



POLDING NETBALL - SELECTIONS OPERATIONAL GUIDELINES

1. General Rules			Refer to NSWCPS General Rules
2. Event Requirements	1	a	<p>Venue</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A minimum of 2 netball courts clearly marked in accordance with the rules. • Netball support posts and walls behind the goal posts which may restrict or interfere with players movements must be padded. Similarly any obstruction that protrudes into run off spaces should be padded. • Room accessible for staff for - lunch, selection discussions. • Catering available for Officials & Team Managers. • Canteen if available. If a canteen is not available this information is to be included in diocesan information packs indicating students will be required to supply their own food. • Adequate parking. A traffic management plan made available if needed.
		b	<p>Officials</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Officials to be sourced from the Netball SSO (ACT Netball) where possible. ii) Suitably qualified umpires x 3. iii) Secondary Student Officials pathway opportunities are available. Please refer to CSNSW sport portal for further information. iv) Polding Team Manager x 1. v) Diocese are required to provide adequate supervision for their Diocesan players.
		c	<p>First Aid</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) A designated first aid officer must be in attendance and be visible. First aid officers should be equipped with ice and medical supplies including for the treatment of asthma and anaphylaxis. ii) Physiotherapy & taping services will not be provided at selections by the designated first aid officer. iii) First aid officer to be informed of any students at high risk by Team Manager. iv) Diocesan Team Managers should access the medical information on each student from the CSNSW sport portal. v) Players should ensure that they have an adequate level of hydration before, during and after the game or training session. <p>Concussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) It is the responsibility of the parent/guardian to inform team management of any concussion recently sustained. ii) Any student who has sustained a recent concussion injury may not return to contact/collision activities until the resolution of all symptoms. iii) Each sport may have specific guidelines from the National Sport Organisation in relation to returning to play after a concussion.

			For further information refer to Sports Medicine Australia iv) A medical clearance must be provided to your Diocesan Representative prior to the Polding selections.
		d	<p>Eligibility</p> <p>i) Students must be enrolled in a CSNSW Sport affiliated school.</p> <p>ii) Students must progress through the Diocesan pathway.</p> <p>iii) Diocesan entries -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Armidale - Red, Blue & White. ● Bathurst - Bottle Green & White. ● Broken Bay - Royal Blue & White. ● Lismore - Black & White. ● Maitland Newcastle -Emerald Green & White. ● Wilcannia Forbes - Green & Gold. <p>iv) Students turning 8 - 13 in the year of the competition are eligible at the discretion of their Diocese. Duty of care and Diocesan discretion on age and/or grade may narrow the age range.</p> <p>v) Each diocese can send between eight (8) to ten (10) players.</p> <p>vi) Students play in their diocesan team.</p> <p>vii) Students turning 8, 9 or 13 in the year of competition may be selected in the Polding team, but may not be selected in a NSWPSA Team for School Sport Australia Championship.</p>

3. Event Details	1	a	<p>Date</p> <p>i) Selection date - First Friday of Term Two determined by the Polding Council based on availability of venue and calendar.</p> <p>ii) Entry Closing Date for Diocese - determined by Convenor (usually 2 weeks prior to event).</p>
	2	a	<p>Registration</p> <p>i) All students selected to represent their Diocese will be progressed to Polding by their Diocese following Diocesan selections.</p> <p>ii) Students must register & pay levy on CSNSW portal for the Polding Selections with both parent/guardian and Principal consent.</p> <p>iii) CSNSW Sport will invoice Dioceses for participants after the event.</p> <p>iv) Team list will be downloaded from the CSNSW portal by the convenor 4 weeks prior to the Polding selection.</p>
	3	a	<p>Format</p> <p>i) Suggested timeline-</p> <p>8:30am Managers meeting.</p> <p>8:50am Welcome and induction.</p> <p>9:00am Games commence.</p> <p>Games resume.</p> <p>Team manager selectors meeting.</p> <p>Possibles v Probables.</p> <p>2:00pm Announcement of Polding teams.</p> <p>Distribution of uniforms to Polding teams.</p>

		b	Games will be centrally timed. The game will begin and end on the sound of the umpire's whistle.
		c	Games are 13 minutes with a 2 minute half time.
		d	The duration of games shall be determined by the number of students and weather. The carnival convenor reserves the right to alter the program.
		e	No scores shall be kept.
		f	The event program for Polding Netball selections will be available to view on the CSNSW Sport portal approximately 3 days prior to the selections.
	4	a	Equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Size 5 Netball provided x 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Pads for posts provided by the venue or by the club. <input type="checkbox"/> Table. <input type="checkbox"/> Chairs. <input type="checkbox"/> Hooter. <input type="checkbox"/> Timer. <input type="checkbox"/> whistle x 2. <input type="checkbox"/> positional bibs. <input type="checkbox"/> Participating teams are encouraged to have their own playing balls for warm up.
		b	Convenor Documentation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Program x 10. <input type="checkbox"/> Polding certificates. <input type="checkbox"/> Selector sheets. <input type="checkbox"/> Prayer, acknowledgement, induction, structure of day, selections. <input type="checkbox"/> Clipboards x 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Stationery. <input type="checkbox"/> legal paperwork.

4. Rules & Guidelines	1	a	The Polding Selections will be conducted in accordance with Rules of Netball except where stated otherwise. .
		b	The court should have a set of goal posts at each end of the court.
		c	Each post requires padding from ground level to ring.
		d	The immediate surrounds of the court perimeter should have a clear space of any obstacles, eg. equipment, seating, bags.
		e	Spectators must be positioned at an appropriate distance from the court during play to avoid interfering with the safe movements of players and umpires.
		f	Students must remove jewellery and other ornaments likely to cause injury.
		g	Students must keep fingernails short and smooth.

5. Selection criteria	1	a	Selection panel to be composed of the appointed Polding Team manager and if possible an independent selector.
		b	Selection panel will liaise and collaborate with Diocesan team officials.

		c	<p>Selection will be based on demonstrated ability on the day of selection.</p> <p>The areas of performance considered are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) Skills. ii) Fitness level. iii) Performance of the player as a member of a team. iv) Attitude and behaviour of player both on and off the field. v) Positions played.
		d	Team selections may conclude with a Possibles v Probables game.
		e	Diocesan team managers to fill out Player Nomination Cards to assist selectors for their own team as well as the opposition.
		f	A paper selection may occur if circumstances arise.
		g	A Polding Netball team of ten (10) students will be selected to represent Polding at the NSW Primary School Sports Association (NSWPSSA) State Championships.
		h	The Polding team selected will be progressed by CSNSW staff.

6. Event Compliance Documents	1	a	<p>Documents available on CSNSW.SPORT portal in Staff Resources:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Risk Assessment & Management: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Pre Event Risk Management Checklist. ○ On The Day Risk Checklist. ● Budget Proforma. ● Teacher Relief Claim form. ● Event Officials hobbyist & WWC form. ● Event Officials claim link
		b	<p>CSNSW Sport Office will provide:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Polding certificates. ● Polding Team Manager appointment notices. ● Sample Polding basketball uniform for sizing. ● Polding paperwork.

7. Post Event Evaluation	1	a	Post Event Evaluation >>
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