Why should I join the Wizards Academy?

- Improve your individual skills in all aspects of the game.
- Refine your skills in our club competition
- Learn from experienced coaches and players
- Increase your opportunity to make representative and state programs
- Gain confidence and become a better overall player

Where to from here?

Higher level pathways exist for players with great desire and potential. These include:

- Representing Queensland at Australian National Championships
- Represent the Northside Wizards in the QBL men's and women's competitions
- Pathways to NBL and WNBL teams
- Represent Australia at national and international events



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Development Program



What is the Academy?

The Wizards Academy is the flagship development program for the Northside Wizards. The program is focussed on the individual skill development of junior players who aspire to play representative basketball or just want to improve their skills.

The Northside Wizards Academy will draw from our most experienced senior coaches, QBL players and recognised experts from other areas of Qld to lead the program.

Northside Wizards boys and girls aged 9 – 17 years are eligible to participate in the program, through the various tiers. If you are looking to improve your skills and take your game to the next level then this program is for you. The Academy is a high intensity development program aimed at up-skilling our future Wizards players.



Wizards Academy Program Information

The Northside Wizards Development Academy consists of 4 tiers. These are as follows:

Future Wizards

All under 12 boys and girls are eligible for this program. Rep and non-rep players welcome. Future Wizards will receive THREE half day development clinics that will focus solely on the fundamentals of the game.

Club Academy (coming in 2012)

All under 14, under 16 and under 18 players NOT involved with rep teams are eligible for this program. Both boys and girls welcome. For those that may have missed out on rep teams and wish to improve. Will consist of multiple half day development clinics.

Wizards Academy

For all under 14, under 16 and under 18 rep players ONLY. Will consist of an 8 week development program leading into the rep season. Small groups with specialised coaching tailored to each players needs. All rep players are encouraged to join this program.

Elite Academy (U14 - U18 players - invite only) Scholarships will be given to 10 boys and 10 girls selected from our rep programs. These athletes will be given 1 hour individual training sessions per week for 10 months of the year, as well as nutritional, psychological, and fitness education.

Costs and Dates

Limited spots are available in each tier.

Tier 1 - Future Wizards

Clinic 1 – Friday 8th July (10am – 3pm) – Brendale Clinic 2 – Sunday 7th August (1:30pm – 4:30pm) - Brendale Clinic 3 – Sunday 21st August (1:30pm – 4:30pm) - Brendale Cost \$80.00 for all three clinics (11 hrs of coaching)

Tier 2 - Club Academy

Dates and costs to be determined in 2012

Tier 3 - Wizards Academy

Commences: first week of July. Concludes: first week in September. Multiple timeslots to choose from. Cost \$100.00 for 8 weeks (12 hours of coaching)

Tier 4 - Elite Academy

Invitations will be forwarded to selected representative players by the end of June 2011.

How to Register

Applications for Tier 1 and Tier 3 programs can be made on the Academy Program registration form, which can be obtained from the Wizards counter at Boondall or on our website www.northsidewizards.basketball.net.au

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