



GEL NETBALL

2025, SEASON 1

INFORMATION BOOKLET

Welcome to GEL Netball

GEL Netball is a fantastic community for netballers. We take great pride in creating a fun and friendly environment for our social competitions. Whether a team or a solo player, we provide weekly participation opportunities on Monday and Wednesday nights for the whole community.

Additionally, we run an inclusive finals series, allowing every team to play finals. So, whether you are at the top of the table or climbing the ladder, everyone gets a chance to win some gold in front of friends and family!

Competition

GEL Netball is proud to be an inclusive social competition catering to all identities and players of all skill levels. We offer women's and mixed netball competitions.

- Monday nights – Ladies and Mixed
- Wednesday nights – Ladies and Mixed

When

GEL Netball Season 1 runs in line with school terms 1 & 2. Season 1 commences the week of Monday, 3rd February and culminates the week of Monday, 30 June. Season 1 has a two-week break across the school holiday period and has byes on public holidays.

Timeslots

GEL Netball provides opportunities for the whole community by offering 6 timeslots between 6:30 pm and 10:30 pm. We do our best to provide an even spread of timeslots but cannot always guarantee an even split.

Match Times: 6:30 pm, 7:10 pm, 7:50 pm, 8:30 pm, 9:10 pm & 9:50 pm.

Competition Registration

Registrations for GEL Netball Season 1, 2025, will open Friday, 20th December and close Friday, 14th February.

- Register now: [Link](#)
- No preference is given to returning teams.
- Registration operates on a first-in-best-dressed basis.
- Registrations will close on Friday, 14th February, at midnight or when capacity is reached.

Competition Fees

Fees	Monday	Wednesday	Cost per player for a team of 7
Team Registration Fee	\$336.00	\$336.00	\$48.00
Team Weekly Match Fee	\$94.50	\$94.50	\$13.50 per match
Team Upfront Season Fee	\$1,512.00	\$1,606.50	Mon: \$216.00 (16 matches) Wed: \$229.50 (17 matches)
*Early Bird Special Team Upfront Season Fee	\$1,417.50	\$1,512.00	Mon: \$202.50 (16 matches) Wed: \$216.00 (17 matches)
Finals Matches (not included in season fees)	\$94.50	\$94.50	\$13.50 per match

- *The Early Bird special offer expires at 11:59 pm on Sunday, 5th January.
- Season fees and weekly match fees are not inclusive of finals match fees.
- Teams can pay the season's fee upfront or weekly.
- Teams electing to pay weekly must make match payments before each match via GESAC's customer service desk.
- The team captain must give the match payment receipt to the umpire before the match begins.

Insurance

GEL Netball provides registered players with playing insurance. Insurance costs are built into each season's registration fee. Players who aren't registered for the season are not covered by the team's insurance. For insurance queries and claims, please email stadium@geleisure.com.au.

Season Timeline

Timeline	Monday	Wednesday
Registrations	Opens Monday, 6 th January, and closes Friday, 14 th February or at capacity.	
Grading	3 February to 24 February	5 February to 26 February
Competition Rounds	3 March to 16 June	5 March to 11 June
Byes	10 Mar, 7 Apr, 14 Apr, 21 Apr, 9 Jun	9 Apr, 16 Apr
Semi-Finals	23 June	18 June
Grand-Finals	30 June	25 June

Monday Nights

G1	G2	G3	G4	1
03-Feb-25	10-Feb-25	17-Feb-25	24-Feb-25	03-Mar-25
2	3	4	5	6
17-Mar-25	24-Mar-25	31-Mar-25	28-Apr-25	05-May-25
7	8	9	10	11
12-May-25	19-May-25	26-May-25	02-Jun-25	16-Jun-25
SF	GF			
23-Jun-25	30-Jun-25			

Wednesday Nights

G1	G2	G3	G4	1
5-Feb-25	12-Feb-25	19-Feb-25	26-Feb-25	5-Mar-25
2	3	4	5	6
12-Mar-25	19-Mar-25	26-Mar-25	2-Apr-25	23-Apr-25
7	8	9	10	11
30-Apr-25	7-May-25	14-May-25	21-May-25	28-May-25
12	13	SF	GF	
4-Jun-25	11-Jun-25	18-Jun-25	25-Jun-25	

Fill-Ins

We have a Facebook page for teams needing fill-in players throughout the season:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/2133016573647990/>

Fill-ins must ensure they register to the competition to be covered by insurance: [Choose Type - Glen Eira Sports and Aquatic Centre Netball - GameDay Registration \(mygameday.app\)](#)

Individual Players

Individual players looking for a team can fill out our [Individual Player Interest](#) form.

We will do our best to form a new team by combining those with similar skill sets.

Team Names

Please be aware that team names exemplifying any offensive, discriminatory, or inappropriate remarks are strictly prohibited. GEL Netball strives to maintain competitions that are social and inclusive of everyone. GESAC competition management reserves the right to refuse any team names deemed racist, inappropriate, or discriminatory.

Uniforms

All teams must wear the same colour and shade of tops, bottoms, or one-piece dresses. Skirts below the knee, track pants, multi-coloured shorts, or shorts with pockets, buttons and zips are prohibited. Teams are also required to provide their own bibs.

Terms and Conditions

Timeslot Fixturing

- By entering the GEL Netball competition, teams agree to play any timeslot.
- Competition Management cannot guarantee an even spread of timeslots.
- Teams will receive a warning for any 9:50 pm games that they forfeit.
- Teams may accumulate two warnings per season before a team suspension is applied.
- **Please consider the above notes before registering for the season*

Code of Conduct

- By electing to participate in GEL Netball, players agree to abide by the player code of conduct.
- Breaching the Player Code of Conduct may result in cautions, warnings, or send-offs.
- Additionally, we reserve the right to suspend or immediately remove players and teams from the competition at our discretion. In this situation, player and team fees will be forfeited – you will not be entitled to a refund.
- Codes of Conduct can be found on the Glen Eira Leisure website under Sport – Netball.

Forfeits & Refunds

Teams that register for GEL Netball are committing to the season and season fees. See the full refund and forfeit terms and conditions via the netball competition rules document.

Overview – Forfeits

- If your team cannot field a team or attend a match, you must notify GEL Competition Management that your team needs to forfeit.
- Teams that forfeit must still pay for the forfeited match, no matter how much notice is provided.
- The forfeited fee will be added to the following match fee.
- An automatic forfeit will apply if a team is not on the court within 10 minutes of the fixtured start time.
- If a team forfeits without sufficient notification, GESAC's competition management reserves the right to remove the team from the competition.

Overview – Refunds

- If a team that has paid upfront is on the receiving end of a forfeit, they will be credited or refunded at the discretion of GESAC's competition management.
- If a team withdraws from the competition for any reason after the commencement of the competition and prior to the end of the competition, it will not be entitled to a refund of any part of its registration or season fee.
- If GESAC's competition management suspends or withdraws a team from the competition for any reason, no refund of the registration or upfront season fees will be refunded.