



# **'TAIPANS AND LADDERS'** CAIRNS CAIRNS THE LADDER **TO SUCCESS'**

Taipans NBL & WNBL Program

**Mens and Womens Teams** 

QBL Program

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**CQUniversity Taipans Academy** 



15+ years of age (TAP)

**Taipans Performance Program** 

10 to 13 years (FDP)

**Tiny Taipans Program** 

4 to 9 years (TTP)



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15+ years of age (TAP)

**Taipans Performance Program** 

10 to 13 years (FDP)

**Tiny Taipans Program** 

4 to 9 years (TTP)



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#### Age:

10 to 13 year olds

#### **Program Numbers:**

Approxiametly 50 boys and 50 girls will be selected to the Taipans Future Development Program from the Under 12 and Under 14 age groups. Final numbers for this program will be dependent on coach interest and should we fail to find enough interested coaches.

#### **Objectives:**

This program is designed as the perfect stepping stone or transition into representative program it provides grounding for kids aged **10 to 13 years of age** and is focused on enhancing the basic fundamental skill set of all players and introducing them to essential sports sciences that pertain to Basketball.

#### **Key Objectives for FDP athletes and coaches:**

- Preparation for representative Basketball with a focus on QNJBC and State Classics competition
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- Provide FNQ's most talented junior basketball players with the correct tools to become state players and provide
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