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Basketball ACT Annual Report

October 2011-September 2012



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Basketball ACT Vision and Mission

Basketball for All

Basketball ACT will provide unified services for the enjoyment and enhancement of basketball in our community.

Our mission is to successfully lead, manage, develop and promote basketball for the benefit of our members and to maximise the enjoyment and opportunities for all.

Our basketball programs will be recognised and supported locally, nationally and internationally.

The values we promote or support include:

- Enjoyment of sport and basketball
- Honesty and integrity
- Professionalism
- Understanding
- Respect and tolerance
- Openness and transparency
- Teamwork and cooperation
- Customer service focus

Full Member Clubs

Community Clubs

Belconnen Ramblers Basketball Club
Queanbeyan Roadrunners Basketball Club
Tuggeranong Southern Cross Basketball Club
Tuggeranong Vikings Basketball Club
Norths Basketball Club
Ginninderra Rats Basketball Club
Weston Creek Woden Basketball Club
Wests Magpies Basketball Club

School Clubs

Radford College
Canberra Grammar School
St Edmunds College
Canberra Girls Grammar School
Daramalan College
Marist College
Burgmann College

Other Clubs

Australian Defence Force Academy Merici College

University of Canberra Basketball Club Australian National University

Governance

The Basketball ACT board comprises of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and 4 independent directors, 2 elected by the members and 2 appointed by the board. The CEO attends all board meetings to report on the organisations activities and performance for the period.

The board meets 11 times per year on the last Thursday of each month except in December. 5 members form a quorum. Most meetings are held at the address of Calaghans in Belconnen.

On appointment to the Basketball ACT Board, each member is required to sign a declaration to act as a director and maintain confidentiality in relation to the affairs of the board of Basketball ACT. Members must meet the general obligations of directors such as:

- Discharge their duties with care and diligence
- Act in good faith, and in the interests of Basketball ACT
- Not use their position to benefit themselves or any other person, or to cause detriment to the sport of basketball or any person
- Not use any information obtained by virtue of their position to benefit themselves or any other person, or to cause detriment to Basketball ACT or any person
- Declare any material personal interest where a conflict arises with the interests of Basketball ACT. Directors are required to resign from holding any formal office bearer or position with a member club

Over and above these, members recognise their responsibility for maintaining a reputation for integrity and propriety on the part of the Board and Basketball ACT in all respects.

2012 ACT Basketball Inc. Board Members

President: Mark White Vice President: Greg Evans

Secretary: Gary Evans (October 2011 – February 2012)

Eric Malcolm (February 2011 onwards)

Treasurer: Graham Coddington

Director: Brad Barnes

Director: Melissa Backhouse
Appointed Director: Richard Nesbitt

Gary Evans

Board Committees

Finance and Audit Committee: President, Treasurer, CEO

Facilities Committee: President, Treasurer, Director (G Evans), Director (G Evans), CEO

Remuneration and Benefits Committee: President, Director (M Backhouse), Director (Greg Evans)

Competition Committee: Director (E Malcolm), Director (M Backhouse), G Voysey, B Jackson,

T Aitkinson, CEO

Coaching Selection Committee: Director (G Evans), M Hosking, B Barnes

Capitals Management Advisory Director (B Barnes), Head Coach, CEO & external independent experts

2012 Basketball ACT Staff

Chief Executive Officer: Tony Jackson

High Performance Manager: Brendan Parnell (departed Apr 2012)

Junior Programs Administrator: Cheryl Wright

Community Basketball Manager: Jack Taylor (departed Jul 2012), Dallas Watt

Junior Competitions Administrator: Mick Hanley
Services Manager: Karin Berrysmith

Sponsorship Manager: Lucille Bailie (departed Jun 2012)

Head Coach, Canberra Capitals: Carrie Graf Basketball Operations Manager: Jon Pratt

Administration Officer: Colleen Ebsworth

Participation Officer: Jesamine Wheeler (departed Jul 2012)

Elite Programs Administrator: Will Sackett Finance Officer: Linna Du

Barb Turner: Senior Customer Service Officer

Casual Staff:

Barbara Turner **Brian Demmery Jackson Dunkley** Michaela Turner Kalani Joliffe-Cole Cheryl Wright Renae Polyak **Dom Northcott** Kurt Duncan **Declan Ninnes** Sally Kearns Suzanne Helson Robert Rosewarne Jan Rogers **Jack Taylor** Rachel Watson Ellen Crisp **Daniel Slater** Stephen Ebsworth Mark McKenzie Sarah Taylor Renae Fenwick John Smith Jacqui Spence Sharon Eldridge Eugene Klefisch Jarrod Phillips Otis Lisle Michael Gaudiosi Jordan Phillips **Paul Davis Trent Barry Grant Voysey** Matthew McRae **Daniel Byrnes** Sam Pettigrove

President's Report

On behalf of the Board of Basketball ACT, I am pleased to present the 2012 President's report. It has been another busy year for the board and staff. As part of our new CEO Tony Jackson's induction we have undertaken significant consultation and communication, including surveys, town hall meetings and direct meetings with the Clubs.

We continue onwards with our Facility developments working through lease issues, which if left un-resolved would not enable us to realise our dreams, as well as looking at new and innovative ways of financing the development which would reduce the burden on the Association and indirectly onto the consumers of basketball here in the Territory.

Both of our elite teams have had shocking years, with the Capitals unable to have arguably the best female basketballer in the world, Lauren Jackson suit up, and the Gunners finishing with just a solitary win or the 2012 SEABL season. Both coaches have shown the grace and class expected of them in dealing with these horror years, and we are hopeful that both will continue the rise back up the table next season. Lauren is in discussion with us as we speak and after passing up returning to Seattle in the WNBA, we are hopeful that she will fulfil her 3 years here starting in October 2013.

The Centenary of Canberra celebrations brings an added excitement to a Canberra born lad like myself. Our little City that Can has already shown what a great community we are with the Caps leading off a big year of Sport, Culture and Celebration. We are hopeful of adding to that with an announcement soon on a family favourite, the Harlem Globetrotters, as well as hosting an NBL game at the AIS Arena.

The Gunners celebrate their 30th anniversary in the SEABL, as well as the 10th anniversary of the 2003 East Conference this year. I'm privileged to have been involved with this program and proud to see the next generation embrace the Gunners ethos of playing for and with your mates and punching above our weight in a truly exiting 2nd tier National Competition. Adding the Capitals Academy team to that comp has also excited the fans and Board alike. Seeing the next Kate Patterson, Nat Hurst, and Alice Coddington go head-to-head against WNBL players in their off season shows that our Women's elite pathways is alive and well.

As a member of Basketball Australia, your state was well represented last year in Strategy and Governance involvement. After public criticism, some emanating from our midst, I am pleased to see that BA will now look to its other 'showcase' properties for review and/or revitalisation, and given our stature in the WNBL, we will be highly involved and interested in the outcomes of each review.

Another exciting development that has made us proud was the Gunners Academy, coached by the best talent in our midst, they were immediately competitive and played finals in their first year in the NSW State League. Our representative teams all showed great development and our coaches, managers, players and parents need to take a bow for the way they represented the state.

Our Clubs have done a great job in continuing to grow the participation numbers. We continue to be held up as a safe sport played in clean, dry and warm facilities, with a genuine pedigree and appeal to both genders. Families are inspired by our Caps and Gunners and are often shocked to see the same faces contributing at Carnivals, Camps, Games and Officiating, something that I am proud to say I do not see in other sports.

The tireless effort and work put in by Basketball ACT staff are largely responsible for growth and stabilisation of competition, officiating and development programs. I'd like to personally acknowledge the efforts of the staff in this area, and our new CEO who managed to step in and re-invigorate staff and our operations from his very first day. Lastly, thanks to my fellow Directors - generous volunteers who supply more than just their intellectual power, they deliver on our shared passion and vision for the sport and are always prepared to go the extra mile.

Mark White President

CEO's Report

2012 was a year of consolidation and engagement for Basketball. The Board and Management identified a need to better understand our business and the customers that form our members and constituents through a series of engagement processes, such as the town hall meetings and surveys. This has provided us with invaluable information and feedback which in turn will form the basis of the Business and the annual Operational Plans for Basketball ACT over the next 18 months. Going forward these will form a part of the annual engagement program with our members.

A lean year for the trophy cabinet, however some outstanding achievements all the same as Basketball ACT hosted a very successful Under 20 National Junior Championships in February 2012. This major event put on show not only Basketball in the ACT but Canberra as a city of tourism destination. We witnessed considerable growth in the core business competitions both in Senior and Junior as well as male and female participation as well as expanded relationship with the Active After Schools Community Program and increased delivery of our in-school and out of school Aussie Hoops program.

Our ACT Representative teams achieved encouraging results at Junior National Championships, and although they returned home without medals around their necks, ACT continued to impress by constantly finishing in the top half of each championship pool and improved results on previous years, particularly both the Under 14 Boys and Girls who finished in the championship division of the club championships which is encouraging for future years.

The Senior representative teams endured a difficult and at times frustrating year as the Capitals failed to make the finals for the first time in 8 years and the Gunners who suffered crippling injuries to key imports and NBL quality players as well as a change of coach early in the season struggled throughout the SEABL to finish in the bottom half of the ladder. On a positive, Basketball ACT consolidated the Senior Representative teams by withdrawing both the men and women nations teams from the BNSW Waratah Championship division and entered the female team into the SEABL as the Capitals Academy and immediately demonstrated the depth of the female ACT program as the team, predominantly made up of ACT juniors and local players was extremely competitive in their very first season. Having both the men and women compete and travel together in the SEABL created a stronger club culture and relationship with our teams and Saturday night Belconnen soon became an excellent night to witness some terrific SEABL basketball and opportunity to see our mens and womens side by side. The other success story was the introduction of the Gunners Academy in the BNSW Waratah State league. This team was structured to be an internal U/23 age group cut off and played other towns and cities in the greater and surrounding region. The team represented Basketball in the ACT with pride and distinction and was an encouraging sign as to the future of our mens program as they made it to the quarter final in their very first year only to lose to Hornsby by 1 point.

The Vikings played in every Premier League grand final and look set to complete the full house however eventually only triumphing in the Premier 2 women but took a suite of wards for their players. They are quickly establishing themselves as the senior basketball Club on the rise.

B-ACT continues to have a commitment to its social inclusion strategy with the Tuesday night wheelchair training competition which is now being conducted at the Woden centre as well as an expansion of the Team Harmony Program in collaboration with the Migrant and Refugee Settlement Service and the Sudanese community participation program and partnering with Big Bang Ballers to deliver night hoops. These programs area aimed to assist new Canberrans to integrate into the community using basketball as well as provide a safe haven for kids and take them off the street and participate in a sport such as basketball. Officiating education was added as a new component and the programs demonstrated great success with many new players and referees joining into the mainstream BACT competitions.

On the national and global stage, the Olympics were staged in London and basketball was again a feature event. The Opals, lead by Head Coach Carrie Graf and Lauren Jackson achieved Bronze medal with a win over Russia which was an outstanding result considering the loss of Penny Taylor. The men achieved recognition for their grit and never say die attitude and lead by Patty Mills fell at the hands of team USA in the crossover. Both teams wet our appetite for what the future holds for Boomers and Opals. The Wheel chair program stepped up a level with the Gliders achieving Silver when they played Germany in the gold medal game and the Rollers finishing with Silver behind the Canada.

Basketball is extremely healthy with the game being played in more and more nations across the world with continued growth. With the development of the 3 on 3 game at not only local competition but onto potentially the world stage, it is exciting times for our sport and particularly here in the ACT as we are well positioned to take advantage of these new ventures.

2012 presents an exciting new era for BACT with many challenges. There is the ever present requirement to record a strong financial surplus for the membership, whilst balancing the need to provide excellent value products and services to the community whilst maintaining our aging facility. 2012 is the year when BACT will commence on the new facility development of the Centre of Basketball Excellence at the Belconnen site. This will be a culmination of years of studies, lobbying, tireless work and commitment by a long stream of Board members, current and past and senior management. 2013 will see the implementation and change to competitions through the establishment of the Competition Committee and Competition Operations structure. The outcome of this implementation (conducted by independent working groups populated by members of the basketball community) will result in BACT producing a strategy to transition in agreed changes over the following competition seasons. It is the intention of the Board to embark on a review of the BACT high performance pathway to ensure that the organisation is providing maximum opportunity for identified athletes to fulfil their individual potential, as well as providing a consistent flow of players and coaches through the senior high performance programs.

Throughout the year a number of changes evolved within B-ACT with the resignation of Brendan Parnell and Jack Taylor as well as Jesamine Wheeler finishing her time at B-ACT and the retirement of Cheryl Wright. These staff have all made tremendous contributions to Basketball ACT and were all long time employees and I would like to thanks them for their efforts and service. Of recent times I welcome both Dallas Watt and Megan Salic to the organisation and they already have established themselves within the basketball community and made an impression.

I'll take this opportunity to extend my personal thanks to a number of people and groups who helped deliver great basketball services and programs during 2012:

- The voluntary Board of BACT
- The staff (permanent and casual) of BACT that work exceptionally hard all year round
- Campbell McGregor (Disciplinary Tribunal Chair)
- Brian Franklin (Chair of Judiciary Tribunal)
- Pat Dickson (Chair of Scoretable Committee)
- Richard Noble (Chair of Statisticians Committee)
- Community Club and School Club voluntary committee members
- Bernie Leger (Easer Egg tournament organiser)
- The hundreds of volunteers that assisted with coaching, managing, and the administration of basketball in the Territory
- The major sponsors of basketball in Canberra, including ActewAGL, The Tradies, TransACT and Duncans Plumbing
- The ACT Government and Sport & Recreation Services and ACT Tourism

Finally, I would like to recognise the contributions of our fabulous coaches at all levels, Club, Development, Representative and High Performance both Junior and Senior. They all put in an enormous amount of time and carry the hopes, dreams and successes of the players that are under their tutelage. I would like specifically acknowledge Cameron Barnes who took over the reigns of the Canberra Gunners at a difficult time and demonstrated his immediate ability to be an outstanding head coach, Sandy Tomley for steering the Capitals Academy in the inaugural season to a fantastic result in the SEABL and Tony Plunkett who has very quickly set an impressive culture in our Gunners Academy that will path the way for future players into the Gunners. Our programs are at and very exciting stage due to their professionalism and passion and provide and legitimate pathway and goal for every young junior basketball in the ACT to one day be a Capital or a Gunner.

Tony Jackson Chief Executive Officer

Basketball ACT Strategic Plan

The Strategic plan was developed by the Board and identified key success measures across the breadth of Basketball in the ACT. It encompassed the key elements of BACT core business across all three major streams (Association, State and National League): Service delivery, financial performance, customer satisfaction, program / event management, business development & growth, measurement and tracking systems, human resource management and more.

2013 marks the final year of the current Strategic plan and Basketball ACT board and management is excited about working with our members and constituents in developing the strategic plan for the next period of growth and prosperity for Basketball in the ACT and greater and surrounding region.

The Strategic Plan is divided into four main goals:

Goal 1: A Sustainable Future

• Reflects that we view the future as an opportunity to grow and through the development and implementation of economic and environmental sustainability plans we will demonstrate how we will meet these and society's other health and wellness challenges, and the Territory changing demographics. We aim to have stakeholders, facilities and systems that foster, support and grow our sport now and into the future.

This is achieved through; Association Financial Management; Association Funding and Sponsorship; Governance, Support and Administration

•Whilst still a not-for-profit incorporated Association, Basketball ACT now operates as a small to medium enterprise and effective cash flow management is the cornerstone of every small business, with this organisation being no exception. Apart from the business as usual elements of financial management, B-ACT was also actively involved in the financial modelling and business case development for the various options for the potential new facility stadium development. A constant challenge for BACT is to continue to meet the ever-rising costs of delivering an indoor sport in the ACT whilst attempting to keep the cost of basketball to the consumer at a reasonable level. An important factor in achieving this balance is to attract alternate sources of revenue into the sport such as those derived from commercial partnerships.

Goal 2: Informed and Engaged Consumers and Stakeholders

• This is achieved through strong, collaborative partnerships with consumers and stakeholders. Our focus is to ensure high levels of awareness and understanding of basketball and its products and services in the ACT. We aim to deliver accurate, consistent information in the right form, at the right time

This is achieved through; Association Development (Participation) Program Management; Operational Representation with Government; Operational Representation with Basketball Australia; Operational Representation at WNBL

- •Understanding and knowing our customers has been a focus of Basketball ACT over the past 12 months through more engagement than ever before. Government is a major stakeholder of BACT and it is imperative that the organisation has a strong understanding of government agendas and is able to compliment government policy. B-ACT has a healthy relationship with the ACT Government and is always looking for opportunities to strengthen this bond in order to deliver new and exciting programs to the Canberra community.
- •B-ACT is a member of Basketball Australia and as such has a responsibility to compliment and support the national direction of basketball. At the same time, BACT must ensure that its members are adequately represented and that basketball in the Territory is recognised appropriately by the national body.
- •To ensure that the business of basketball is developing, a sound governance model must be in place. This includes effectively managing both internal and external stakeholder relationships.

Goal 3: Improved Products and Services

• Are fundamental to supporting our consumer's ongoing participation, contribution and commitment to our sport. This goal is premised on a commitment to work with our stakeholders and consumers. A focus on improved products and services that reflect the evolving needs and expectations of our consumers and supports their participation and contribution to the sport.

This is achieved through; Association Representative Program Management

- •The Association representative program captures the junior development program and the senior representative program and the Association's pinnacle representative program: The Canberra Gunners and Canberra Capitals. These programs enable talented athletes, coaches and referees to progress along a high performance pathway within the ACT. It should be noted that these programs work in collaboration with the State Representative programs (including ACT junior representative programs and the ACTAS NITP).
- •State Representative Programs exemplify the peak of junior high performance basketball in the ACT. The Territory has limited resources to draw from (approximately 2,500 junior players compared to well over ten times this amount in some other states) however we are always striving to perform well on the national stage and demonstrate to the rest of Australia that the ACT is a force to be reckoned with.
- •The Aussie Hoops program is a national program which promotes basketball to primary school aged children. BACT conducts a strong Aussie Hoops program that is highly regarded amongst the education fraternity. The Aussie Hoops program is divided into two delivery models: In-school and After-School. The In-School model is the delivery of traditional school clinics at the schools, whilst the After-School program is a way to introduce parents and children into a basketball stadium environment. Both models are critical to promoting the sport and to driving participants into Clubs to take up structured competition basketball.

Goal 4: Excellence in Service Delivery Capability

• Reflects that we can only be successful in our other goals if our people, staff and volunteers, have access to appropriate systems, processes and resources and are supported, led and engaged. This goal also reflects the importance of effective planning, implementation and ongoing evaluation to maintain a high level of excellence.

This is achieved through; Management and Administration of State Representative Programs; Event Management; Facility Management; Elite Team Operations; Elite Team Marketing and Sponsorship; Elite Teams Contract Management

- •BACT conducts high quality events on an annual basis, including Canberra Classic and Easter Egg Challenge.
- •Whilst B-ACT has a very healthy Balance Sheet, the majority of it is tied into the Belconnen Basketball & Sports Centre. As such, it is critical that B-ACT maximises the earning potential of the stadium in order to gain the greatest return for members as well as maintain and improve the stadium to ensure that the customer experience is as enhanced as possible. Given that the stadium is 20 years old, Belconnen is in very good condition and until an alternate larger home is developed Belconnen must be maintained so that it can continue to host over 10,000 games of basketball per year. Stadium improvements in 2010 included painting, new carpet, new rings, new backboard hydraulics, landscaping at the front of the stadium, new water efficient toilets, updated Gunners change-room and new line markings and resurfacing of all four courts. This is in addition to the usual rigorous maintenance schedule required of an aged building.

Treasurers Report

I am pleased to table for Members the Audited Financial Statements for the year ended 30 September 2012.

You will note that the Audited Financial Statements show a net profit of \$1,277,661. This has resulted from the auditor's treatment of the ACT Government Grant of \$1,220,000 to purchase the Belconnen land as income in the profit & loss statement. The corresponding expenditure for the purchase of the land has been treated as a non-current asset on the balance sheet. This treatment is required by Accounting Standard AASB 1004. However for our management purposes I have excluded the Government Grant in this report on operations.

The profit from ordinary operations for 2012 was \$57,661 (2011 \$39,380, 2010 \$24,187) after claiming depreciation and amortisation of \$64,018 (2011 \$66,771). This equates to a cash surplus for the period of \$121,679 (2011 cash surplus of \$106,151).

As in the previous couple of years the profit from operations and cash surpluses have shown an increase but I will repeat what I said last year that they are still not at the level B-ACT requires as we continue the push to improve cash reserves.

Improving the profit from operations remains a key target of Management and the Board in the 2013 Financial Year. We had a very rigorous budget process this year and I would like to pay tribute to Tony Jackson for his efforts in that regard. From my point of view the on-going focus is on process improvement and cost control.

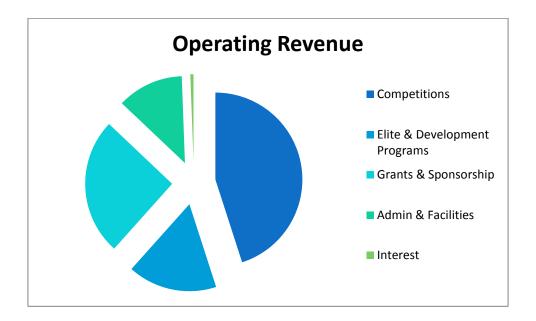
Basketball ACT had Net Assets at 30 September 2012 of \$3.656M. The large increase from last year's figure of \$2.378m obviously comes from the purchase of the land in Belconnen funded by a Government Grant.

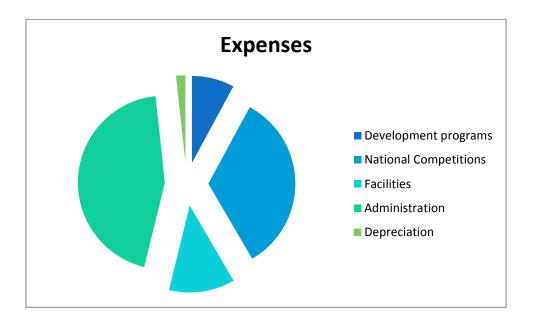
Basketball ACT maintains good cash flow and with a liquidity ratio at 30 Sept 2012 of 1.3 is well and truly solvent.

The balance sheet looks very strong anchored by the existing Belconnen facility and the new land purchase. However we need to be mindful that the development of the new facility is looming with the commensurate requirement for funding. The recent advice from the Regional Development Australia Fund is great news in this area but continuing to build our cash reserve remains central to our financial risk management.

Our budgeted surplus for 2013 is \$117k which will help in our cash reserve strategy. The work done by the Management and the Board over the last year or two gives me every confidence we will achieve that surplus this year.

Graham Coddington B.Ec FCPA
Treasurer





Life and Foundation Members List

Life Members

1	Kel McGrath	1960 (d)	13	Phill Kelley	(pre 92)
2	Max Lundy	1968 (d)	14	Ray Brady	(pre 92)
3	Don Withers	1971	15	Gary Evans	(pre 92)
4	Rodney Peters	1972	16	Jerry Lee	(pre 94)
5	Brian Franklin	1975	17	Herb McEachin	(pre 94)
6	Graham Owen	1975	18	Alan Roberts	(pre 94)
7	Ron Harvey	1980	19	Ros Roberts	(pre 94)
8	lan Ellis	1980	20	Joe Marzano	1995
9	Peter Baskett	1981	21	Pam Grotegoed	1996
10	Colin Alexander	1984	22	Errol Cohen	1996
11	Terry Ryan	1985	23	Barbara Lodding	2001
12	Peter Higgisson	1985	24	Stephen Fox	2009
			25	Richard Nesbitt	2011

Foundation Members

1	Campling, Albert	25	Baker, Geoff (transferred to Martel, Sheree)
2	Campling, Ray	26	Baker, Yvonne (transferred to Baker, Marlene)
3	Campling, Allan	27	Baker, Sheree
4	Hurst, Les	28	Baker, Marlene (transferred to Leonard, Jess)
5	Kaus, Ken (transferred to Ball, Jenny)	29	Baker, Paul
6	Kaus, Julie	30	Hourigan, Doug (transferred to Hourigan, Jodie)
7	Kaus, Barbara	31	Van Belcom, Ron
8	Kaus, Jenny (transferred to Ball, Matthew)	32	Ellis, lan
9	Kaus, Karen	33	Brew, Celia
10	Kaus, David	34	Ryan, Richard
11	Soustal, John	35	Horsfall, Bill (transferred to Horsfall, Paul)
12	Hendry, Ron	36	Richardson, Fay (d)
13	Patton, Don	37	Richardson, Neil
14	Higgisson, Peter	38	Hobson, Robert
15	Campbell, Ken	39	Gasgoine, Nick
16	Campbell, Irene	40	Pogson, Rita
17	Geh, Susie (d)	41	Pogson, Geoff (transferred to Pogson, Michael)
18	Geh, Gaby	42	Matruglio, Robert
19	Haugh, Ian	43	Pedifer, Rod
20	Withers, Graham		
21	Steer, Anthony		
22	Hardy, lan		
23	Wall, B.T.		
24	Cross, Ashley		

Cliff Ellis Trophy Results

The Cliff Ellis trophy is awarded to the Championship Junior Club and is calculated using a point system for each team in each grade based on the final standings at the end of the regular season with additional bonus points awarded for teams that finish minor premiers

1 st	Ginninderra Rats	1180
2 nd	Wests	1120
3 rd	TSC	1080
4 th	Radford	980
5 th	WCWD	860
6 th	Burgmann	820
7 th	Norths	680
8 th	TSC Vikings	500
9 th	Queanbeyan	500
10 th	Ramblers	470
11 th	Daramalan	470
12 th	Marist	400
13 th	Grammar Girls	260
14 th	Grammar Boys	220
15 th	St Edmunds	200
16 th	Merici	70

2012 Basketball ACT Junior Championship Competition Results

Under 12 Boys Premier – Ginninderra Desert Rats 35 def WCW Dodgers 32

Under 12 Boys A Grade – Ginninderra Lake Rats 42 def Belconnen Ramblers 23

Under 12 Boys B Grade – WCW Dodgers Dunkers 20 def Burgmann Bandits 18

Under 12 Boys C Grade – St Edmund's College 18 def Wests Magpies 12

Under 14 Boys Premier – WCW Dodgers Rebounders 65 def Ginninderra Rats 37

Under 14 Boys A Grade – Tuggeranong Southern Cross 52 def Burgmann 43

Under 14 Boys B Grade - Radford Blazers 40 def Tuggeranong Vikings 36

Under 14 Boys C Grade – Burgmann Lightning 38 def Burgmann Thunder 22

Under 12 Girls Premier – Wests Magpies Black 41 def Wests Magpies Sky 34

Under 12 Girls A Grade – TSC Tigers 25 def Wests Magpies 9

Under 12 Girls B Grade – WCW Dodgers 16 def Ginninderra Lagoon Rats 14

Under 12 Girls C Grade - Burgmann Lions 30 def Belconnen Ramblers 10

Under 14 Girls Premier – Norths 47 def Wests Magpies 32

Under 14 Girls A Grade – TSC Panthers 31 def TSC Tigers 22

Under 14 Girls B Grade – WCW Dodgers Rebounders 19 def TSC Tigers 18

Under 16 Boys Premier – Tuggeranong Southern Cross 93 def Ginninderra Desert Rats 57

Under 16 Boys A Grade – Wests Magpies Sky 27 def Wests Magpies Black 25

Under 16 Boys B Grade – Tuggeranong Vikings 27 def WCW Dodgers 21

Under 16 Boys C Grade – Radford Titans 32 def Ginninderra Rats 26

Under 16 Girls Premier – Belconnen Ramblers 59 def Tuggeranong Vikings 54

Under 16 Girls A Grade – Queanbeyan Roadrunners 36 def TSC Panthers 18

Under 16 Girls B Grade - WCW Dodgers 30 def CGGS Redbacks White 27

Under 19 Boys Premier – Tuggeranong Southern Cross 81 def Wests Magpies Black 63

Under 19 Boys A Grade - Queanbeyan Roadrunners 34 def Marist Sky 33

Under 19 Boys B Grade – Marist Navy 42 def Ginninderra Desert Rats 41

Under 19 Boys C Grade – CGS Bulls 37 def Burgmann Green Machine 30

Under 19 Girls Premier – Tuggeranong Vikings 57 def Belconnen Ramblers 53

Under 19 Girls A Grade – Daramalan 50 def Vikings Red 47

Under 19 Girls B Grade – Burgmann 34 def Merici 25

2012 Senior Championship Competitions Results

Premier 1 Men

Wests Magpies 90 defeated Tuggeranong Vikings 63

Best & Fairest: Dylan Simpson (WCWD)

Top point Scorer: Jamie Mesman (Tuggeranong Vikings)

Premier 1 Women

Wests Magpies 68 defeated Tuggeranong Vikings 55

Best & Fairest: Michelle Patt (Ginninderra Rats)
Top point Scorer: Kate Rowe (Wests Magpies)

Premier 2 Men

Weston Creek Woden Dodgers 67 defeated Tuggeranong Vikings 55

Best & Fairest: Graeme Dickson 9Ginninderra Rats)
Top point Scorer: Michael Lloyd (Tuggeranong Vikings)

Premier 2 Women

Tuggeranong Vikings 54 defeated Weston Creek Woden Dodgers 38

Best & Fairest: Jacqueline Ball (Queanbeyan Roadrunners)
Top point Scorer: Jacqueline Ball (Queanbeyan Roadrunners)

A Grade Men Belconnen Sharks 64 defeated King and Duck 43

A Grade Men Tuggeranong Pork Swords 75 defeated 3D Paints Vampires 38

B Grade Men Tuggeranong Vampires 42 defeated The Airballers 37
A Grade Women Belconnen Wests Magpies 39 defeated Dynamites 22
B Grade Women Tuggeranong Basketcases 33 defeated All Stars Dodgers 22

C Grade Men Tuggeranong Easts 20 won by forfeit from 66'ers 0

C Grade Women Tuggeranong Tuggeranong Vikings 31defeated All Star Dodgers 14

D Grade Men Tuggeranong Thunder 29 defeated Scorgasm 21
Masters Tuggeranong Magic 22 defeated Lakers 18

Mixed Tuggeranong Keeping it Kla\$\$y 40 defeated All Stars 28

Tuesday Men Belconnen Pot Belly 41 defeated 1MT 28

Tuesday Women Belconnen Jaded 29 defeated Wests Magpies 25

Monday B Men Belconnen Electric Boogaloo 30 defeated The Redbacks 28

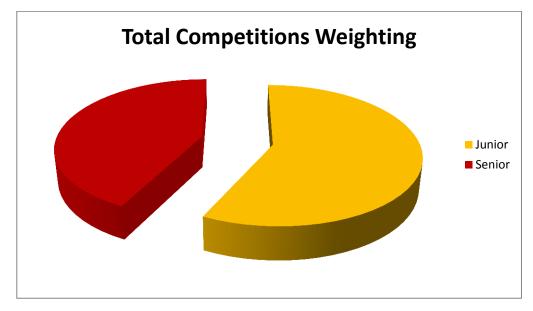
Monday C Men Belconnen
Tigers 36 defeated Funk Brothers 32
Monday D Men Belconnen
FC Mules 25 defeated Swamp Donkeys 22
Wednesday B Men Belconnen
Wednesday C Men Belconnen
Fragrant Fowls 44 defeated Belconnen Ramblers 39

Wednesday D Men Belconnen Underagerz 30 defeated United Force 21

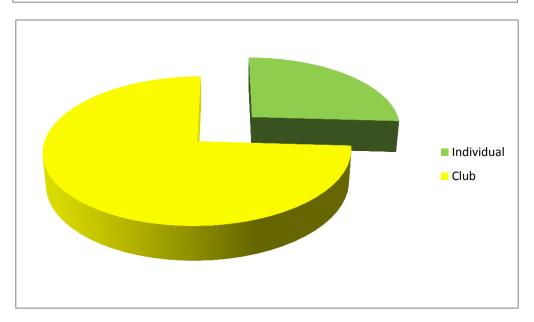
Monday B Women Belconnen Ball Breakers 34 defeated Hardly Globetrotters 24

Monday C Women BelconnenJust Cuts 28 defeated Go Team 26Mixed A BelconnenTruckasauruses 45 defeated Pezaz 39Mixed B BelconnenThe Mules 37 defeated Unican Lakers 30

Mixed C Belconnen Capital Punishment 43 defeated Team Awesome 35







Community and School table of Team nominations

		Ju	ınior			Se	enior			Т	otal	
Title	2011	2012	No	%	2011	2012	No	%	2011	2012	No	%
Belconnen Ramblers	21	20	-1	-4.76%	11	13	2	18.18%	32	33	1	3.13%
Ginnnderra Rats	23	26	3	13.04%	11	12	1	9.09%	34	38	4	11.76%
Norths	25	28	3	12.00%	12	9	-3	-25.00%	37	37	0	0.00%
Qbn Roadrunners	11	12	1	9.09%	3	3	0	0.00%	14	15	1	7.14%
Tugg Southern Cross	22	26	4	18.18%	2	2	0	0.00%	24	28	4	16.67%
Tugg Vikings	17	13	-4	-23.53%	9	8	-1	-11.11%	26	21	-5	-19.23%
WCW Dodgers	22	25	3	13.64%	6	5	-1	-16.67%	28	30	2	7.14%
Wests Magpies	30	30	0	0.00%	9	8	-1	-11.11%	39	38	-1	-2.56%
University of Canberra	0	0	0	0.00%	9	5	-4	-44.44%	9	5	-4	-44.44%
ADFA	0	0	0	0.00%	11	10	-1	-9.09%	11	10	-1	-9.09%
ANU	0	0	0	0.00%	4	3	-1	-25.00%	4	3	-1	-25.00%
Burgmann	27	27	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	27	27	0	0.00%
Canberra Grammar School	14	13	-1	-7.14%	0	0	0	0.00%	14	13	-1	-7.14%
Canberra Girls Grammar School	15	15	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	15	15	0	0.00%
Daramalan College	15	18	3	20.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	15	18	3	20.00%
Marist	13	14	1	7.69%	0	0	0	0.00%	13	14	1	7.69%
Merici	3	3	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	3	3	0	0.00%
Radford	39	42	3	7.69%	0	0	0	0.00%	39	42	3	7.69%
St Edmunds	12	12	0	0.00%	0	0	0	0.00%	12	12	0	0.00%
All Other Teams (General Club)	1	1	0	0.00%	144	140	-9	-6.25%	145	141	-4	-2.76%
TOTALS:	310	325	15	4.84%	231	218	-18	-7.79%	541	543	2	0.37%

Annual Judiciary outcomes

Name	Date of report	Offence	Outcome	Penalty
Alex Nichols	24/10/11	Disputing the decisions of the referee Unsportsmanlike behaviour	Not Guilty Guilty	6 weeks suspension
Rhett Dickerson	24/10/11	Disputing the decisions of the referee Unsportsmanlike behaviour Offensive language	Guilty	6 weeks suspension 6 weeks suspension 20 weeks suspension
Irwin Chou	12/12/11	Offensive Language	Guilty	4 weeks suspension
Chelsea Stanley	1/4/12	Striking with fist Offensive language	Guilty	10 weeks suspension 10 weeks suspended
Alex Smith	2/7/2012	Offensive Language	Met with the Administrative Tribunal	1 weeks suspension, immediately with 2 weeks suspended for 12mths

			Monday 23/7/12	
Carl Treveror	2/7/2012	Unsportsmanlike behaviour	ongoing	
Thank Tran	2/7/2012	Striking an official	Criminal charges are pending	Suspended from all Basketball activities until 24/7/2027
Trevor Golding	2/7/2012	Unsportsmanlike behaviour	ongoing	
Ben White	27/3/12	Offensive language	Guilty	1 week suspension
Damien Phillipa	27/3/12	Offensive language Disputing the decision of the referee Gross breach of the code of conduct	Guilty	2 weeks suspension + 10 weeks added from previous tribunal
Don Stevenson	4/7/2012	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive - no further action	
Jordan Young	4/7/2012	Technical Foul during game. Jordan hasn't played for Rats since this report	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	
Jamie Heaton	5/7/2012	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	
Jeff Kitchener	5/7/2012	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	
Aaron Baguley	23/5/12	Gross Breach of Code of Conduct	Code of conduct letter sent from Senior Completions manager, Jack Taylor	
Brendan Wade	23/5/12	Gross Breach of Code of Conduct	Code of conduct letter sent from Senior Competitions manager, Jack Taylor	
Tad Dufelimeir	1/6/12 6/7/12	Gross Breach of Code of Conduct	Tony Jackson is drafting a letter advising the behaviour reported is not in the spirit of the game & outlining the consequences if it continues	
Sam Schischa	15/6/12	Putting a person in fear of pending violence		13 weeks suspension 26 weeks suspended sentence for 12mths
Garang Bul	21/6/12	Kicking		3 weeks suspension with 3 weeks suspended until December 2012
Cheryl Wells	26/6/12	Code of Conduct	Warning	
Paul Alexander	24/7/12	Gross Breach of Code of Conduct	Although 1 player reported both teams left the benchs & became an all-in brawl.	

			Campbell would like to sit both teams out for a set period of time.	
James Sembal	31/7/12	Conduct which brings the game of basketball into disrepute Unsportsmanlike behaviour Obscene Language Gross breach of the code of conduct Putting a person in fear of impending violence	Guilty Guilty Guilty Guilty Guilty Guilty	6 weeks suspension 6 weeks suspension 10 Weeks suspension 6 weeks suspension 52weeks suspension
Jon Pratt	8/8/2012	Conduct that brings the game of basketball into disrepute	Not Guilty	Management Warning
Antony Arena	15/8/12	Gross Breach of Conduct Disputing decisions of the referee Offensive Language Putting a person in fear of impending violence Conduct that brings the game into disrepute Unsportsmanlike behaviour	Guilty Not Guilty Guilty Guilty Not Guilty Not Guilty	Suspension until after 9/10/12 with 20 weeks suspended sentence for 12 months
Jerry Lee	24/8/12	Gross Breach of Conduct Disputing decisions of the referee Offensive Language	Guilty Guilty Not Guilty	6 weeks suspended sentence for 12mths 2 weeks competition return after 2nd October 2012
Kyle Simpson	31/8/12	Offensive language Unsportsmanlike behaviour Offensive Language Gross Breach of conduct	Not Guilty Not Guilty Guilty Guilty	3 months suspended

Chima Moneke	17/9/12	Offensive Language Disputing Referee's decisions Gross Breach of the code of Conduct	Guilty on all charges	3 weeks suspension + 9 weeks suspended for next 12 months
Jake Matthews	17/9/12	Offensive Language	Guilty	Warning
Jamie Mesman	26/9/12	Striking	Guilty	6 months suspension 3 months suspended
Heath Galer	10/5/12	Striking Offensive Language	Guilty	3 weeks suspension
Adrian Brown	11/4/12	Breach of the code of conduct	Guilty	4 weeks suspension
Jez Wheeler	11/7/201 2	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	
Duncan Johnstone	12/7/201	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	
Michael Archer	12/7/201 2	Disputing decision of the referee Conduct that brings the game of basketball into disrepute Attempting to strike Gross Breach of the Code of Conduct	Michael turned up to the Tribunal.	2 weeks suspension with 10 weeks suspended sentence
Sasa Stankovice	12/7/201 2	Disputing decision of the referee Conduct that brings the game of basketball into disrepute Attempting to strike Gross Breach of the Code of Conduct	Didn't show to tribunal, has been notified of the punishment. Didn't play on the Wednesday night	2 weeks 8weeks 12 weeks 8 weeks To be served Concurrently
Steve Roger	12/7/201 2	Technical Foul during game	Incident report from referees as per directive- no further action	

2012 Referees Information

Most rebuilding and development programs in officiating are based on a minimum 5 year approach. This approach is based around recruitment, retention and development of the officials. When observed there were a number of patterns within the ACT basketball community, including players, coaches and officials that formed the basis of where attention was to be focussed.

Previously the officiating program was filled in a volunteer capacity and with a limited number of participants without focusing on a more overall strategic approach. Coverage was a major concern initially, with levels of approximately 50% for juniors, 48% for seniors and 70% for Premier League.

B-ACT acted on a top down bottom up approach-initially to increase the senior Premier coverage and the junior competitions both Premier and grade.

Alongside of these projects was the need to fulfil B-ACT obligations across the representative programs and development opportunities where we were expected to provide officials of suitable standard.

This was achieved as a direct result of not only a referee-coaching program, converting into a larger and stronger referee program, but also a focus on a sense of camaraderie and achievement. While the program has at times proved difficult to maintain, it has produced some excellent young officials at various levels.

Where we are now? - We currently have a huge increase in coverage rate of juniors, anywhere from 50 to 100% for senior grade and 97% for Premier League.

2013's focus is to increase both the coverage and skill set of senior grade referees , results are already being demonstrated.

i.e. Monday night coverage at Belconnen-the lowest coverage this summer season has been 86%

2012 Panel Referees:

- Drew Meads (WNBL, SEABL, WABL) officiated both the Eastern and National Grand Finals
- Damien Nemeth (WNBL, SEABL, WABL)
- Clair Stevenson (WNBL, SEABL, WABL)(retired February2012 after 100 WNBL game)
- Simon Cosier (SEABL, WABL)
- Robert Rice(WNBL,SEABL)refereed Eastern women's semi final
- Sam Pettigrove (SEABL, WABL)
- Ian Gordon (WABL)
- Jack Taylor (WABL)
- Matt McRae (WABL)
- Daniel Byrnes (WABL)
- Jackson Dunkley (WABL)
- Declan Ninnes (WABL)
- Daniel Helson (WABL)

2012 Representative Referees:

- David Maplesden & Ian Gordon (Ivor Burge National Championships)
- Jack Taylor(Under 18 National and National Schools Championships)officiated Gold Medal Men
- Daniel Helson (Under 16 Championships)
- Declan Ninnes (Under 14 Boys Championships ,Micayla Helson Under 14 Girls Championships(officiated Bronze medal game)

2012 Referee Coaches:

- Karin Berrysmith (NBL, WNBL, SEABL, WABL)
- David Nimmo (WNBL, SEABL, WABL)
- Gordon Young (SEABL, WABL)

Notables:

- 170 active officials registered in 2012
- 5 x Level 0 courses delivered(4 junior & 1 senior)
- Level 1 referee course delivered
- 2 x Grade referee refresher course delivered
- Level 3 course delivered
- Two senior action days and one junior action day delivered
- 6 referees attended Country Cup
- 6 referees attended Sydney Cup, with five refereeing finals matches
- 92% of course attendees graduate to active registered referees

Additional

- Karin Berrysmith selected to attend FIBA relicensing clinic as referee evaluator
- 2 out reach courses conducted at Cooma, and Queanbeyan
- 4 rules of basketball sessions run with representative teams

ACT Academy of Sport National Intensive Training Program (ACTAS NITP)

2011/12 AIS Scholarship Holders

Tad Dufelmeier Jnr Darcy Malone

2011/12 ACTAS Scholarship Holders

Mitchell Brown
Robert Colton
Tad Dufelmeier Jnr
Riley Habraken
Claire King
Jake Jobling
Darcy Malone
Kathryn Rendell
Dylan Simpson

Sarah McAppion (associate)



Notables:

- Darcy Malone was part of the Australian under 17 team that won a Silver Medal at the FIBA 2012 under 17 World Championships played in Lithuania
- Robert Colton was invited to Australian Junior Development Camp held at the AIS in September 2012 for the 2014 FIBA U17 World Championship team
- Tad Dufelmeier Jnr, Darcy Malone, Declan Pratt and Dylan Simpson trained with the AIS Mens program under visiting training agreements through 2012
- Dylan Simpson trained with the 2013 Under 19 World Championship squad at training held at the AIS in
- Basketball ACT under 17 Mens team, Tad Dufelmeier Jnr, Bul Kuol, Iain Morison and Declan Pratt won a Bronze Medal at the inaugural Basketball Australia 3x3 under 17 competition held in Sydney in July 2012

Thank you to the ACT Academy of Sport and Basketball Australia for their ongoing support of the program.





2012 ACT Representative Programs

ACT Ivor Burge Representative Program

Men (4th position)

Luke Arsego
Paul Bell
Andrew Clarkson
Mark Dahlberg

Andrew Hoatson Leigh Howard Justin Koenig Jack Littleton James McGill Michael Tipler

Jim Bell – Head Coach

James McGill – Assistant Coach Dean Hoatson – Manager

ACT 89 def. NSW Metro 61

QLD 54 def. ACT 45

ACT 87 def. VIC Country 72

ACT 86 def. SA 68

NSW Country 57 def. ACT 54 QLD 81 def. ACT 66 (3/4 play-off) Women (7th position)

Kyra Corsini Karen Fraser Jennifer Hodgson Cherie Mack Amanda Mitchell Cherie Roberts Georgie Robinson Chloe Smith

Anne Walsh Jessie Younie

Laura Hunter – Head Coach Tony Plunkett – Assistant Coach

NSW Country 117 def. ACT 7

Karen Hunter - Manager

SA 101 def. ACT 19

Vic Metro 86 def. ACT 20 NSW Metro 76 def. ACT 12

WA 54 def. ACT 28

Vic Country 108 def. ACT 21

ACT Under 20 Representative Program

Dylan Simpson

Men (4th position) Women (8th position)

Sean Richardson Lesina Gibbs-Manuatu Nicholas Jackson Rachel McNaughton Reece Kaye **Hayley Douglas** Pietro Badalassi Brianna Dalgleish Peter Edwards Sam Hosking Joshua Pako Sarah Atkinson Stephen Rowe Raingsey Kevin Jordan Rowe Kathryn Rendell Luke Duffey **Alex Bunton**

Glenn Baird – Head Coach

Joel Richardson – Assistant Coach

Adele Simpson – Manager

Nathan Arousi – Head Coach

Penny Toledo – Assistant Coach

Jessica White – Development Coach

Abbie Davis

Sheree Harrison – Manager

ACT 80 def. NZ 56

VIC 91 def. ACT 53

ACT 61 def. QLD 50

SA 82 def. ACT 64

ACT 66 def. TAS 56

VIC 103 def. ACT 63

SA 70 def. ACT 54

WA 82 def. ACT 50

NSW 68 def. ACT 50

NZ 53 def. ACT 51

NSW 84 def. ACT 56 (3/4 play-off) TAS 66 def. ACT 41 (7 / 8 play-off)

ACT Under 18 Representative Program

Men (7th position) Women (10th position)

Mitchell Brown Sophie Anderson Tad Dufelmeier Jnr Emma Bourne Riley Habraken Meg Dowley Jake Jobling Renee Duffey **Darcy Malone** Morgan Elvin Ian Morison Claire King **Alex Naoumidis Tegan Ketels** Jordan Phillips Michaela Leonard **Declan Pratt** Rebecca Lee Jesse Wilesmith Katrina Roache

Andrew Cadogan-Cowper – Head Coach

Markus Klusemann – Assistant Coach

Cheryl Wright – Manager

Brian Demmery – Head Coach

Peter Herak – Assistant Coach

Maureen Van Maanen – Manager

ACT def. Vic Country 82

ACT 70 def. NZ 67

SA Country 87 def. ACT 41

QLD South 94 def. ACT 57

NSW Metro 76 def. ACT 40

NSW Metro 108 def. ACT 54

ACT 65 def. WA Country 46

Vic Country 101 def. ACT 43

SA Country 87 def. ACT 41

NSW Metro 76 def. ACT 30

WA Country 53 def. ACT 39

ACT 85 def. SA Country 33 ACT 56 def. NZ 47 SA Metro 91 def. ACT 72 ACT 46 def. TAS 39

ACT 72 def. NSW Country 61(7/8 play-off) SA Metro 72 def. ACT 47 (9/10 play-off)

ACT Under 16 Representative Program

Men (12th position)

Nathan Brown
Robert Colton
Lachlan Dowse
Jackson Duffey
Maxwell Egan
Jarrod Hampton
Brendan Hoang
Jamie Kirkpatrick
Juan Ramos

Jarrod Phillips

Mathew Neason – Head Coach Chris Tetley – Assistant Coach Anita Wallace – Manager

NZ 79 def. ACT 62 NSW Country 63 def. ACT 44 VIC Metro 107 def. ACT 53 QLD South 82 def. ACT 45 ACT 71 def. WA Country 35 SA Metro 77 def. ACT 41 QLD North 82 def. ACT 71 SA Country 72 def. TAS 64(11/12 play-off) Women (14th position)

Danusia Sipa Borgeaud

Ruby Cooper
Lily Cunningham
Alana Dalgleish
Ashleigh Evans
Demi Hosking
Annabelle Lindsay
Hope Pateman
Soraya McGinley
Laura Whalan

Ray Brady – Head Coach Jessica White – Assistant Coach Barbara Turner – Manager

SA Country 69 def. ACT 30 NSW Country 83 def. ACT 33 WA Metro 76 def. ACT 52 QLD South 89 def. ACT 38

NT 55 def. ACT 44

Vic Metro 73 def. ACT 26

WA Country 59 def. ACT 29(13/14 play-off)

ACT Under 14 Representative Program

Men (8th position) Women (11th position)

Maris Colton Caitlin Amey William Cooper **Tsion Barlow** Callie Bourne **David Cox Ryan Crowley** Isabelle Bourne **Broderick Doran** Ashleigh Easton Triston Irvine Tarushi Fernando James Martin Sophie Perkins Alex Ophel Grace Reisima **Brad Pateman** Caitlin Rowe

Hemi Peters Rosemary Schweizer

Stuart Reed

Brad Luhrs – Head Coach Paula Jansen – Head Coach

Melanie Steele-Hick – Assistant Coach

Jesamine Wheeler – Assistant Coach

Grant Barclay – Manager Jenni Childs – Manager

Canberra 54 def. Darwin Cyclones 43

Dandenong Rangers 68 def. Canberra 42

Canberra 50 def. Cairns Dolphins 30

Canberra 49 def. Penrith Panthers 42

Hills Hornets 72 def. Canberra 29

Canberra 50 def. Cairns Dolphins 30

Canberra 49 def. Dandenong Rangers 34

Southern Tigers 51 def. Canberra 48

Norths Bear 41 def. Canberra 38

Illawarra Hawks 44 def. Canberra 37 Sturt Sabres 43 def. Canberra 30

Lakeside Lightning 61 def. Canberra 51 (7/8 play-off)

Eltham Wildcats 46 def. Canberra 19 Canberra 53 def. Cairns Dolphins 38 (11/12)

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WNBL

2011/12 Canberra Capitals Program

Competition: Women's National Basketball League (WNBL)

Major Sponsor: TransACT Communications

2011/12 season record: 9 wins, 13 losses 2011/12 finals record: Missed the playoffs

2011/12 final placing: Finished 8th



Brigitte Ardossi Nicole Hunt
Jessica Bibby (Captain) Lauren Jansen
Hannah Bowley Molly Lewis
Alice Coddington Natalie Porter
Michelle Cosier Marianna Tolo
Abbie Davis Carly Wilson

Carrie Graf – Head Coach
Sandy Tomley – Assistant Coach
Barb Lodding - Manager

Markus Klusemann – Assistant Coach Graeme Backen – Physiotherapist

Brendan Parnell – Assistant Coach Delwyn Griffiths – Massage Therapist

Notables:

- The Capitals sign Lauren Jackson to a five year deal
- Brigitte Ardossi signs with the Capitals having returned to Australia from playing in France
- The Capitals sign Mikaela Dombkins, Molly Lewis and Natalie Porter from other WNBL clubs
- Two Capitals players, Carly Wilson and Marianna Tolo were selected for the 2012 Olympic Games squad

The winners of the Capitals team awards for 2011/12:

Most Valuable Player: Carly Wilson
Kellie Abrams Best Defensive Player: Carly Wilson
Capital on the Rise: Brigitte Ardossi
Player's Player Award: Jessica Bibby



2012 Canberra Gunners Program

Competition: South East Australian Basketball League (SEABL) East Conference

Major Sponsor: Duncan's Plumbing Services

2012 season record: 1 win, 27 losses2012 finals record: Did not qualify

2012 final placing: 7th in East Conference



Mat Glasson/Cameron Barnes - Head Coach

Cam Barnes - Assistant Coach

David Close - Assistant Coach

Greg Evans - Assistant Coach

Fiona Wright - Manager

Peter Suffolk – Physiotherapist

The winners of the Gunners team awards for 2012:

Rising Star: Dylan Simpson
Best Defensive Player: Joel Richardson
Most Valuable Player: Jonathon Miller

Notables:

- Alex Gynes signs with the Gunners having played previously with the Sydney Kings in the NBL
- Grayson Flittner, an American import, signs but only plays 5 games due to injury.
- The Gunners secure basketball American journey man Matt Smith, late in the season



2012 Canberra Capitals Academy Program

Competition: South East Australian Basketball League (SEABL) East Conference

Major Sponsor: Random Computing 2012 season record: 8 wins, 18 losses 2012 finals record: Did not qualify

2012 final placing: 5th in East Conference

Kellie Abrams Claire King
Michelle Cosier Tessa Lavey
Michaela Dalgleish Molly Lewis

Brianna Dalgleish Rachel McNaughton

Abbie Davis Alyce Shearing
Mikaela Dombkins Julie Ticehurst
Catherine Grawich Shelley West

Lauren Jansen

Sandy Tomley – Head Coach Brendan Parnell – Assistant Coach Vicki Vince – Manager

The winners of the Capitals Academy team awards for 2012:

Rising Star: Tessa Lavey
Best Defensive Player: Lauren Jansen
Most Valuable Player: Alyce Shearing

Notables:

- 2012 saw the introduction of the Canberra Capitals Academy team into the SEABL for the first time
- The team saw the return of former Canberra Capitals Captain, Kellie Abrams, for a limited number of games
- Canberra Capitals players Molly Lewis and Michelle Cosier joined the team to assist in the development of the junior players
- The program is a critical link for the ACT junior representative pathway for the Canberra Capitals programs



2012 Canberra Gunners Academy Program

Competition: NSW Waratah State League – Pool C

Major Sponsor: Capital Landscape Group

2012 season record: 11 wins, 4 losses

2012 finals record: Qualified for quarter final

2012 final placing: 2nd in Pool C

Sam Adams Reece Kaye **Casey Baines** Elliot McBride Pietro Badalassi Alex Pearce Isaac Plunkett Nick Dewey Tad Dufelmeier Jnr **Anthony Pronin** Hayden Galbraith Sean Richardson Nick Haisman **Gerard Rose** Jordan Rowe Joshua Hathaway Nick Jackson Stephen Rowe **Jake Jobling** Jesse Wilesmith

Tony Plunkett – Head Coach Brad Barnes – Assistant Coach Matt Anderson – Assistant Coach

Jerry Lee – Manager

The winners of the Capitals Academy team awards for 2012:

Rising Star: Sean Richardson
Best Defensive Player: Elliot McBride
Most Valuable Player: Nick Dewey

Notables:

- 2012 saw the introduction the Canberra Gunners Academy into the NSW Waratah State League for Mens
- The program is a critical link for the ACT junior representative pathway for the Canberra Gunners program
- The program consists primarily of players from the Under 20 and Under 18 State teams
- The team in its first season qualified for the quarter finals and only narrowly lost to the Hornsby Spiders 78 to 77



2012 Community Activities



Basketball ACT supported many community organisations and was involved in community activities throughout 2011 - 2012. These include but are not limited to:

- Snowy Hydro Southcare Helicopter Rescue Service
- Movember
- Heart Foundation
- Earth Hour
- CanTeen
- Red Cross
- FIBA Oceania (through the provision of singlets, balls and shoes to other nations)
- Big Bangs Basketball
- ACT Mental Health Foundation
- Numerous Club and school fundraising activities

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