

# ADG 2012 NEWS UPDATE

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## General Information on the Basketball Competition:

Competition Dates: 16th to 20th of January 2012  
Game Times: All games will be in the evening  
Format: Club Based

- Open Men
- Open Women
- Junior Men

Game Timing: As per FIBA Guidelines

- 4 x 10m fully timed quarters

Welcome to our first update regarding the Australian Deaf Games (ADG), to be held in Geelong during January 2012.

Although the games seem to be a fair way away—over 12 months, preparations are gaining momentum and well underway.

As a leading team sport, Basketball is a show case for the games and is one of 19 sports being played at the games. Other sports include Athletics, Beach Volleyball, Golf, Shooting, Squash and Table Tennis.

The Basketball competition will be held at The Arena, home of the Geelong Super Cats, that competed in the NBL from 1982—1996. The Super Cats now compete in the South East Australian Basketball League (SEABL) and the Big V.

State Organisations, are encouraged to start preparing their members for the competition. Deaf Basketball Australia, will provide regular updates on the event to make sure everyone is well prepared and ready to support this great event.

## About Geelong:

Geelong is a port city, located around 75km's south of Melbourne. Geelong is home to almost 200,000 people and is home to car manufacturer Ford and also the Geelong Football Club who compete in the AFL.

Geelong is well serviced by both the Tullamarine Airport (Melbourne) and the local Avalon Airport. Jetstar fly direct to Avalon from most interstate airports.

V-Line also provide regular train services to Geelong from Southern Cross Station in the heart of Melbourne.

If you would like to register, to receive updates about the ADG, directly from Deaf Basketball Australia, please email Matthew Dunstan (DBA Technical Director) at [matthew.dunstan@basketballvictoria.com.au](mailto:matthew.dunstan@basketballvictoria.com.au)

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