

# Manly Warringah Basketball Association Ltd



## 2022 MINIBALL COMPETITION INFORMATION SHEET

Welcome to the M.W.B.A. Semester One Competition which will run from 14<sup>th</sup> February to 25<sup>th</sup> June 2022. We hope this information sheet will answer any queries you may have. Please do not hesitate to call the office if anything is unclear.

### Entries:

We have again had a large number of enquiries regarding the competitions and expect some of the divisions to be oversubscribed. Avoid disappointment by getting your entries in early.

Entries for competition are done online through the Members Area of our website (top right corner). The Manager must have a Membership and must be over 18 years old. Teams must have a minimum of 7 players to enter the team. Managers should have the players name, DOB and emails ready to make the registration process easier. Team entries will close Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2022 **unless sold out prior**. A deposit of \$120 will be taken to secure the teams spot in the competition. The deposit is not refundable and will be deducted from your competition fees(\$1050).

### Officials:

Referee Courses are being run regularly, MWBA is always looking for more referees. Please contact [kirsten.deforest@manlybasketball.com.au](mailto:kirsten.deforest@manlybasketball.com.au) for more information & queries on referees.

Each team is required to provide a scorer for their own game. If you fail to provide a scorer then you forfeit your teams right to question the end score.

### Draws & Results:

Draws and results can be found at [www.manlybasketball.com.au](http://www.manlybasketball.com.au), under draws and results on the right-hand side of the front page. Please check draw on the morning of your game to make sure there are no changes. Please check results weekly to make sure they have been recorded correctly. Any result queries can be sent to [maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au](mailto:maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au).

### Competition Schedule:

Competition	Day	Time	Venue	Cost
YR3MB Mixed	Tuesday	4pm to 6:00pm	NBISC	\$1050 per team
YR4MB Mixed	Tuesday	4pm to 7:00pm	NBISC/Galst/TPHS/Forest	\$1050 per team
YR5MB Mixed	Tuesday	4pm to 7:30pm	NBISC/Galst/TPHS/Forest	\$1050 per team
YR6MB Mixed	Wednesday	4:20pm tp 7:30pm	NBISC/Galst/TPHS/Forest	\$1050 per team

**The days allocated are our best estimate and will depend on the number of entries received. We are hoping to have Division 1 and Division 2 in each year.**

## **COMPETITION FEES**

**REGISTRATION: All players must be registered or affiliated with the M.W.B.A. Registration includes Basketball Australia Insurance.**

- *Miniball - \$95 for 12 months*

**COURT FEES: \$1050 per team and includes Team Nomination, Court Hire, Referee Payments, Comp Administration and Trophies.**

### **Pay as a Team for the Competition**

- A Manager must be designated at nomination & is responsible for all the team fees. Managers must be over 18 years of age.
- An invoice will be emailed to the Manager on the day the competition starts. If you don't receive your invoice in the first week, please contact [maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au](mailto:maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au)
- The team has 14 days to pay the full amount from competition start date.
- All fees are paid online using a credit card and or an Active Kids Voucher.
- **MWBA reserves the right to refuse playing time to teams that have not paid court fees as above.**

### **FORFEITS:**

*Teams must notify the MWBA office as soon as possible of any forfeits to enable us to notify the opposing team. Any un-notified forfeits may incur loss of points and or fine. Teams that persistently forfeit will be eliminated from the competition and funds will not be refunded.*

*Please advise if teams are aware of possible forfeits due to school camps/events before the draw is created under the notes during the registration process. A bye may be awarded to prevent forfeit. Please email [forfeit@manlybasketball](mailto:forfeit@manlybasketball). Once draws are completed we will not change rounds to suit a teams inability to attend games.*

**WITHDRAWAL:** Teams withdrawing from competitions after the draw has been produced will forfeit their deposit. Players from un-financial teams will be ineligible to play at any NSW Basketball Association until all fees are finalised.

### **INFORMATION FOR TEAM MANAGERS**

#### **Registrations:**

- All players must be either registered or affiliated with the M.W.B.A.
- It is the responsibility of the player to register and know their registration status.
- Players can check their registration status by logging into the Members Area on the website and clicking on Registration on their dashboard.
- Non-registered players will **NOT** be permitted to take the court after 2 weeks of playing. If a player continues to play after the 2 weeks, teams will forfeit the game points for that game.

## Scoresheet:

- Players must be preprinted on a scoresheet. If a name is not on the scoresheet then the player must be cleared by the court supervisor to be able to play. Any change to the team roster should be emailed to [maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au](mailto:maria.panetta@manlybasketball.com.au) prior to 2pm on the day of the game.
- **Each team must provide a person to do bench. If bench is not provided by a team, then they forfeit the right to question the end score.**
- **Team Uniform:**
  - All teams must have a proper set of identical singlets that are reversible.
  - Uniforms must be properly numbered (preferably 4-15 but NBA numbers are acceptable) on the front and back of all uniforms. Taped or hand written numbers are not acceptable.
  - No inappropriate names should be on the back of singlets. Players will be removed from the game if their singlet is deemed inappropriate.
  - All members of a team must wear the same colored shorts (pockets are not permitted).

## Referees:

- **NO RUDENESS TOWARDS REFEREES OR CONSTANT QUESTIONING OF CALLS WILL BE TOLERATED.**
- Court Supervisors or Referees may cite constant offenders to appear before a disciplinary tribunal, and these offenders may suffer lengthy suspensions.

## Team Structure:

- It is MWBA policy that no more than 3 current Representative players are to play in one team in their year own age group. If there are more than 3 players, the team must go up at least one age group.
- **Definition of a representative player:** Any player who has been selected in a representative basketball team for any Association. A player is deemed a representative player from the previous and current year. A train-on player is not deemed to be a representative player. However if the status of a player changes during the season, this matter will be referred to the Local Comp Committee.
- MWBA reserves the right to place a team in the appropriate level of competition.
- When games are cancelled due to circumstances beyond our control, the Local comp committee will determine what is best for the competition as regards to points. No refunds will be issue for the game not played.
- In order to be eligible to play in the Semi Finals and Grand Finals, a player must have played in 50% of all scheduled games in the competition or 75% of the games in the second half of the competition. Managers can track how many games a player has played by logging into their Members dashboard through the Members Area of the website.

Please read the MWBA Competition By-laws for a comprehensive knowledge of rules and conditions. MWBA Competition By-laws can be found on our policies & procedures page.