

Kilcunda Bass Football Netball Club



Netball Player Handbook 2025

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Welcome

Welcome to Kilcunda Bass Football Netball Club!

We're thrilled to have you join our team and become part of our family. Whether you're new to the sport or a seasoned player, you're in for an exciting journey filled with growth, teamwork, and unforgettable experiences.

At our club, we value every player's unique talents and contributions, and we're committed to helping you develop your skills both on and off the field. You'll have the opportunity to make new friends, learn from dedicated coaches, and, most importantly, have fun playing the game you love.

This year, our focus is on building a sustainably successful club that fosters a fun, positive, and caring culture where everyone can thrive.

We are committed to empowering and upskilling our juniors, providing them with opportunities and exposure at the senior level, and creating a strong, unified club culture that encourages player retention.

So, welcome aboard! Let's make this season one to remember. Together, we'll strive for excellence and create memories that will last a lifetime. Go Kilcunda Bass!

MOTO: Panther pack mentality – “Doing it together, for each other. We don’t aspire to be the best on the team, we aspire to be the best for the team.”

Registration

All players are required to register each year through Netball Connect. VNA must be paid prior to playing. We strongly recommend having VNA for training as this will cover you for any injuries that may occur.

VNA Juniors - \$70

VNA Seniors - \$90

Fees

\$125 – Juniors

\$200 – Seniors (includes single club membership)

Club Fees must be paid by Round 1.

Training

Training is held at Kilcunda Bass Netball Courts. Check with your coach on times as this may change from time to time. Players should come ready to train in something comfortable and drink bottle.

Parents and players will be invited to their players' team Messenger page where coach's will provide any updates through this platform.

Merchandise

We have a range of merchandise including training tops and accessories that can be purchased through our website [here](#).



Coaching Team & Team Officials

We are incredibly grateful for the dedicated volunteers who generously offer their time and expertise to support our netballers. All our coaches undergo training and hold a current working with children card to ensure they provide quality coaching.

2025 Coaching Team

U11s: Jo Cartmel

U13s: Courtney Sheppherd

U13s Casey Team: Anna Carson

U15s: Carly Bond

U15s Casey Team: Shez Obrien

U17s: Chloe Kalis

D Grade: Kim Pike

C Grade: Tamika De Nardis and Caitlyn Egan

B Grade: Gemma Tschiderer

A Grade: Leanne Smith

Sherryn O'Brien: Junior Netball Ops

Gemma Tschiderer: Senior Netball Ops

We are always looking for opportunities to develop our club and encourage parents and players to get involved. Please get in touch with netball operations if you would like to express your interest.

Match Play

Match Uniform

\$65 – Club Dress

Match Times

Junior

U11s: 8am

U13s: 8.50

U15s: 9.40

U17s: 10.30

Senior Match Times

D Grade: 11.30am

C Grade: 12.30pm

B Grade: 1.30pm

A Grade 2.45pm

Players are to arrive 30 minutes prior to their start time to allow time to warm up and final prep before play. If you are running late please inform coaching staff.

Committee Channels

In line with our committee structure, the Senior and Junior Netball Operations Coordinators serve as your representatives at the committee level. Any queries, requests, disputes, or issues requiring committee assistance should be directed through the Netball Operations Coordinators.

If for any reason you are unable to approach the Netball Operations Coordinators, the Executive Committee is also available to offer support and guidance.

Juniors: Shez O'Brien 0409 702 072

Seniors: Gemma Tschiderer 0448 410 378

2025 Key Dates & Match Fixture



WEST GIPPSLAND
FOOTBALL NETBALL

Fixture 2025

ALEX SCOTT
AND STAFF

ROUND 1

Saturday, 5 April 2025
Phillip Island v Nar Nar Goon
Tooradin-Dalmore v Cora Lynn
Korumburra Bena v Kilcunda Bass
Warragul Industrials v Garfield
Dalyston v Koo Wee Rup
Inverloch-Kongwak Bye

ROUND 2

Saturday, 12 April 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Dalyston
Garfield v Phillip Island
Inverloch-Kongwak v Korumburra Bena
Tooradin-Dalmore v Koo Wee Rup
Kilcunda Bass v Warragul Industrials
Cora Lynn Bye

EASTER SATURDAY (Round 4)

Saturday, 19 April 2025
Phillip Island v Warragul Industrials
Inverloch-Kongwak v Kilcunda Bass

ROUND 3 Anzac Round

Friday, 25 April 2025
Warragul Industrials v Tooradin-Dalmore

Saturday, 26 April 2025
Koo Wee Rup v Nar Nar Goon
Phillip Island v Kilcunda Bass
Cora Lynn v Inverloch-Kongwak
Korumburra Bena v Dalyston
Garfield Bye

ROUND 4

Saturday, 3 May 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Tooradin-Dalmore
Dalyston v Cora Lynn
Koo Wee Rup v Garfield
Korumburra Bena Bye

ROUND 5

Saturday, 10 May 2025
Garfield v Nar Nar Goon
Cora Lynn v Koo Wee Rup
Tooradin-Dalmore v Inverloch-Kongwak
Kilcunda Bass v Dalyston
Warragul Industrials v Korumburra Bena
Phillip Island Bye

ROUND 6

Saturday, 17 May 2025
Inverloch-Kongwak v Nar Nar Goon
Tooradin-Dalmore v Phillip Island
Kilcunda Bass v Cora Lynn
Korumburra Bena v Koo Wee Rup
Dalyston v Garfield
Warragul Industrials Bye

ROUND 7

Saturday, 24 May 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Warragul Industrials
Inverloch-Kongwak v Phillip Island
Cora Lynn v Korumburra Bena
Koo Wee Rup v Tooradin-Dalmore
Garfield v Kilcunda Bass
Dalyston Bye

ROUND 8

Saturday, 31 May 2025
Phillip Island v Dalyston
Cora Lynn v Garfield
Warragul Industrials v Inverloch-Kongwak
Tooradin-Dalmore v Korumburra Bena
Kilcunda Bass v Koo Wee Rup
Nar Nar Goon Bye

ROUND 9

Saturday, 7 June 2025
Korumburra Bena v Nar Nar Goon
Phillip Island v Koo Wee Rup
Warragul Industrials v Cora Lynn
Inverloch-Kongwak v Dalyston
Garfield v Tooradin-Dalmore
Kilcunda Bass Bye

ROUND 10

Saturday, 14 June 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Phillip Island
Koo Wee Rup v Inverloch-Kongwak
Kilcunda Bass v Tooradin-Dalmore
Dalyston v Warragul Industrials
Korumburra Bena v Garfield
Cora Lynn Bye 2

ROUND 11

Saturday, 21 June 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Kilcunda Bass
Phillip Island v Cora Lynn
Garfield v Inverloch-Kongwak
Koo Wee Rup v Warragul Industrials
Dalyston v Korumburra Bena
Tooradin-Dalmore Bye

ROUND 12

Saturday, 28 June 2025
Cora Lynn v Nar Nar Goon
Warragul Industrials v Phillip Island
Tooradin-Dalmore v Dalyston
Kilcunda Bass v Korumburra Bena
Garfield v Koo Wee Rup
Inverloch-Kongwak Bye 2

ROUND 13

Saturday, 5 July 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Garfield
Korumburra Bena v Phillip Island
Inverloch-Kongwak v Cora Lynn
Tooradin-Dalmore v Warragul Industrials
Dalyston v Kilcunda Bass
Koo Wee Rup Bye

ROUND 14

Saturday, 12 July 2025
Dalyston v Nar Nar Goon
Phillip Island v Tooradin-Dalmore
Koo Wee Rup v Cora Lynn
Kilcunda Bass v Inverloch-Kongwak
Korumburra Bena v Warragul Industrials
Garfield Bye 2

ROUND 15

Saturday, 19 July 2025
Warragul Industrials v Nar Nar Goon
Cora Lynn v Kilcunda Bass
Inverloch-Kongwak v Tooradin-Dalmore
Koo Wee Rup v Korumburra Bena
Garfield v Dalyston
Phillip Island Bye 2

ROUND 16

Saturday, 26 July 2025
Kilcunda Bass v Phillip Island
Cora Lynn v Dalyston
Korumburra Bena v Inverloch-Kongwak
Garfield v Warragul Industrials
Nar Nar Goon, Tooradin-Dalmore &
Koo Wee Rup Bye 2

ROUND 17

Saturday, 2 August 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Inverloch-Kongwak
Dalyston v Phillip Island
Korumburra Bena v Cora Lynn
Tooradin-Dalmore v Garfield
Koo Wee Rup v Kilcunda Bass
Warragul Industrials Bye 2

ROUND 18

Saturday, 9 August 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Korumburra Bena
Phillip Island v Garfield
Cora Lynn v Tooradin-Dalmore
Inverloch-Kongwak v Koo Wee Rup
Warragul Industrials v Kilcunda Bass
Dalyston Bye 2

ROUND 19

Saturday, 16 August 2025
Tooradin-Dalmore v Nar Nar Goon
Cora Lynn v Phillip Island
Inverloch-Kongwak v Warragul Industrials
Koo Wee Rup v Dalyston
Garfield v Korumburra Bena
Kilcunda Bass Bye 2

ROUND 20

Saturday, 23 August 2025
Nar Nar Goon v Cora Lynn
Phillip Island v Inverloch-Kongwak
Dalyston v Tooradin-Dalmore
Kilcunda Bass v Garfield
Warragul Industrials v Koo Wee Rup
Korumburra Bena Bye 2

PROUD CORPORATE PARTNERS WITH



FINALS	
Saturday, 30 August 2025	Sunday, 31 August 2025
Elimination Final 1	Elimination Final 2
Saturday, 6 September 2025	Sunday, 7 September 2025
Second Semi Final	First Semi Final
Saturday, 13 September 2025	
Preliminary Final	
Saturday, 20 September 2025	
GRAND FINAL	

Dispute Resolution

PLAYERS:

When addressing player concerns or behavioural issues, it is essential to follow a structured and professional approach to ensure the matter is handled effectively, respectfully, and in the best interest of both the player and the team. The following steps outline the process for resolving such issues:

Step 1: Address the Player Directly

- **Action:** Speak to the player in a timely manner, away from the playing group, in a calm and controlled environment.
- **Purpose:** This ensures the conversation is private, respectful, and constructive. It allows you to address the issue without escalating the situation or causing undue embarrassment in front of teammates.
- **Outcome:** Aim to resolve the issue directly with the player, providing clear and actionable feedback, while maintaining a positive and supportive approach.

Step 2: Escalate to Your Netball Coordinator

If the issue persists or cannot be resolved directly with the player:

- **Action:** Contact your relevant Netball Coordinator (Shez for Juniors, Gem for Seniors).
- **Purpose:** The Netball Coordinator will provide guidance and support in addressing the issue further. They may also speak with the player or provide advice on next steps.
- **Outcome:** The goal is to resolve the concern at this stage through collaboration between the coach and the Netball Coordinator.

Step 3: Involve the Executive Committee

If the issue remains unresolved after speaking with the Netball Coordinator:

- **Action:** You may escalate the matter to the Executive Committee for further assistance.

- **Purpose:** The Executive Committee will review the situation, consider all perspectives, and determine the appropriate course of action. This may involve a more formal meeting or a mediation process.
- **Outcome:** The Executive Committee will ensure that the issue is addressed fairly and that the resolution aligns with the club's values and policies.

Dispute Resolution

Parents:

At KBFNC, we value open communication between parents, players, and the club. Should any issues or concerns arise regarding a player's experience or behaviour, we encourage parents to follow this structured process to ensure a fair, respectful, and efficient resolution.

Step 1: Address the Concern with the Coach Directly

- **Action:** If you have a concern about your child's behaviour, performance, or any other issue, the first step is to speak directly with the team coach. This conversation should take place at an appropriate time and in a calm, private setting—away from the playing group to avoid unnecessary distractions or embarrassment.
- **Purpose:** Addressing the concern with the coach allows for an open, respectful dialogue where both sides can discuss the issue and work together toward a solution.
- **Outcome:** The coach will listen to your concern, assess the situation, and take steps to resolve it, keeping your child's well-being and development in mind as well as what is best for the team and the club.

Step 2: Escalate to the Netball Coordinator

If you are unable to resolve the issue with the coach or feel that the matter requires further attention:

- **Action:** Contact the relevant Netball Coordinator (Shez for Juniors, Gem for Seniors) to escalate the concern.
- **Purpose:** The Netball Coordinator will help mediate the issue, gather information, and work with you and the coach to find a fair resolution. They can also offer guidance on how best to approach the situation.
- **Outcome:** Ideally, the issue will be resolved at this stage, with the Netball Coordinator facilitating communication and supporting both the player and the coach in reaching a resolution.

Step 3: Involve the Executive Committee

If the issue remains unresolved after working with the Netball Coordinator:

- **Action:** You may escalate the concern to the Executive Committee for further assistance.
- **Purpose:** The Executive Committee will review the situation in a formal manner, considering all perspectives and relevant details. A committee member will engage in a discussion with you to determine an appropriate course of action.
- **Outcome:** The Executive Committee will make a decision in line with the club's policies and values, ensuring a fair and impartial resolution to the concern.

KBFNC ENDORSES NETBALL VICTORIA'S CODES OF BEHAVIOUR

PLAYER CODE OF CONDUCT

In addition to Netball Victoria's General Code of Conduct, as a player in any activity held by or under the

auspices of Netball Victoria, Region, an Affiliated Association/League or Club you must meet the

following requirements in regard to your conduct during any such activity or event.

1. Fully comply with the Child Safety in Netball Code of Conduct.
2. Participate because you enjoy it, not just to please parents and coaches.
3. Play by the rules.
4. Know the rules.
5. Participate fairly and safely.
6. Abide by decisions, without argument or bad temper.
7. Captains have the right to approach an umpire during an interval or after the game for clarification of any rule.
8. Approach the umpire in a courteous and polite way.
9. Cooperate with your coach, and other players, deliberately fouling or provoking an opponent and throwing / damaging equipment is not acceptable or permitted.
10. Cooperate with your coach, and other players.
11. Treat all players as you would like to be treated.

12. Ensure that at all times your behaviour is fair.
13. Be a patient and enthusiastic, supporter of fellow players.
14. Applaud all good play, by your own team and opponents.
15. Be a responsible team member.
16. Always be on time.
17. Encourage and assist all players.
18. Attend all training sessions.
19. Be a positive role model
20. Ensure you always bring the appropriate uniform and equipment to training and/or games.
21. Respect and acknowledge the contribution of those who create the opportunity for you to play (volunteers, scorers, coaches, timekeepers, administrators and umpires).
22. Not make or post inappropriate, offensive or discriminatory comments in public, including social media about players, clubs, umpires or officials.
23. Not take part in any form of bullying or discrimination regardless of gender, ability, sexual orientation, cultural background or religion.

GUARDIAN CODE OF CONDUCT

In addition to Netball Victoria's General Code of Conduct, as a parent/guardian in any activity held by

or under the auspices of Netball Victoria, Region, an Affiliated Association/League or Club you must

meet the following requirements in regard to your conduct during any such activity or event.

1. Fully comply with the Child Safety in Netball Code of Conduct.

2. If your child is interested, encourage them to participate in the appropriate netball

activity. However, if your child is not willing to participate, do not force him or her.

Remember, children are involved in organised activity for their enjoyment, not yours.

3. Focus upon your child's effort and performance rather than the overall outcome of the

event. This assists your child in setting realistic goals related to his/her ability by

reducing the emphasis on winning.

4. Teach your child that an honest effort is as important as victory, so that the result of

each game is accepted without undue disappointment.

5. Encourage your child to always play according to the rules.

6. Never ridicule or yell at a child for making a mistake or losing a game.

7. Remember that children learn best from example. Applaud good play by all players.

8. If you disagree with an umpire or coach raise the issue through the appropriate

channels rather than question their judgement and honesty in public.

9. Not engage in physical and/or verbal intimidation, abuse or conduct toward any player, official, umpire or supporter.

10. Recognise and respect the value and importance of volunteer administrators, coaches,

and umpires. They give up their time and resources to provide recreational activities

for players and deserve your support.

11. Be a model of good sports behaviour for children to copy.

12. Be courteous in communication with administrators, coaches, players and umpires.

Teach children to do likewise.

13. Support the use of age appropriate development activities and modified rules.

14. Do not publicly criticise Umpires and instead raise personal concerns with club officials in private

15. Not take part in any form of bullying including via the use of social media.

Non- compliance:

Parents or others found to have behaved inappropriately, and who are associate members or have agreed to abide by our clubs code of conduct , may face disciplinary actions as outlined in our Member Protection Policy



Our Club is a Fair Play Club. We expect the following standards of behaviour from every person involved in our club – player, member, administrator, official, or spectator:

Integrity

- Be honest, fair, reliable and transparent.
- Avoid conflicts of interest.
- Strive to earn and maintain community trust.
- Don't engage in, or advocate possession or use of banned performance enhancing or illicit drugs.
- Don't participate in, or encourage match-fixing, illegal sports betting or other corruption.

Respect

- Treat everyone in a considerate, objective and courteous manner.
- Refrain from any form of discrimination, harassment, bullying, abuse, intimidation, victimisation or vilification of others.
- Recognise and value the contribution of all.

Responsibility

- Accept the consequences of your actions.
- Be a positive role model.
- Comply with child safe standards.
- Understand the consequences of breaching the Code. Report and deal with breaches.

Fairness

- Play by the rules and spirit of the game.
- Be informed, consistent, impartial, just and reasonable.
- Be a 'good sport'.
- Provide a 'fair go' to people of all abilities.

Safety

- Provide a safe, welcoming and inclusive environment.
- Ensure equipment, facilities and programs meet standards.
- Support injury management, return to play and child safe standards policies.
- Show concern and caution for others. Immediately report any issues.



Here's to a fantastic season ahead for all players at Kilcunda Bass Football Netball Club!

May you hit the court with determination, teamwork, and a passion for the game. Make each moment count, embrace the challenges, and celebrate the victories, big and small.

Remember, it's not just about the wins, but the friendships forged and the lessons learned along the way.

Play hard, play fair, and most importantly, have fun!

Go Panthers!