

WOODVILLE DISTRICT



BASKETBALL CLUB

# Player Information Booklet 2020 Winter Season

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## Club Description

Woodville District Basketball Club competes in South Australia's junior and senior basketball competitions. We are one of just 10 member clubs in Basketball SA's competitions. We provide complete pathways from 6 year olds to seniors.

It is our objective to:

- promote, advance, foster and cultivate junior and senior Basketball.
- educate, train and encourage junior members through the game of Basketball to realise their full potential.
- encourage, advance and assist in the personal development of each member in a safe, friendly and fun environment through a sense of fair play and a love of sport.
- promote the bonds of friendship and fellowship between all members of Woodville District Basketball Club.

We are a community focused, not for profit, volunteer run club that want to further members in their basketball career, we only survive and are sustainable by our members helping out with roles such as coaches, team managers, junior committees.

Our financial targets are met by volunteers fundraising and our club members.

## Stadium

The Woodville Warriors play home games at the

St Clair Recreation Centre, 109 Woodville Road, Woodville.



## Brief History

The Woodville District Basketball Club (WDBC) was formed in March 1981 by members of the Cheltenham Basketball Club. At that time, Cheltenham was playing in a minor competition at the St. Clair Stadium and their members wanted to play at the highest possible level. To accomplish this they needed to enter the district competition.

Initially Woodville entered teams in the senior men's and women's competition along with three teams in the junior's. During 1982 Woodville successfully challenged the bottom teams in the division 1 men's and women's competition for the right to play in the top level in the state. In 1983 Woodville was granted full membership of the Basketball Association of S.A.

We have won numerous awards and accolades, including the Men's Championships in 2000, 2005 and 2014.



## Contact Details

Stadium and Club Office	St Clair Recreation Centre 109 Woodville Road, Woodville SA 5011
Postal Address	PO Box 1074 Flinders Park SA 5025
Email	<a href="mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au">admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au</a>
Phone:	0499 919 853

## Warriors on social media

Email		<a href="mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au">admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au</a> <a href="mailto:juniors@woodvillewarriors.com.au">juniors@woodvillewarriors.com.au</a>
Web		<a href="https://www.woodvillewarriors.com.au">https://www.woodvillewarriors.com.au</a>
Twitter		@wdbcwarriors
Facebook		@WDBCWarriors
Instagram		WDBC_Basketball



## 1. Junior Development Officer (JDO)

The club has a renewed focus on player and coaching development, as a result of this the club has employed a full time JDO, Scott Freer.

Scott shares in the Woodville vision of developing a successful, caring, and dedicated program that will teach players and coaches beneficial skills for life on and off the basketball floor.

If you would like to contact Scott he is available on [coaching@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:coaching@woodvillewarriors.com.au)

## 2. Trialing for Warriors

Formal trials will be held for new external players in February, ahead of the upcoming season.

All players who trial are required to complete an online registration form, it can be found at <http://bit.ly/WDBC2020WEXITP> (\$50 trial fee required on the day)

Following the trials coaches will meet to decide their teams and all players that have trialed will be notified.

Non-selected players will be given feedback as to why they were not successful in gaining selection to a team and given advice on the areas they need to develop. Unsuccessful players will be offered other basketball pathways via our domestic competition

Internal players are required to register their intent to play via <http://bit.ly/WDBC2020WITP> failure register your Intent to Play may result in the nominated player(s) not being considered for squad selection.

If you have an outstanding fee from previous seasons, you will not be able to trial or be selected for a team.

## 3. Clearances

If a player wishes to transfer from another club to Woodville District Basketball Club, a clearance must be applied for from the previous club.

If a player wishes to transfer from Woodville District Basketball Club to another club, a clearance is to be applied for to [admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au) .

A clearance will only be granted once all financial commitments are met. A \$50 admin fee is to be paid and all club equipment is to be returned.



## 4. What age group am I for the 2020 winter season?

YEAR BORN	AGE GROUP
2011/2012/2013	UNDER 10s
2009/2010	UNDER 12s
2007/2008	UNDER 14s
2005/2006	UNDER 16s
2003/2004	UNDER 18s

## 5. When do we train?

All teams train on one week night and on a Sunday. Attendance at trainings is compulsory.

Trainings venues include but are not restricted to St Clair Recreation Centre, St Michaels Junior Primary & Whitefriars Catholic School. Venues and times will be advised once teams have been finalised.

## 6. What size ball do I need?

Players require a ball for practice. The Molten BG4000 is the official brand of Basketball SA. Basketballs come in different sizes, which are used by different age groups.

- **Under 10 grades** (boys and girls) use a size 5 or 27 inch circumference basketball
- **Under 12 and Under 14 grades** (boys and girls) use a size 6 or 29 inch circumference basketball
- **Girls/Women:** Under 16, 18, Youth League & Senior Women's grades use a size 6 or 29 inch circumference basketball
- **Boys/Men:** Under 16, 18, Youth League and Senior Men's grades use a size 7 or 30 inch circumference basketball.



## 7. Where do I get my Woodville gear?

Numbers are allocated to new players by the Club. Numbers must be allocated prior to uniforms being ordered. Woodville District Basketball Club apply the ruling of even years equals even numbers and odd years equals odd numbers. This process will avoid players in the same age group being allocated the same number.

Contact [admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au) for the allocation of player numbers providing the player's full name, age group (e.g. Under 16 boys, Under 12 girls) and date of birth. You can request 3 preferences, however this is not guaranteed. A number will be provided within 2-3 days.

All players are required to purchase a green and gold singlet, currently available as a reversible top, along with playing shorts. The gold singlets will be worn for specific clash games.

If you are having difficulties getting a uniform before the first game please advise the Club. Second-hand uniforms may be purchased through Club office depending on availability please contact [admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au)

Other club apparel such as training gear, hoodies, tracksuits, bags, socks etc. is also available. The majority of items will be ready dependent on stock levels when you visit the store.

Warm up tops are sublimated as per the uniforms. A player's last name (only) can be placed on the back of the warm up top. If there is more than one player per family then the players first initial can be added to the last name. Please note first names and nicknames will not be placed on the back of the warm up tops.





## 8. When do we play?

Basketball SA is a home and away series. Each team will play one week at their home stadium and the following week away. The following table show when games are played for each division.

Games are played at a number of stadiums in the Adelaide metropolitan area. Game schedules are formulated by Basketball SA and distributed during the first few weeks of the season. Schedules are also displayed under SA District Basketball on the SportsTG web site: [http://websites.sportstg.com/assoc\\_page.cgi?c=1-3-0-0-0&a=COMPS](http://websites.sportstg.com/assoc_page.cgi?c=1-3-0-0-0&a=COMPS) also available on the GameDay app <https://support.sportstg.com/help/game-day-app>

AGE GROUP	DIVISION	GAME DAY
UNDER 10s	All divisions	Saturday mornings
UNDER 12s	Division 1 and 2 Division 3 and below	Friday nights Saturday mornings
UNDER 14s	Division 1 and 2 Division 3 and below	Friday nights Saturday mornings
UNDER 16s	Division 1 and 2 Division 3 and below	Friday nights Thursday nights
UNDER 18s	All divisions	Friday nights
UNDER 23s	All divisions	Tuesday nights



## 9. Who do we play and where do we play?

The following are the addresses for the 10 District Clubs and Basketball SA headquarters:

<p><b>WOODVILLE WARRIORS:</b>            St Clair Recreation Centre            109 Woodville Road,            Woodville SA 5011</p>	<p><b>NORWOOD FLAMES:</b>            The ARC Campbelltown            531 Lower North East Road,            Campbelltown            Phone: (08) 8165 0398</p>
<p><b>SOUTHERN TIGERS:</b>            Morphett Vale Stadium            Wilfred Taylor Reserve States Road            Morphett Vale            Telephone: 8326 2008</p>	<p><b>STURT SABRES:</b>            Pasadena Sports Centre            Cnr Goodwood &amp; Daws Road            Pasadena            Telephone: 8374 4818</p>
<p><b>EASTERN MAVERICKS:</b>            St Francis de Sales Community            Sports Centre            8 Dutton Road            Mount Barker 5251            Telephone (08) 8393 1000</p>	<p><b>CENTRAL DISTRICT LIONS:</b>            Starplex Sports Centre            Alexander Avenue            Evanston            Telephone: 8522 0622</p>
<p><b>NORTH ADELAIDE ROCKETS:</b>            Lightsview Stadium            244 - 270 East Parkway Corner            Hampstead Road and, East Pkwy,            Lightsview SA 5085            Telephone: 8405 6670</p>	<p><b>WEST ADELAIDE BEARCATS:</b>            Port Adelaide Rec. Centre            50 St. Vincent Street            Port Adelaide            Telephone: 8241 0655</p>
<p><b>SOUTH ADELAIDE PANTHERS:</b>            Marion Stadium            Norfolk Road            Marion            Telephone: 8296 5832</p>	<p><b>FORESTVILLE EAGLES:</b>            Wayville Sports Centre            142 Rose Terrace            Wayville            Telephone: 8231 6711</p>
<p><b>BASKETBALL SA:</b>            Titanium Security Arena            44A Crittenden Road            Findon            Telephone: 8231 6711</p>	



## 10. When are the seasons?

A typical year in junior district basketball includes:

- **Summer season** – This is the start of the basketball season. Games run from October to March, with a break over Christmas school holidays. This is typically a chance for the club to regrade teams and make changes to teams in divisions.
- **Winter season** – This is the major season in the basketball calendar. Games run from March/April to August/September.
- **State Championships** – These are held in May with all 10 member clubs competing in Division 1 and 2. Each team competes for the overall Boys Club, Girls Club and Combined Club Awards. It is the most important tournament for our basketball club to ensure we create pathways for our players beyond South Australian borders. This is a compulsory tournament for all Woodville District Basketball Club teams from Under 12's to Under 18's division 1 and 2 team to compete in.



## 11. What are the fees?

The membership fees for district players are recommended by the Executive Committee to the Board each year, as part of the overall budget process.

Summer season 2019/2020					
	U10	U12	U14	U16	U18
Fixed Costs	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100	\$100
Variable Costs	\$125	\$195	\$280	\$310	\$310
Total Due	\$225	\$295	\$380	\$410	\$410

Winter season 2020					
Division 1 & 2 Teams					
	U10	U12	U14	U16	U18
Fixed Costs	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70
Variable Costs	\$150	\$330	\$380	\$420	\$420
Total Due	\$220	\$400	\$450	\$490	\$490

Winter season 2020					
Division 3 Teams and below					
	U10	U12	U14	U16	U18
Fixed Costs	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70	\$70
Variable Costs	\$150	\$290	\$340	\$380	\$380
Total Due	\$220	\$360	\$410	\$450	\$450

- Fixed costs cover items such as Basketball SA registration, nomination and insurance, Basketball Australia levy and WDBC admin costs and are non-refundable
- Variable costs are set each year by the WDBC board to cover all operational costs of the club
- Division 1 & 2 U12-U18 Winter fees include SA Junior Championships fees

**DUE DATE:** Payment is due in full upon accepting a position within a squad. Payment is required in full upon registering for the upcoming season via SportsTG unless a payment plan has been approved.

**The final date for player registrations and payment for the Winter 2020 season is Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup> of March.**



Payment plans are available. These must be requested in writing to the Treasurer [finance@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:finance@woodvillewarriors.com.au) and in all instances must be entered in to before the above mentioned dates. All payment plans must be set up via direct debit with the club (through a 3rd party company) and will incur a \$5 set up fee. Any fees incurred as a result of direct debits failing will be the responsibility of the player (or guardian) and will be added to the invoice. A late payment administration fee of \$5 per month will be charged for any overdue accounts. The WDBC engages a 3<sup>rd</sup> party for the purpose of recovering outstanding debts. All recovery costs of late payments charged by the 3<sup>rd</sup> party will be the responsibility of the player (or guardian).

All Summer fees under a payment plan must be paid off in full by December 31<sup>st</sup>.

All Winter fees under a payment plan must be paid off in full by June 15<sup>th</sup>.

Full fees policy is available on our website.

## 12. How much is it to play each week?

(Basketball SA - Entrance Fees for Players and Spectators)

Each game, players must pay an entrance fee at the door. This fee goes directly to BASKETBALL SA, and covers the cost of umpiring and court hire. \*Current as at 31/7/19

TICKET TYPE	FEE*
Junior Division 1 Player (U12, U14, U16, U18)	\$8.00
Junior Player (U10)	\$6.00
Spectator	\$3.00
Children (Under 16 years old)	Free
Transfer Ticket (per person, per season, plus 1 daily admission)	\$15.00 Summer Season \$18.00 Winter Season



## 13. Uniform policy

### Game Day

Players are required to be in full playing uniform at all times when on the court or on the bench. This includes during warm up. Playing uniform, warm up top, hoodie etc.

### Training

Players are required to attend training in Woodville attire at all times. This should include either your reversible training singlet or reversible game top. Warm up tops or jumpers may be worn on top of these as required

## 14. Coaches, Team Managers, Volunteers

All of our coaches & volunteers undertake a Working with Children Check,

## 15. Player Pathways

It is the club's intent to support young players in finding future pathways through the sport of basketball.

### Starter & Under 10 Program

- Aussie Hoops & Domestic League
- Representing the Woodville District Basketball Club in District Basketball and Carnivals
- Tournaments

### Under 12 Program

- Representing the Woodville District Basketball Club in District Basketball and Carnivals
- Melbourne Classics (Div 1)
- Basketball SA (BSA) State Championships (Div 1 & 2)
- Tournaments
- Talent Identification (TI) Camp Representation

### Under 14 Program

- Representing the Woodville District Basketball Club
- BSA State Championships (Div 1 & 2)
- National Championship Representation (Div 1)
- Melbourne Classics (Div 1)
- Tournaments
- South Australian Primary Schools Amateur Sports Association (SAPSASA) Representation



- Talent Identification (TI) Camp Representation
- National Intensive Training Program (NITP) Representation (Futures Squad)

### **Under 16 Program**

- Representing the Woodville District Basketball Club
- BSA State Championships (Div 1 & 2)
- Melbourne Classics (Div 1)
- Tournaments
- Talent Identification (TI) Camp Representation
- State Metro Team representation
- NITP Representation
- Australian National Championships (SA Representation)
- Australian U/17 team

### **Under 18 Program**

- Representing the Woodville District Basketball Club
- BSA State Championships (Div 1&2)
- Melbourne Classics (Div 1)
- Tournaments
- NITP Representation
- Australian National Championships (SA Representation)
- Australian Institute of Sport (AIS) Scholarship
- Australian U/19 team



## 16. Codes of Conduct

### PLAYERS CODE OF CONDUCT

Basketball is intended to be a recreational activity for enjoyment and health. These codes of conduct have been adapted from Basketball SA and give participants some guide to the expectations on those participants. It is intended to assist everyone to obtain the maximum benefit and enjoyment from their involvement in Basketball. As a result, the quality of participation will be improved so people are more likely to start and continue their involvement in basketball.

These codes of conduct relate to the expectations the Woodville District Basketball Club Inc. have on all people that participate in Basketball in and around the Woodville District Basketball Club environment (such as, but not limited to; club trainings, clinics, meetings, activities, competitions, tournaments etc.)

Basketball South Australia (BSA) also require that any person(s) participating in their competition adhere to their codes of conduct which can be found on their website at the following website link:

[http://www.basketballsa.com.au/assets/docs/general/Code\\_of\\_Conduct.pdf](http://www.basketballsa.com.au/assets/docs/general/Code_of_Conduct.pdf)

BSA also have other policies that apply in the South Australian Basketball environment and must be adhered to by all participants (such as; Child & Member Protection, Cyber Bullying, Video & Photography & Anti-doping) that also apply within the environment of the Woodville District Basketball Club Inc. These policies can be accessed in full at the following website link: <http://www.basketballsa.com.au/index.php?id=50>

1. Understand and play by the rules.
2. Respect referees and other officials.
3. Control your temper.
4. Work equally hard for yourself and for your team.
5. Be a good sport.
6. Treat all players as you would like to be treated.
7. Play for the "enjoyment of it" and not just to please parents and coaches.
8. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person.
9. Be prepared to lose sometimes. Developing is more important than winning!
10. Listen to the advice of your coach and try to apply it at practice and in games.
11. Always respect the use of facilities and equipment provided.





## PARENTS CODE OF CONDUCT

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1. Encourage your children to participate for their own interest and enjoyment, not yours.
2. Encourage children to always play by the rules.
3. Teach children that an honest effort is always as important as a victory.
4. Focus on developing skills and playing the game. Reduce the emphasis on winning.
5. A child learns best by example. Applaud good play by all teams.
6. Do not criticise your or others' children in front of others.
7. Accept decisions of all referees as being fair and called to the best of their ability.
8. Set a good example by your own conduct, behaviour and appearance.
9. Support all efforts to remove verbal and physical abuse from sporting activities.
10. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of every person.
11. Show appreciation for volunteer coaches, officials and administrators.
12. Keep children in your care under control.
13. Always respect the use of facilities and equipment provided.
14. The whole code is available from your Basketball Association (Club)



## 17. Junior Participation Zero Tolerance Policy

The WDBC Board has recently implemented a Zero Tolerance Policy on behaviour of everyone involved with our Juniors. We want to ensure our people feel safe in an environment that promotes development and fun. This policy outlines the expectations and steps that will be in place in the case of a breach. Please be ensured we will always include parents in any action involving a junior player. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact us on [admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au](mailto:admin@woodvillewarriors.com.au).

Woodville District Basketball Club

Junior Participation Zero Tolerance Policy

### **PURPOSE**

In an effort to provide participants with a healthy, safe and developmental athletic environment that encourages fair play, effort, teamwork and sportsmanship. Woodville District Basketball Club (WDBC) supports a Zero Tolerance Policy for players, parents, coaches, game officials, umpires, team officials, league administrators and spectators. This policy requires that a sportsmanlike and developmentally positive atmosphere exist before, during and after all Woodville District Basketball Club Juniors sanctioned events.

### **POLICY**

All WDBC Juniors players, coaches, team officials, administrators and parents are expected to conduct him/herself in a respectful and sportsmanlike manner at all times before, during and after WDBC Juniors sanctioned events. Good conduct is expected to extend to umpires, game officials, spectators, as well as to opposing players, coaches and parents.

The following is WDBC Juniors Zero Tolerance Policy:

Players

A minor penalty for unsportsmanlike conduct (Zero Tolerance) shall be assessed whenever a player:

- Openly disputes or argues any decision by an official.
- Uses obscene or vulgar language and/or gestures at any time, including any swearing, even if it is not directed at a particular person.
- Visually demonstrates any sign of dissatisfaction with an official's decision. Any time that a player persists in any of these actions, they shall be assessed a misconduct penalty. A game misconduct shall result if the player continues such action.
- Displays unsportsmanlike behaviour toward any player, coach or spectator.



## **Coaches**

A minor penalty for unsportsmanlike conduct (Zero Tolerance) shall be assessed whenever a coach:

- Uses obscene or vulgar language in a boisterous manner to anyone at any time.
- Visually displays any sign of dissatisfaction with an official's decision with the intent of inciting the officials, players or spectators. Any time that a coach persists in any of these actions, they shall be assessed a game misconduct penalty.

## **Officials**

Officials are required to conduct themselves in a businesslike, sportsmanlike, impartial and constructive manner at all times. The actions of an official must be above reproach. Actions such as "baiting" or inciting players or coaches are strictly prohibited. Officials are ambassadors of the game and must always conduct themselves with this responsibility in mind.

## **Parents/Spectators**

Parents and spectators are required to conduct themselves in a manner that is conducive to the safety and development of junior player.

- Use of obscene or vulgar language and or gestures in a boisterous manner to anyone at any time.
- Taunting of players, coaches, officials or other spectators by means of baiting, ridiculing, threat of physical violence or physical violence.

In addition, the WDBC Codes of Conduct for parents and spectators should be adhered to:

Failure to abide by WDBC Juniors Zero Tolerance Policies may result in disciplinary actions against the player(s), parent(s) and/or spectator(s) involved, at the sole discretion of the WDBC Board.