is a volunteer service – a fact frequently overlooked or taken for granted by players and spectators, who readily criticise the umpire for decisions and rarely offer praise. The importance of umpiring upon the maintenance of a good standard of play can never be stressed too strongly. However outstanding the players, however effective the coaching, in the long run it is the efficiency of the umpiring which influences the standard of play. Even lower standard teams with little or no coaching can improve with consistently good umpiring. An umpire is an integral part of the game and can make or mar a game. The enjoyment of the games depends on the efficiency and manner of the umpire.”

(Quote from Maureen Boyle)

At Oakhill Drive Netball Club we have a zero tolerance for any players, bench officials or spectators, who might ridicule or intimidate an umpire. Umpires are volunteers with a huge task – we ask that all spectators keep this in mind when an Umpire may have “missed” an infringement.

Whilst the 2020 season may only have 11 rounds, Oakhill still have 25 games to cover each week - 5 on Friday nights for our NetSetGO teams, and 20 games on the Saturday, that’s a total of 275 games across the season that needed to be covered.

In addition to ensuring we have a suitably skilled umpire assigned to each game, we were also determined to keep some form of a development program running to increase the team.

Each developing umpire requires a Mentor/ Coach to work. We are fortunate at Oakhill to have dedicated & enthusiastic mentors to help on our program. A big shout out to our primary mentors this season: Kati H, Kim D, Kiri B & Zoe N.

Regular umpires

Thank you to our 30 regular umpires, games cannot start or end without 2 umpires, please ensure you all thank your umpires each week.

Developing umpires

The following umpires have all recently completed the development program for Oakhill Team White for 2020: Mikayla C, Brooke K, Lily K, Jessica C, Sarah G & Caitlin M. All 6 have grown considerably in understanding the rules, using correct terminology & hand signals, positioning & confidence.

2020 Badging

Round 6 : Congratulations to Rachel K for being awarded her National C level badge . The National C level is the first level in the national accreditation pathways program and must be maintained to retain over a 4 year period.

Round 7 : HUGE congratulations to Kati H and Andrea C who have been awarded their National B badges! This is an impressive accomplishment - well done.

Round 8 saw our first Green badge awarded to one of our developing umpires Mikayla Campagna. Congrats Mikayla you've worked diligently towards terminology, positioning & it shows in your growing confidence.



National B umpires:
Kati H & Andrea C



BHSNA update

NSG GALA DAY THIS SUNDAY!

Round 1 starts at 12.30pm
Last round concludes 4pm
Canteen available 10am to 3pm
Draw available Friday evening.
#gooakhill

COVID-19 Delayed Make up Matches...

This Sunday,
13th September!

ODNC teams:

10.00am: 11D Green
11.15am 13C Green

COVID-19 Safety Protocols

Thank you to all of our members who continue to support us by complying with the Safety Protocols for Competition Days. We ask you all to remind your players, coaches, managers, umpires and spectators:

- **Strictly one spectator per player** - We still have a number of members not adhering to this. BHN Executive will continue to patrol the courts and politely ask spectators to remove themselves from courts where this is not being adhered to.
- Ensure spectators are signing in via the QR codes located on the fences or inside the baskets at each court.
- Ensure spectators are answering the questions accurately. If you select YES for any question, even by accident, BHN Executive will have no option but to ask you to leave the complex immediately
- If you have visited any of the NSW Health identified hot spots and COVID-19 case locations as outlined here: <https://www.nsw.gov.au/covid-19/latest-news-and-updates> DO NO ATTEND THE COMPLEX. Please self-isolate immediately and get tested.
- Limit movement between court areas and congregation areas. If movement is necessary, please ensure you sanitise when you move
- Please treat our Club Safety Officers kindly - they are giving their time to ensure that we can continue to play
- If in doubt, opt out!
- Reminder: The BHSNA Facebook page can be accessed by anyone, even if they do not have a Facebook account. For those without Facebook, please use and share this link: <https://www.facebook.com/BaulkhamHillsNetball/>

Please ensure that you check this Facebook page regularly as this is the most immediate form of communication BHN uses on a regular basis.

STOP PRESS: INJURY UPDATE!

Sending a speedy recovery to two of our Committee members Kirsty & Kiri from their injuries. One injury was from netball whilst the other from "lounge room dancing"! OMG! We will let you "match" the injury to the Committee member!