



# NEWS

## JANUARY, 2016

### CHAIRPERSON ADDRESS

Welcome back.

We hope you had a wonderful summer break and are ready for basketball. We are now heading into what may be many teams most important games with grading phase 2 upon us. High pressure crossover games follow this and then finally we are into the championship season. We ask all parents to support their children, children's teams and coaches during this stressful period. We ask you to remember the kids are already feeling pressure, as no matter how old they are, they understand what the games mean, and they don't need added expectations from their own families. Remember to sit back and enjoy the games as your children's involvement in junior sport is over before you know it. We'd like to thank all parents and players for embracing the new uniform so well. I saw many many games over the tournament and was extremely proud of how well everyone was wearing their playing uniform and warm up top. The teams that I have seen training are also all looking great. It really does say a lot about the club when everyone is wearing the same gear. We do have some uniform standards that we expect all players to abide by so please ensure you read this article and ensure your child is conforming. Our winter gear will be available very soon to order as well as lots of supporter gear. I'd like to thank our uniform coordinator Lorraine Baxter who has gone above and beyond her volunteer role to get everyone kitted out before the tournament. Thanks also to the rest of our committee for assisting with the uniform roll out and for all the hours and hours of volunteer time that they put in to keep the program running.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Fri 29th Jan	Grading Phase Two, Round one commences
Sun 31st Jan	Sunday Training for all teams
Tues 2nd—Thur 4th Feb	Midweek training
Fri 5th Feb	Grading matches round 2
Sun 7th Feb	Sunday training for all teams
<b>Registration fees Instalment 2, payment day 1, 8am—12noon</b>	
Tues 9th—Thur 11th Feb	Midweek training
Fri 12th Feb	Grading matches Round 3
Sun 14th Feb	Sunday training for all teams
<b>Registration fees instalment 2, payment day 2, 8am— 12 noon</b>	
Tue 16th—Thu 18th Feb	Midweek training
Fri 19th Feb	Crossover Round 1
Sun 21st Feb	Sunday training for all teams
Tue 23rd—Thur 25th Feb	Midweek training
Fri 26th Feb	Crossover Round 2
Sun 28th Feb	Sunday training for all teams
Tues 1st—Thurs 3rd Mar	Midweek Training
Fri 4th Mar	Crossover Round
<b>March 6th 2016</b>	<b>Team, Individual and Whole Club Photo Day</b>

### FEE COLLECTION DAY

A reminder to all families that the second instalment of fees is due shortly.

Instalment 2

Payment day #1 is Sunday Feb 7th 8am—12noon

Payment day #2 is Sunday Feb 14th 8am-12noon

We will be set up in the conference room at Nunawading Basketball centre. Please remember that any player who fails to pay their fees will be unable to take the court until their fees have been fully paid.

### TEAM PHOTO DAY

Club photo day is set for Sunday 6th March. Players will be required to attend this day and wear their full playing uniform. We also have scheduled a Whole Club Photo including all players and coaches in our Junior and Senior program. Team and individual photos will be available to order. Further details to follow.



### SOCIAL MEDIA LINKS



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### UNIFORM UPDATE

We are very pleased with the quality and the roll out of the new uniforms for our Nunawading Spectres Representative programs. We hope you like them too.

#### **FOR BOYS TEAMS ONLY**

Unfortunately the boys training shorts were missing our Spectres logo. This is going to be rectified on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> February (this Sunday) between 7.45am and 1.00pm in the conference room at Nunawading. (Where you pay your fees)

What you need to do:

- Bring your shorts either before or after training and have the logo applied. (please make sure they are named)
- If you cannot attend training on Sunday you **MUST** arrange for either your team manager or another parent to do this on your behalf.
- Failure to have this done on the Sunday will mean that you will have to make arrangements and drive to Fitzroy to get the logo applied.

***This Sunday 7th Feb is the only day our supplier is available to apply the required logo on to the boys shorts at Nunawading.***

We will have our Winter Hoodies and track pants available soon to order.

These will be available to order in a winter pack or just the compulsory hoodie for those who do not require the track pants.

A new range of Elite style performance socks in various designs and colours will also be available.

### UNIFORM STANDARDS—ALL PLAYERS

It was great to see all of our players wearing their new Spectres uniform with pride over the Tournament weekend. We had so many positive comments from families and opposition clubs. Just a few things to take note of:

The uniforms must be worn as they have been intended.

- There should be no rolling up of shorts—the girls shorts have been made shorter so there is no need to roll them up to make them even shorter.
- The girls playing singlet has been designed specifically so that singlets do not and should not be tucked in.
- The wearing of skins under the playing uniform during games, the skins need to be out of sight and no longer than the players playing shorts.

Please do not make modifications to any of the uniforms. No screen printing is to be applied to warm up tops.

We want all players to look the same when you are out and about representing our great club.

Committee members will be out making sure that players are wearing the correct uniform.

\*also remember that when you are playing your domestic games, you are representing that club on that day. Please make sure you wear your domestic colours to those games and trainings.

### LAUNCH OF NEW WEBSITE

Nunawading Basketball is ready to launch a brand new online home at [www.nunawadingbasketball.com.au](http://www.nunawadingbasketball.com.au). The new look website is your one stop portal to all things Nunawading Basketball; from introductory and development programs, to domestic competitions, representative basketball and junior and senior levels along with facility hire information. We hope you will find the new site far more interactive, easy to navigate and informative.

With over 45% of our members accessing [nunawadingbasketball.com.au](http://nunawadingbasketball.com.au) on mobile devices, it was essential to have a device responsive website. The site has been designed 'stackable' so that it can be viewed on smartphones, tablets, laptops and desktops without losing content or ease of management.

The site will also feature MemberDesq, an online membership solution for pro elite and tiered grassroots programs. One of the biggest features will be the soon to be launched Online Store, allowing all visitors the opportunity to purchase basketball equipment and merchandise directly from Nunawading Basketball. The online store is powered by the same management system utilised by the NBL, AFL, NRL and many more.

We hope you enjoy the new website and please encourage all your friends to logon to [www.nunawadingbasketball.com.au](http://www.nunawadingbasketball.com.au) to access all arms of our wonderful organisation.



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### DOC REPORT

Welcome back players and families!

We have hit the ground running for 2016! After a successful Eltham/Dandenong tournament, our teams took to the court on Friday night in the first round of grading phase 2. Our tournament results were outstanding with majority of our teams playing in semi finals at the very least. Most teams finished in the top 4 and we had several teams take out the Championship. Congratulations to the following teams –

<b>G12.1 – Top 4</b>	<b>B12.1 – Top 4</b>
<b>G14.1 – Top 4</b>	<b>B12.3 – Champions</b>
<b>G14.2 – Champions</b>	<b>B12.4 – R/U</b>
<b>G14.3 Champions</b>	<b>B14.1 – Champions</b>
<b>G16.2 – Champions</b>	<b>B14.3 – Champions</b>
<b>G16.3 – Champions</b>	<b>B16.1 – Champions</b>
<b>G16.4 – R/U</b>	<b>B16.3 – R/U</b>
<b>G18.2 – Champions</b>	<b>B16.4 – Champions</b>
<b>G18.4 – R/U</b>	

We have received fantastic feedback from rival teams and tournament staff on how well our teams, coaches, players and parents represented Nunawading Spectres over the tournament weekend. Well done to everyone you have made us very proud!

We have had several teams already qualify for VC, which will see them playing practice games, over the Grading Phase 2 period. Congratulations to –

**G12.1, G14.1, B12.1, B14.1, B16.1, B18.1**

This gives these teams the opportunity to work without pressure, on their games in preparation for the season ahead.

We still have several teams in the hunt for a place in VC including –

**G14.2, G16.1, G16.2, G18.1, G18.2, B12.2, B16.2**

Good luck to the remaining of our teams that are still trying to qualify as high as possible!! Good luck for your upcoming games

We would also like to congratulate all our representatives that were selected for SCC/ECC

**Luisa Fakalata G14.1**

**Lucy Vaughn G14.1**

**Jack Dammers B14.1**

**James Roche B14.1**

**Eloise Chaston G16.1**

**Maddie Ridley G16.1**

**Georgia Caddy G16.1**

**Mark Steiner B16.1**

**Jack Perry B16.1**

**Kate Tanner G18.1**

**Keely Frawley G18.1**

**Will Gaythorpe B18.1**

**Brenton Porter – Coach**

**Rick Vos – Coach**

Congratulations everyone on an exceptional start to 2016!

GO SPECTRES!

Tamie Harvey (DOC), Darren Smith (Girls Assistant DOC), Norm Ackland (Boys Assistant DOC)



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## SOME PICS FROM THE ELTHAM/DANDENONG TOURNAMENT





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ANNUAL GOLF DAY

# 1ST ANNUAL GOLF DAY 2016



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### PLAYER #1

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Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Handicap: \_\_\_\_\_

### PLAYER #2

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### PLAYER #3

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