



Representative Teams

Each year, BNA calls for Player Coaches and Officials and sets out program dates for participation in the representative team selection process through the Junior Development Program (JDP). This process begins with open registration for squad Pre- Season Training and culminates in the annual Junior Development Camp, where final selections for BNA representative teams are made.

Selected teams continue training throughout the early stages of the BNA competition, before attending either or both Northwest Championships (NWC) or the Perth Association Championships (FTGP) approx. June of every year.

The purpose of the representative program is to:

- Provide community skill clinics delivered by accredited coaches during a minimum of four weeks of open squad training.
- Encourage participation in netball by offering skill development opportunities prior to the commencement of the BNA competition.
- Upskill coaches across all clubs through high-performance coaching support, including guest coach visits at camp and ongoing mentoring from senior coaches and the BNA ADO.
- Facilitate match play opportunities that support the development of umpires through the Junior Umpire Development Program and broader umpire pathways.
- Provide umpires with opportunities to progress within the NWA Umpire Pathway.
- Support talented athletes in aspiring to and progressing through the NWA player pathway.
- Provide development-accredited coaches with opportunities to attend the NWA Regional Development Camp and apply for Intermediate Accreditation.
- Enhance skill development within the junior competition, as JDP athletes demonstrate and share their learning with teammates.
- Provide athletes, coaches, and umpires with valuable experience in a high-performance environment alongside peers of similar ability.
- Ensure all development program participants are registered members of the Broome Netball Association.