

Gladstone Netball Association

Memorial Park, Side Street | Gladstone, QLD 4680 (PO Box 982)

Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) – Annual Planning Meeting

Effective Date: [Insert Date] Reviewed By: [Insert Reviewer Name]

1. Purpose

To establish a clear, consistent process for conducting the annual Planning Meeting in preparation for the upcoming netball season and Annual General Meeting (AGM).

2. Scope

This SOP applies to all GNA committee members and affiliated entities involved in the planning and delivery of the netball calendar year.

3. Procedure

- 1. Scheduling
 - The Planning Meeting must be scheduled no later than two months prior to the AGM.
- 2. **Meeting Agenda** The following items must be tabled and discussed during the Planning Meeting:
 - a. Sign-On Date
 - Confirm official date for player registrations.

b. Fees Structure

- Player Registration Fees for Mini Netters, juniors, and seniors.
- Netball Queensland Fees for both players and non-players.
- GNA Fees covering:
 - 1. Electricity
 - 2. Grounds staff
 - 3. Cleaning and court maintenance
 - 4. Facility upkeep
 - 5. Administration costs
- Confirm due dates for payment by all affiliated entities.

c. Review of Other Fees

- Night training fees (with exemption for representative team sessions).
- Fines for:
 - Match forfeits
 - 2. Non-compliance with umpiring duties



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- Start and end dates for the netball season (including Mini Netters).
- Finals schedule.
- Grading/pre-season games and grading committee meeting dates.
- AGM date.
- Representative trial dates.
- Pam Moore Carnival date.

e. Affiliation Fees

Confirm and set the affiliation fee for clubs and independent teams.

3. Documentation

- Minutes must be recorded.
- o Fee decisions and dates must be clearly documented in the season calendar.

Responsibilities

- GNA President/Chairperson: Convene and facilitate the Planning Meeting.
- **Secretary:** Circulate agenda, take and distribute minutes, update season calendar.
- **Treasurer:** Present fee structures and collect inputs on financial considerations.
- Competitions Co-Ordinator: Present grading proposals and timelines.
- **Rep Coordinator:** Submit rep trial dates and training needs.