

Warriors Newsletter

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Hope you have enjoyed a great Christmas break and are ready and raring to go for the remainder of the rep season!

A few DATES and INFORMATION for your attention:

Bendigo Tournament

Our CBL women and men play IN BENDIGO this FRIDAY NIGHT and would really love to see lots of juniors and their families there to cheer them on. The women play at 6pm and the men play at 8pm at the main stadium in Bendigo. This is their last game of the season. So come along, wear your Warriors warm-up top or training top and MAKE SOME NOISE!

To all teams playing in Bendigo - good luck! If it's hot don't forget to drink plenty of water and get some good sleep. Between games - stay out of the sun, and swimming should be avoided as it can be energy-sapping. *Please see note re photos on page 2.

Come along and cheer on other teams #gowarriors!

Warriors Bags

We now have available the Warriors bags for purchase. These are very spacious bags with room for a basketball as well as a drink bottle and plenty of room on the inside. They are \$45 each and can currently be purchased from Joe the President.

Please call him directly if you would like to get one before the Bendigo Tournament. 0428 170 664



Wodonga Tournament:

6 & 7 February. (some possibility of games on Friday night)

Fees

There are still a few players with outstanding Warriors Fees. These were due to be finalised on December 15 and non payment can result in players being ineligible to play the Bendigo Tournament.

If you are having trouble finalising your Warriors Fees please contact Nadine on domestic@wangarattabasketball.org.au to work out a plan.

Benalla Tournament - important note

The date for the Benalla tournament is: 27 & 28 FEBRUARY (one of the original docs had March instead of February - my apologies)

Teams that will be playing at the Benalla tournament:

Under 12 Girls

Under 12 Boys

Under 14 Girls Div 1 and Div 2

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Under 16 Boys Div 2

The Benalla organising team have said all games will be played in Benalla. There may be some games played Friday night.

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Country Championships

Under 18 Boys, Under 16 Boys and Under 16 Girls:

Div 1 and 2 Country Championships Traralgon, 20 & 21 February

Under 18 Girls

Div 3 & 4 Country Championships Bendigo, 12 & 13 March

As was provided earlier, these are the dates for the Under 14s and Under 12s: **Under 12 Boys & Girls**

Bendigo, 1, 2 & 3 April (held over 3 days with first games played Friday morning)

Under 14 Boys & Girls

Shepparton, 8, 9 & 10 April (held over 3 days with first games played Fri morning)

The Country Championships are the "finals series" of our rep program. We send only one team per age-group (ie our only or division 1 teams).

Your initial commitment to the Warriors program includes a commitment to playing in the Country Championships. All applicable players are expected to make themselves available.



Official Warriors TEAM PHOTOS will be taken on:

THURSDAY 28 JANUARY at WISAC

Final details to be confirmed, but the plan is for team photos to commence at 5.30pm, and the whole Warriors club photo (all Warriors players together) at 6.30pm. We will work around the training times for those that train on Thursdays, and hopefully will get most photos completed by 7pm.

If time allows, you will be able to get individual photos too.

The team photos (by a professional photographer) will be made available to players for purchase. Stay tuned for more details.

PS There is a photo offer at Bendigo this weekend - if parents agree to get a photo done this weekend that is fine - however ALL PLAYERS ARE REQUIRED FOR THE OFFICIAL PHOTOS ON 28 JANUARY as well.

SAVE THE DATE WARRIORS
PRESENTATION/BREAK UP NIGHT
SUNDAY 20 MARCH FROM 5PM AT
WANGARATTA TURF CLUB



