



WARRANDYTE BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

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WARRANDYTE VENOM SEASON 2018-2019 PARENT & PLAYER INFORMATION

Welcome to the Warrandyte Basketball Association Inc (**WBA**) 2018-2019 Venom Season.

We are very proud of our representative basketball program and have no doubt you will quickly pick up on the passion we have for our program, communication with members, providing a safe and enjoyable environment and our desire to be respectful of coaches, referees, players, sponsors and the community we represent.

We hope that you will enjoy your basketball experience as players, parents and spectators. We value feedback and always strive to enhance and better our policies and practices to remain at the forefront of community sport and cater for the needs of our members.

We have a rich, proud and successful history. The Warrandyte Basketball Club was formed in 1965 and the first junior teams played as Warrandyte in 1975. Warrandyte Basketball Club became an official Association of Basketball Victoria in 2002. The organisation is an incorporated association and is managed by a volunteer Committee of Management.

Our Mission Statement

The WBA aims to promote the game of basketball within the local community and to provide the opportunity for people of all ages to learn, develop and enjoy the game in accordance with their individual ability and aspirations, within a safe and encouraging environment.



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Parents

Thank you for making the commitment to allow your child to participate in the Victorian Junior Basketball League (VJBL) competition with Warrandyte Venom. Please read this information carefully and feel free to contact us via communications@warrandytebasketball.net.au if you have any questions. You can also visit our website, www.warrandyte.basketball.net.au, or Facebook, Warrandyte Basketball Association for more information.

VJBL season

The VJBL season is an all year competition.

Following team selections, Spring Phase will commence which will include practice matches. This will be followed by Grading Phase 1, which will lead us into the Christmas holiday break. Grading Phase 2 will commence at the end of January and continue through to the end of February. Depending on how each team progresses through these grading phases, grading could potentially continue through to mid March. The Grading Phase is long and extensive to ensure that each team is placed at the appropriate level to ensure a competitive and challenging season. Season proper will commence mid-March and continue to September.

Team Manager

Each team will be required to appoint a Team Manager from the parent group. The Team Manager is responsible for notifying game times and venues, paying the team sheet, collection of money from parents and preparing a scoring roster. The Team Manager is an excellent resource for information and he/she may be able to assist with any questions you may have.

Training

Each player will be expected to attend ALL training sessions allocated to their team. Missing training sessions for unknown reasons may impact on a player's development and opportunity to participate. If a player is injured, they are still expected to attend training where possible. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend training sessions but are not to engage with their child or other children unless the coach has asked for assistance. Please ensure other children do not enter the court during training, even if they are only using one end of the court.

Game Day

Arrival time

Players are required to arrive at the court at least 20 mins before the scheduled time of the game. Coaches will confirm this with you.

Court Entrance Fee

There is a \$3 entry fee for the player and for spectators.

Game fee

In addition to the registration fee, there is a \$10 weekly game fee for all players which is collected by the Team Manager.



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Scoring

Both teams are required to supply a scorer and a “spotter” (assistant scorer), either to do the sheet/computer or the scoreboard. It is your responsibility to learn how to score. Please visit the VJBL website:

vjbl.com.au/association-resources/ for an instructional video on how to score using the computer. Please watch the VJBL instructional video on how to score using the scoresheet <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gshpK-JL0bE>. There will be a free scoring clinic run by WBA on 30/10/18. Please check our website for more details.

Court time

Player court time is at the discretion of the coaching staff. Players in the representative basketball program do not receive equal court time.

Communication with the coach

Emotions often run high after games, especially when a team loses. This is not a good time to approach a coach with complaints about playing time or suggestions about game strategy. Unless it's an emergency, wait a day or two to bring your concerns to the coach.

Player Responsibilities

Please read the section “Player” to understand what is expected of your child.

Code of Conduct

There are TWO (2) forms in this pack that every player and parent MUST fill out prior to the commencement of the season – **Please ensure the Players Code of Conduct Agreement and the Parents Code of Conduct Agreement is returned to the WBA Administrator (via email or in person) by Friday 30th October 2018.** – WBA Admin email admin@warrandytebasketball.net.au

NO FORM SIGNED – NO PLAYING

Tournaments

Each Venom team (EXCEPT UNDER 21 teams who will participate in ONE tournament) will be expected to compete in at least TWO (2) tournaments each year. Your coach will decide which tournaments he/she wishes to compete in.

Tournament	Venue	Time of Year
Geelong Junior Tournament (pre-season)	Held at various venues in Geelong	November 2018
Southern Peninsula Tournament	Held at various venues	November 2018
Werribee Tournament	Werribee & surrounding venues	November 2018
Eltham/Dandenong Junior Tournament	Eltham & surrounding venues	Aust. Day weekend 2019
Bendigo Junior Tournament	Bendigo & surrounding venues	Aust. Day weekend 2019
Norwood Easter Carnival, Adelaide	Held at various venues	Easter 2019
Nunawading Junior Tournament	Held at various venues	Queens Birthday weekend
Melbourne United Junior Tournament	TBA	July School Holidays 2019



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Registration Fee

Each player pays a registration fee for each season which covers training venue costs, insurance and team registration in VJBL. We attempt to keep this as low as possible to encourage participation.

2018/19 VENOM REGISTRATION FEES

ALL Players	\$495.00	PAID IN FULL BY 30/10/2018
Payment plan option	\$550.00	TWO INSTALLMENTS
		<i>\$350.00 paid on or before 30/10/2018</i>
		<i>\$200.00 paid on or before 01/02/2019</i>

Venom Uniform

Only official Venom attire can be worn to VJBL games. Under no circumstances can players wear casual clothing. Do not be offended when you are asked to remove any non-club attire if you do so.

Uniform Shop

Please visit the WBA Uniform Shop located at Warrandyte Sport Complex (WSC), Anderson Creek Primary School to purchase a Venom uniform. You can contact WBA Admin to make an appointment or alternatively visit the shop during opening hours. Shop hours are communicated via our website and social media.

Please note there will be a uniform fitting session for Venom players held on: **SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER 2018**

WBA Committee of Management

The WBA is run by a volunteer Committee which is elected each year at the Annual General Meeting. The Committee meets monthly and manages the affairs of the WBA.

WBA Sponsors

WBA is grateful for the support from the following organisations:

- Warrandyte Community Bank Branch
- Signage Boutique
- AND1
- Quintons IGA

WBA Events

A number of events are held each year and we strongly encourage parents to support WBA by attending and using the opportunity to socialise with other members. We actively promote inclusion for all members and we look forward to seeing you at our functions.



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General Information

- Visit our website www.warrandyte.basketball.net.au for the latest information about WBA.
- Visit the Victorian Junior Basketball League (VJBL) website www.vjbl.com.au for information including Fixtures/Results, Grading information, Codes of Conduct etc.
- Visit the VJBL website www.vjbl.com.au/association-resources/ for an instructional video on how to score using the computer
- Please watch the VJBL instructional video on how to score using the scoresheet
<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gshpK-JL0bE>

The WBA Committee would like to welcome you and your child and hope that you have an enjoyable and rewarding basketball season.



Players

As a player in a representative basketball side there are expectations regarding how you conduct yourself during training, before, during and after games.

The policies, player and team rules and expectations are in place to ensure each player can work to achieve their potential, both individually and for the team. The following are the initial expectations that your coaches have.

At all times whilst representing the WBA a players behaviour must reflect the Association's values and codes of conduct. Remember that every time a player steps out to play or train, they are representing themselves, their team, their coaches, WBA, its sponsors and members, along with our local community.

Player Rules

Game

- *Listen attentively* to plays / defensive strategy / individual instructions (including whilst on court). Instructions can often be short and sharp, it is important to take in what is being said.
- *Focus* on the task at hand, the game, the coach's instructions.
- *Substitutions* – When are asked to sub in, let the score bench know (i.e. "sub please") and be ready to go on when the referees indicate subs may enter the court. Ask the player coming off which player they had (man to man defense).
- *Time Outs* – Get to the bench quickly as coaches don't have long to talk to players. Players to be seated on the bench - subs standing (this helps coaches focus instructions to those currently on court – same for half time). Time outs are strictly for the coaches and the players to discuss the game.
- *Bench* – When on the bench, be vocal and encourage the team. Pay attention to what is happening on court. Good teams generate maximum enthusiasm and encouragement from the bench.
- *Referees* – Do not talk back to referees or question calls during the game. If a player receives a technical foul, that player may be required to meet with a member of the WBA Committee and Referee Adviser. The player may also face a "club suspension" for the following game.

After Game

- *Discussion* – the coach may want to briefly go through points of the game; gather your gear from the bench and make your way to where directed at the end of the game.

Training

- *Attendance* – training is a very important aspect of the program and players must attend as many training sessions as possible. Please advise the coach or team manager if unable to attend for any reason, this includes any players affected by injury.
- *Focus / Intensity* – train as if you were playing a game, this is how you gain game fitness. Do the drills properly and practice skills or drills in your own time during the week.
- *Listen* – if the coach or another instructor is talking or a player is asking a question then you are not (this includes bouncing / shooting balls). If you don't understand something, please ask.
- *Courtesy* – Please do not enter the court until the allocated time.



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2018/2019 CALENDAR

Friday, 28 September 2018	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
Friday, 5 October 2018					
Friday, 12 October 2018	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 19 October 2018	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 26 October 2018	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 2 November 2018	No VJBL Games				
Tuesday, 6 November 2018	Melbourne Cup Day				
	GRADING PHASE ONE				
Friday, 9 November 2018	SPRING GAMES				
Friday, 16 November 2018	PRE GRADING & SPRING GAMES				
Friday, 23 November 2018	Grading Round One except Under 21's				
Friday, 30 November 2018	Grading Round Two except Under 21's				
Friday, 7 December 2018	Grading Round Three except Under 21's				
Friday, 14 December 2018	X-Over Game 1 (Pre-Grading Under 21s if required)				
Friday, 21 December 2018	Make Up Week If Required				
Friday, 28 December 2018					
Friday, 4 January 2019					
Friday, 11 January 2019	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				
Friday, 18 January 2019					
Friday, 25 January 2019					
	GRADING PHASE TWO				
Friday, 1 February 2019	Grading Round One (including Under 21's)				
Friday, 8 February 2019	Grading Round Two (except Under 21's)				Under 20 Nationals: 6th-10th February
Friday, 15 February 2019	Grading Round Three (including Under 21's)				
Friday, 22 February 2019	Crossover Round 1 (Grading Round 3 Under 21s)				
	VC (12-18)	VC (21)	VJL1-4	VJL5 & BELOW	
Friday, 1 March 2019	BYE	X-Over 1	X-Over 2	X-Over 2	
Friday, 8 March 2019	1	X-Over 2	X-Over 3	X-Over 3	
Friday, 15 March 2019	2	1	1	1	
Friday, 22 March 2019	3	2	2	2	
Friday, 29 March 2019	4	3	3	3	
Friday, 5 April 2019	5	4	4	4	
Friday, 12 April 2019	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				Under 18 Nationals: 13th-20th April
Friday, 19 April 2019					
Friday, 26 April 2019	NO VC GAMES		5	5	
Friday, 3 May 2019	6	5	6	6	
Friday, 10 May 2019	7	6	7	7	
Friday, 17 May 2019	8	7	8	8	
Friday, 24 May 2019	9	8	9	9	
Friday, 31 May 2019	BYE - VC SPLIT	9	10	10	
Friday, 7 June 2019	BYE	BYE	BYE	BYE	
Monday, 10 June 2019	QUEENS BIRTHDAY				
Friday, 14 June 2019	10	10	11	11	
Friday, 21 June 2019	11	11	12	12	
Friday, 28 June 2019	12	12	13	13	
Friday, 5 July 2019	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				Under 16 Nationals: 6th-13th July
Friday, 12 July 2019					
Friday, 19 July 2019	13	13	14	14	
Friday, 26 July 2019	14	14	15	15	
Friday, 2 August 2019	15	15	16	16	
Friday, 9 August 2019	16	16	17	17	
Friday, 16 August 2019	17	17	18	18	
Friday, 23 August 2019	18	18	Finals	Finals	
Friday, 30 August 2019	Finals	Finals	Finals	Finals	
Friday, 6 September 2019	Finals	Finals	Finals	Finals	
Friday, 13 September 2019	Finals	Finals	GRAND FINALS		
Saturday, 14 September 2019				GRAND FINALS	(VJL5 & Below)
Sunday, 15 September 2019				GRAND FINALS	(VJL5 & Below)
Friday, 20 September 2019	GRAND FINALS	GRAND FINALS			
Friday, 27 September 2019	SCHOOL HOLIDAYS				Under 14 Nationals: 30th September - 5th October
Friday, 4 October 2019					
Friday, 11 October 2019	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 18 October 2019	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 25 October 2019	No VJBL Games				
Friday, 1 November 2019	No VJBL Games				



CODES OF CONDUCT

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PARENTS' CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Encourage your children to participate for their own interest and enjoyment, not yours. Support your children in their participation in basketball but do not force them to play if they don't want to. Sport is played by children for enjoyment and fitness. It is good for their bodies but should also be good for their minds. If they feel too much pressure from you it may make them rebellious or even depressed. It is very tempting for parents who are involved in a sport, or who have children with abilities they wish they had themselves to try and force the children to participate or to participate at a level to which they do not aspire. Resist the temptation.
2. Encourage children to always play by the rules. Just as responsible parents teach their children to obey the law of the land, so should those same parents encourage their children to play sport by the rules. If your children show no respect for the rules of the game of basketball, they can also come to believe that breaking the law is acceptable too. If you see your children constantly breaching rules you should be prepared to speak to them at an appropriate time.
3. Teach children that an honest effort is always as important as a victory. Your children will suffer many disappointments in their lives. You should teach them from an early age that whilst a win in basketball will bring them much pleasure, it is not the most important thing. Participating to the best of their abilities is far more important than winning. You can help them learn this, so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
4. Focus on developing skills and playing the game. Reduce the emphasis on winning. If children see that effort is rewarded by an increase in skills, they will derive considerable pleasure and see the importance of striving to improve over the necessity to win every game. Primary responsibility for skills training rests with the children and their coaches but you can assist with their enthusiasm by attending games, encouraging them to practice away from formal training and games and even joining in with this practice.
5. A child learns best by example. Applaud good play by all teams. Acknowledge all good plays whether they be by your children's team or the other team. Good manners and respect can be infectious. If you acknowledge the achievements of your children's opponents it is likely your children will follow suit. This can assist to create a positive and supportive climate for all children involved in the game.
6. Do not criticise your or others' children in front of others. This includes interacting with the coach or other players in any way during the game. Reserve constructive criticism of your own children for more private moments. Children can be very sensitive and feel strong humiliation if they are criticised in front of their peers. When you do feel the necessity to speak to your child about something that displeases you, make the effort to explain what the problem is and why you are concerned about it. If you can see some way of avoiding the problem in the future, also explain this to the children. Give your children an opportunity to offer you an explanation. You are not communicating with your children effectively if all the communication is one way.
7. Accept decisions of all referees as being fair and called to the best of their ability. Referees and officials have a difficult task to perform and your children could not play the game without them. They are there to enforce the rules of play but they cannot always be right. Accept bad calls graciously. Abuse of referees is unacceptable behaviour. Players who consistently dispute decisions or do not accept bad decisions are bad sports. If you disagree with a decision, discuss it with your children in a constructive manner.



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8. Set a good example by your own conduct, behaviour and appearance. Children often learn by example. You are the prime role models for them. Make your parenting rewarding and beyond criticism by leading by example. Do not criticise opposing team members or supporters by word or gesture. Accept loss graciously and applaud the efforts of all playing the game. Do not be one of the “ugly” parents occasionally seen at sporting events.

9. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities. Parents have considerable influence in how sports are conducted. Often they are called on to perform volunteer work to help organise their and others’ children’s’ activities. Use this rewarding experience, not just to assist in getting the necessary work performed, but also to influence the atmosphere in which your children play the sport. Children not as fortunate as yours whose parents are not willing or able to be involved may need some guidance on what is or isn’t acceptable behaviour.

10. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person. Regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background, religion or other factor irrelevant to the game, all persons connected with basketball are entitled to equal treatment and respect. Avoid any remarks that could be construed as offensive or discriminatory. Sometimes even a joke may give offence. Even if a person refers to themselves with a particular label, it should not be taken as an invitation for you to do so. Using discretion is imperative and it is better to err on the side of caution. Your children will most likely follow your lead in matters of discrimination and vilification.

11. Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators. Volunteers are necessary for the functioning of sporting activities. Without them, your child could not participate. Whilst many are parents of people involved in the sport, many are also people dedicated to the sport and its development. Show them the respect and appreciation that they deserve.

12. Keep children in your care under control. Basketball encourages you to bring your children to games. However, there can be dangers to them in a basketball stadium. They can also constitute a danger to players. You should ensure that children with you at a basketball game are well behaved and do not wander onto or too near to courts. They can easily be knocked down by a player or a player can trip over a child when concentrating on the play and not expecting a small child to be in the way.

13. Always respect the use of facilities and equipment provided. Facilities and equipment cost money and will only function properly if kept in good order. Ensure that you do not abuse anything provided for use. Discourage your children from engaging in dangerous practices such as hanging off hoops or “slam dunking”. Quite properly, these practices are banned in most venues. Not only can equipment be damaged but serious injury can occur.

CODE OF CONDUCT AGREEMENT

I hereby acknowledge that I have read all of the above and agree to abide by the Basketball Victoria Code of conduct as outlined above. Upon entering any Basketball Victoria stadium you agree to abide by Basketball Victoria and Warrandyte Basketball Associations Codes of conduct as a Coach, Player or Spectator. Breaching any of the codes may result in ejection from the stadium.

Signature:.....

Printed Name:

Date:/...../20.....



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PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT

1. Understand and play by the rules. Understanding and playing by the rules is your responsibility. The rules exist for the safety, proper order and enjoyment of all people involved in basketball. The lessons to be learned in this respect in basketball are lessons that can and should be carried over into all aspects of your lives. Do not ignore or deliberately break any rules. Even if you think that a deliberate foul may give your team an advantage, you should not commit the deliberate foul in the interests of fair play. If you do consistently commit deliberate fouls or break the rules you must accept that there will be consequences for you and your team. Do not let yourself or your team down.
2. Respect referees and other officials. Referees and officials have a difficult task to perform and you could not play the game without them. They are there to enforce the rules of play but they cannot always be right. Accept bad calls graciously. Abuse of referees is unacceptable behaviour. Players who consistently dispute decisions or do not accept bad decisions are bad sports. If you disagree with a decision, have your coach, captain or manager approach the referee during a break or after the game, in an appropriate manner.
3. Control your temper. Verbal abuse of officials is a serious offence against the rules of basketball. Verbally abusing other players or deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent are also not acceptable or permitted in basketball. Loss of temper is not only unpleasant for other participants in the game, it can also distract you and have an adverse effect on your concentration and effectiveness on the court.
4. Work equally hard for yourself and for your team. You owe it to yourself and others involved in your team to train and play to the best of your abilities. Your team's performance will benefit - so will you. If you are half-hearted about your involvement in the sport you will become dissatisfied and lose out on the much of the enjoyment and satisfaction you can derive from giving it your best.
5. Be a good sport. Acknowledge all good plays whether they be by your team or the other team. Good manners and respect can be infectious. Everyone likes to be praised when they do something well. If you acknowledge the achievements of your opponents it is likely they will follow suit. Part of participation in sport is respect for all participants in the game. Your opponents are entitled to proper courtesy. Always introduce yourself to your opponents on court, congratulate them whether you win or lose and accept a loss gracefully. Remember that the opposition coach is there trying to do the best for their team and is also entitled to respect.
6. Treat all players as you would like to be treated. Do not interfere with, bully or take unfair advantage of another player. Just because one of your team cannot perform as well as you do does not mean that they are not trying. Everyone makes mistakes. Do not abuse or ridicule another player when a mistake is made. Constructive guidance and encouragement when a player does well will assist a player to improve their game.
7. Play for the "enjoyment of it" and not just to please parents and coaches. Playing sport, including basketball, should be fun. This doesn't mean that you shouldn't take it seriously, just that at the same time you should enjoy it. If you enjoy an activity you will perform much better and derive far more benefit from it than if it is an unpleasant experience. You may experience pressure from your coach and parents and others to perform outside of your capability or desires. Whilst this can be a positive and their way of showing you support in your activities, you should resist it where it no longer is enjoyable.



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9. Be prepared to lose sometimes. Everyone wins and loses at some time. Be a fair winner and a good loser. Disappointment at losing is natural, but it should not be obvious to the point of being unpleasant for others. Just as unpleasant can be the boastful winner. Recognise that even in defeat, the loser has achieved something, just by playing. Not everything in life can be a winning situation. Losing can be an important learning experience for your wider life goals.

10. Listen to the advice of your coach and try to apply it at practice and in games. Your coach has been appointed to coach your team because they have certain abilities and experience. They have also undergone training to ensure that you get the best coach that you can commensurate with your skill levels. Apart from skills training, your coach can provide you with helpful advice on all aspects of playing basketball. Make the most of the opportunity provided to you to work with your coach to have a happy and successful experience in basketball.

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Printed Name:

Date:/...../20.....



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VENOM UNIFORM PRICE LIST

As at 1 October 2018

* PLAYING SHIRT (REVERSIBLE)	\$60.00
* PLAYING SHORTS	\$50.00
* REVERSIBLE TRAINING TOP	\$20.00
** HOODIE	\$60.00
** VENOM WARMUP TOP	\$55.00
** LONG SLEEVE WARRANDYTE TOP	\$35.00
VENOM POLO	\$50.00
VENOM SOCKS (avail in black or white)	\$10.00 OR 2 FOR \$16.00
VENOM BACKPACK	\$50.00
VENOM CAP	\$10.00

* Compulsory item

** One OR the other of these items is compulsory

WARRANDYTE VENOM – UNIFORM SHOP FITTING TIMES - NEW AND EXISTING PLAYERS

SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER

WARRANDYTE SPORTS COMPLEX (rear of Andersons Creek PS)

Shop located inside basketball court

U12 / U14 BOYS

9.00am – 10.00am

U12 / U14 GIRLS

10.00am – 11.00am

U16 / U18 BOYS

11.00am – 11.45am

U16 / U18 GIRLS

11.45am – 12.30pm



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VJBL RULES OF OPERATION - APPENDIX F - NO ZONE POLICY & PROCEDURES

6.8 UNDER 12 AND 14 NO ZONE RULE:

At no stage is a 'Zone' defence permitted during an Under 12 or Under 14 MUVJBL game. This rule is applicable to all VC, VJL and Regional Competitions.

Please note that the MUVJBL has its own specific 'No Zone Policy' that is tailored to the MUVJBL competition and this is the only 'No Zone Policy' to be applied in our competition. No other 'No Zone Policies' will be applied. (For the 'No Zone Policy' go to the MUVJBL website, for the full procedure see Appendix F Rules of Operation)

HOW THE RULE WORKS:

From the commencement of Grading 2017/19 **NO** Under 12 or Under 14 MUVJBL team is permitted to play a 'zone' defence.

- Coaches are not permitted to instruct a team to play zone and they must play 'Man to Man' defence using correct 'Man to Man' defensive principles.
- If a coach hasn't instructed their team to play a zone, but their team is playing a zone outside of their instructions, it is the coach's responsibility to ensure their team play 'Man to Man' defence. No excuses will be tolerated for failure to do so as the coach has the power to remove offending players from the court if they are not playing correct 'Man to Man' defence.

The MUVJBL Administration will determine violations of the 'No Zone Policy' by investigating one or more of the below points.

- One or more players were not in acceptable 'Man to Man' defensive position in relation to the player they are guarding and the player with the ball.
- A cutter moved all the way through the key and was not defended using acceptable 'Man to Man' defensive techniques.
- Following a trapping or help and recover situation the team made no attempt to re-establish correct 'Man to Man' defensive positioning.
- The team zone pressed and did not assume 'Man to Man' defensive positioning once the ball had been advanced into the half court

WHO CAN MAKE A COMPLAINT OR INFORM THE MUVJBL ABOUT AN ALLEGED ZONE BEING PLAYED:

- The Opposition coach may make a complaint or inform the MUVJBL Administration through their Nominated 'No Zone Representative' if they suspect a team of playing zone, as long as they follow the correct procedure.
- In the best interest of the game, the MUVJBL Administration may investigate any team suspected of playing zone, by viewing the game on the night, viewing video footage obtained from the game or reviewing the written complaint. Please note however this can be done with or without a complaint being made.

REPORTING ALLEGED ZONE INCIDENT:

- The MUVJBL Administration has up to 7 days to request and view the game footage before making a report or taking action.
- If the opposition coach believes a zone has been played, the coach is required to follow the below procedure as instructed by the MUVJBL Admin.

DURING GAME PROTOCOL:

At no stage are the coach, players, spectators or No Zone representative to approach the opposition team, referees or the referee coaches to discuss the alleged incident during the game or after the game. This will avoid any unnecessary conflict between the two teams.

Offenders may be put on report.

CORRECT AFTER GAME PROTOCOL:

It is the responsibility of the coach to contact the 'Nominated 'No Zone Representative' (as nominated on the entry form) from their Association to discuss how they believe the opposition team played a zone (provide video evidence if it is available).

If the 'Nominated No Zone Representative' believes the coach is correct and the team played a zone, the 'Nominated No Zone Representative' will be responsible for lodging the complaint with the MUVJBL Administration. The 'Nominated No Zone Representative' can do this by downloading the 'No Zone Complaint Form' from the MUVJBL website and return it (with video and written evidence) by close of business the next working day.



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JUNIOR VENOM 2018/19 REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT BOTH PAGES OF THIS FORM

Did you play VJBL for another association in 2017/18?	
If yes, has a PERMISSION TO TRAIN form been sighted?	
If yes, has a CLEARANCE FORM been processed by VJBL?	

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL BLANK FIELDS

PLAYER DETAILS							
Name							
Surname							
Gender	Male / Female	Date of Birth	/	/	Home Phone		
Email					Mobile		
Address							
Suburb						Postcode	
Warrandyte Venom 2018/19 Team						Singlet No.	
Medical Conditions	Yes / No		Allergies/Other		Yes / No		
Details (if yes)							

PARENT / GUARDIAN 1 DETAILS															
Name															
Surname															
WWCC									-					Expiry	
Mobile			Email												

PARENT / GUARDIAN 2 DETAILS															
Name															
Surname															
Mobile			Email												

(NOTE: please write clearly as emails are sent regularly from WBA)

Cont. on next page



WARRANDYTE BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Conditions of Registration with Warrandyte Basketball Association (WBA):

- On completion of the seasons Registration Form and payment of the Registration Fee, the player is registered and their parents / guardians are deemed to be Members of the Warrandyte Basketball Association (WBA) and subject to the Rules of the Association.
- All Members, as defined above, agree to abide by all Rules and Regulations of the Warrandyte Basketball Association.
- All Members, as defined above, agree to abide by the **Codes of Conduct** endorsed by the WBA in relation to Players, Coaches, Parents and Spectators.
- Parents/Guardians remain responsible for their children's behavior at all times during training sessions and during games.
- WBA retains the right to use photographs and/or video for publicity and advertising purposes, on the understanding that children may be identified in any published media without the specific permission of the parent/guardian.
- The player, medical and Parent/Guardian information must be completed and/or updated per season.
- Players & parents are expected to follow all team rules & expectations pertinent to training & competition requirements
- It is the responsibility of any player requiring clearance from another association to obtain the required signature & payment and lodge the form with VJBL at least 7 days before the Spring Phase commences. Players without clearances processed will not be allowed to play.
- All teams must participate in a minimum of two (2) WBA approved tournaments per season. Teams must select their own tournaments to compete in and are responsible for entry and playing costs.
- Player uniform purchase requirements;
 - Compulsory: playing singlet & shorts and black/white reversible singlet
 - One of (or both): warm up top or hoodie
 - Optional: venom polo & bag
- Players are required to wear Venom apparel **only** to games & tournaments.
- Players are required to wear black/white reversible singlet to all training sessions.**
- Registration fee is due by **30th October 2018**. (those who choose payment plan must pay first instalment by this date). Players who are not financial by this date will not be allowed to compete in training or games.
- Permission to train or clearance forms after the completion of the current season will only be granted if the player is financial.
- Registration Fee & Uniform is not refundable if a player decides to withdraw after the 5th November 2018**
- A pro-rata refund on registration fees only can be sought in writing to the WBA committee if a player sustains a season ending injury or illness or has been released for any reason by WBA.

I acknowledge that my son/daughter will be supervised during training and game situation and I authorise the person in charge to consent, where it is impractical to communicate with me, to the child receiving such medical treatment as may be deemed necessary. This may include the request for specialised services, such as Ambulance, for which I agree to pay all associated costs. I also agree to abide by the above terms and conditions of Registration

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE..... DATE.....

Registration Payment

Payment Due - \$495.00 ☐ - Payment plan \$550.00 (\$350 by 30/10/18, \$200 by 01/02/19) ☐
Payment Type DIRECT DEBIT ☐ CASH ☐ CHEQUE ☐ CREDIT CARD ☐
Direct Debit Details BSB **633-000** Reference: **[PLAYER NAME] - Venom**
 Account No **122839087**

DIRECT DEBIT PAYMENTS – A COPY OF THE TRANSFER (RECEIPT) MUST BE EMAILED / ATTACHED

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT DETAILS

Card Type – PLEASE MARK		Name on Card	3 Digit CVV			Expiry Date		
MasterCard	Visa							
Credit Card Number								
Signature								



WARRANDYTE BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

Venom Information Pack – Checklist

This page is to be returned to WBA ADMINISTRATION – via email or in person/post along with signed Player and Parent Code of Conduct pages by Tuesday 30/10/2018.

We _____ (parents' names) and

_____ (player's name) _____ (team age/no) by

ticking the below checklist have made myself familiar with the documents contained in this information pack:

- ☐ *I have read the Welcome Page and Mission Statement*
- ☐ *I have read and understood the Parents information page*
- ☐ *I have read and understood the Players information pages*
- ☐ *I have read the Tournaments page*
- ☐ *Signed the Parents Code of Conduct page*
- ☐ *Signed the Players Code of Conduct page*
- ☐ *I have familiarized myself with the VJBL 2018/19 calendar*

Signature:.....

Printed Name:

Date:/...../20.....