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Wednesday Basketball - Semester 1 Competition 2026

This information letter is to inform you that the Wednesday after school basketball competition is happening again Semester 1, 2026!

We would like to invite all interested students to be a part of this competition. The purpose of the Northpine Basketball program is to provide safe, accessible, and affordable basketball opportunities for young people to stay fit, develop their skills and participate in a team sport with their friends.

Game day, divisions, and times

The Northpine Basketball competition will run games in the College Sports Centre on Wednesday afternoons for students in Years 4 through to 10. Students will compete in either the junior division (Years 4 - 7) or senior division (Years 7 - 10). Students will be allocated to a team to bring balance and fairness, based on known strengths and playing ability. There may be some remixing of teams after the practice rounds to balance the teams and in the best interests of each team and the competition.

Games will start at the following times each week (please note each division will only run if there are enough students, some modifications may take place if divisions aren't viable to operate):

3:30pm for mixed boys/girls Years 4-7

4:10pm for mixed boys/girls in Years 4-7 & 7-10 (depending on number of teams per division)

4.50pm for mixed boys/girls in Years 7-10

Competition Fees

The fees to participate in the competition are as follows:

- Year 4-7 and 7-10 Mixed Teams (2 trial rounds + 10 rounds + semi + final) - Cost \$110 + \$50 refundable jersey deposit

Fees are fully inclusive of registration, game fees, referees, uniform singlets, score bench, medallions, etc.





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A \$50 refundable bond is required for a team uniform singlet (singlet MUST be returned at the end of each season). The \$50 uniform bond will be returned to each player upon the return of the uniform at the end of the season or carried through to the next season.

This season, all competition fees must be paid upfront, prior to the second round of trials. The first of two trial rounds to allocate teams will be held on Wednesday 11th February. **PLEASE DON'T PAY UNTIL WE CONFIRM THAT THE DIVISION YOUR CHILD IS APPLYING FOR IS GOING TO RUN.**

For now, if your child wishes to participate in the competition, please just respond to the email containing this information, stating your child's full name and year level as an expression of interest. Once I have confirmed we have enough students to run each competition, you will receive a Consent2Go form to fill out for permission, and payment can then be made.

Payment options available are:

1. Bank Transfer (please email receipt to darren.rowe@northpine.qld.edu.au)
BSB: 034002 Account#: 729335 Description: SURNAME WedBB
2. Pay at the College office and use the following description: SURNAME WedBB

Student Supervision:

Students are only supervised by a teacher in the sports centre from 3:15pm to 5:40pm and parents / carers are asked to arrive **promptly** to collect students once they all have finished their games.

Parents / Carers are requested to collect their child at the conclusion of their child's game. If there is going to be a delay in picking up your child, please ensure you communicate that with the Competition Coordinator – Mr Darren Rowe on the email listed below. Please also ensure you collect your child by the 5.40pm deadline.

How to sign up:

Return Consent2Go to register for the competition by Wednesday, 4th of February.



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Once students have registered, they are expected to attend their scheduled games (except for sickness or injury) and any planned absence should be notified before Tuesday of the games to minimise forfeits.

Competition website:

All competition information will be available on the Northpine Basketball website (www.northpinebasketball.com). The website will be updated to include information about team lists, game schedules, results, ladders and individual and team statistics.

If you have any questions regarding the above information, please do not hesitate to contact me at the college by email: darren.rowe@northpine.qld.edu.au

Yours sincerely,

Mr Darren Rowe

Basketball Coordinator

Activity Risks & Insurance

The activity outlined above carries an inherent risk of physical injury occurring. Please note that whilst Northpine Adventist College does have personal accident insurance cover for students this may not provide complete cover in all circumstances. If your child is injured as a result of an accident or incident, costs associated with the injury, including medical costs are the responsibility of the parent/carer. Some incidental medical costs may be covered by Medicare. If you have private health insurance, some costs may be also be covered by your provider. Any other costs must be covered by parents/carers. It is up to all parents/carers to decide what types and what level of private insurance they wish to arrange to cover their child. Please take this into consideration in deciding whether or not to allow your child to participate in this activity.





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Players code of conduct:

As a participant, I agree to

- **Play by the rules** (FIBA 2024)
- **Read and follow the COVID-19 Return to play (Queensland)**
- **Never argue with an official.** - if you need clarification, have your captain, coach or manager approach the official during a break or after the competition).
- **Work equally hard for yourself and your team** - your team's performance will benefit — so will you.
- **Be a good sport** - applaud all good plays whether they are made by your team or the opposition.
- **Show respect to and acknowledge opponents and officials** -(e.g. shake hands before and after the game and say things like 'good luck', 'thanks for the game', 'thanks ref', 'three cheers for ...').
- **Cooperate with your coach, team mates and opponents** - without them there would be no competition.
- **Participate for your own enjoyment and benefit** - not just to please parents and coaches.
- **Play fair** — no verbal abuse of officials, sledging other players (including vilification) or deliberately distracting or provoking an opponent.
- **Respect the rights, dignity and worth of all participants** - regardless of their gender, ability, cultural background or religion.
- **Do not expect or accept "special" favours from a coach or person involved in team or club management.**
- **Speak to an adult you trust if you have an issue, feel unsafe or are concerned about someone else.**
- **Consequences as follows for technical fouls as per description of Art. 36 of FIBA rules (p.42-43)**
 - The first technical foul in a season = 1 match suspension,
 - A second technical foul in a season = 2 match suspension,
 - A third technical foul in a season = disqualification from tournament

Student Name: _____(Please Print)

Student Signature: _____ Date: ____/____/____





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I want the \$50 uniform bond, upon returning the uniform at the end of the season, to be electronically transferred to my bank account.

My bank details are: Name _____ BSB _____ Account # _____

I want the \$50 uniform bond, upon returning the uniform at the end of the season, to be credited to my school fee account.

I want the \$50 uniform bond, upon returning the uniform at the end of the season, to be carried over to the next season.

