NEWSLETTER

Newsletter Date - AUGUST/SEPTEMBER

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Presidents Corner

Hi everyone,

Ive been told by Robyn to keep my blurb "LITTLE", so I will do my best.

We have had a very busy couple of months organising our extremely successful Shooters Clinic which was run by Jo Morgan. I have received some very positive feedback from the clinic and we hope to run another one for all court positions in the last week of the next school holidays, so stay tuned for further information.

At the moment, we are on the countdown to finals. After this week, we only have two rounds of normal games to go. Club committee members and officials are extremely busy sorting out presentation days, trophies, awards and making the final arrangements for a fantastic end of season. Information regarding breakups will be distributed this week.

Our Saints Premier League team are finishing their season next week, as unfortunately they have just missed out on a position in the finals. Its been a challenging season for them with several of the players having injuries during the year. We wish them all the very best for their final games for the year and look forward to seeing them back in full swing next season. Please come along to RSL Stadium on Monday 19th August to support them for their final game for 2013.

I think that's it for me..... Please stay in touch with your coach regarding finals and breakups, and enjoy the rest of your games!



Good luck everyone! See you at the courts!

Yours in netball,

Tracey Wilson, President.

Dates of Interest

- 24 August - TCNA Awards Presentation
- 7 September - TCNA Premier League Grand Final
- 14 September - TCNA Junior & Senior Grand Finals Day
- 15 September - Saints Junior Break-Up & Trophy Presentation
- 20 September - Saints Senior /PL Break-Up & Trophy Presentation

PLAYER/UMPIRE PROFILE

This month's profile is player & umpire,

TARYN TOULE.

Tarryn started umpiring with Saints when he was12 years old. She was mentored by previous Club President, Karen Chapman and her two daughters, Naomi and Emma. She obtained her C Badge at the start of the 2011 season and since then she has been invited into the Umpiring Academy for 2012 and 2013. She has represented Saints in Umpiring in the Junior McDonald's Carnivals and umpires for the Townsville City Netball Senior and Junior fixtures. She also has been selected to umpire for the NQ Schoolgirls Competition here in Townsville and will soon umpire at the National Competition. Tarryn has undertaken nine carnivals or competitions. Her playing commenced with Saints when she was 12 years old and is enthusiastic about our club and what we have to offer. She now plays and Captains our Inter A team which were recently Premiers at the McDonald's Carnival and always builds great relationships with her team mates and coaches. Tarryn has goals for the future some of which are to soon obtain her B Badge, to be Talent Identified when away at Nationals and to be invited into the 2013 Umpiring Academy once again. She aspires to develop more into the Coaching aspects of the game and looks forward to being a mentor to Saints umpires and encourages more players ,Senior or Junior to get involved with umpiring. Her favorite player is Temepara George from the Silver Ferns and away from Netball she enjoys craft, sewing, travelling, shopping and hanging with friends.

TCNA McDONALDS JUNIOR CARNIVAL

A great weekend was had by all at this carnival. We had teams nominated in all age groups from Moddies through to Inter A. Big congrats to Stormers who took out Intermediate A premiers and Scorchers who came runners up in 14B. It was a huge weekend of junior netball.

All teams played in great spirit and showed great sportsmanship. Well done Saints, we are awesome! A big thankyou also, to all parent volunteers involved in the carnival to help our rostered jobs run smoothly.



Saints Sparklers Moddies with Alarna & Jenn (Saints Steelcat players)

CONGRATULATIONS!

To our junior club players who...

- have played and represented Townsville City in the Netball Queensland State Sunshine Carnival last month here in Townsville

Molly Pettman **Kaila Delany** **Holly White**
Breanna McLaughlan **Brooke Bouker** **Ana Karetu**



- have recently obtained their C Badge in Umpiring...

Sophie Durant and Casey Morgan

- **Alarna Glazier** in our Premier League Team who won the "Most Consistent Player" award at the 2013 Magnetic North Steelcat Awards Presentation Night last weekend.

WELL DONE!

GOODLUCK ALSO to Tarryn Tourle and Brydie Nugent being assessed for the respective B and C umpiring Badges next week.!

We would love your interest and input.....

All offers of assistance from our wonderful parents and senior players are very welcome & truly appreciated. We would love to have your input at our meetings or around the courts. **You don't need to hold a position on the committee!** Please feel free to talk to any of our committee members with any concerns or suggestions to help make Saints the club to play for. We invite you all to **our AGM which will be held during the Junior Break-up. Most of the committee positions have nominees so** please come along and enjoy some afternoon tea and if you are interested in volunteering some time to help out, let us know.

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