

2021 HART Junior State Titles

Vision and Purpose

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The Hart Junior State Titles is the principal state competition for athletes aged from 12 - 14 across NSW. Athletes, coaches, umpires and officials join together for a foundation netball representative sport experience that establishes a love for the game.

Purpose

Netball NSW together with Associations across the state will work together to:

- Deliver a representative competition for athletes throughout NSW that is recognised as a progression on the Netball NSW performance pathway.
- Deliver a competition opportunity that brings the athletes from around NSW together to compete for their Association to crown a state champion.
- Provide an opportunity for athletes and umpires to come together in a fun and encouraging environment to further develop their Netball skills and potential.
- Deliver a competition format and training environment format that is accessible for athletes, coaches, umpires and officials statewide.
- Create a sense of belonging to an Association community that will result in commitment and loyalty.
- Provide opportunities for coaches, managers, and support staff to grow and develop.
- Introduce junior athletes to the foundations of fundamental movement and core technical skills that will provide a platform to progress.
- Deliver a positive first experience so that athletes stay in the sport to experience the long-term physical, psychological and social benefits of our sport.
- Increase the numbers of athletes, coaches, umpires and officials staying in the sport, progressing and transitioning within the Netball NSW pathway.
- Promote a sports culture where winning matters but development matters more.
- Deliver a competition where every player matters.

Competition Guidelines

Competition dates

HART Junior State Titles:
Saturday, 26 June - Monday, 28 June 2021

Competition venue

Division 1 & 2 - Penrith District Netball Association
Division 3 & 4 - Baulkham Hills Shire Netball Association

Please note: Due to COVID-19, the 2021 Competition venues and format will be under regular review. Netball NSW will endeavour to provide any updates to the 2021 venues as information becomes available.

Competition entry fee

\$335.53 (inc. GST) per team.

Minimum age

The minimum age to be eligible to compete in the Junior State Titles is turning 12 years in the year of play.

Team entries

- Associations may enter one (1) team only into each age category of the Junior State Titles, being 14U, 13U, 12U.

Competition format

- Each age category will have up to four (4) Divisions only.
- All minor round matches to be a minimum of two (2) x twelve (12) minute halves, with a minimum of a two (2) minute half time break.
- All teams in a division will play each other a minimum of once in minor rounds.

Coaches

- Head Coaches must hold a current Development Coaching Accreditation.
- Assistant Coaches must hold a current Foundation Coaching Accreditation.

Umpires

All umpires officiating at the Junior State Titles must hold at a minimum a current National C umpiring accreditation.