



## NETBALL NEW ZEALAND ANNUAL REPORT





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## FROM THE CHAIR Mai I Te Manukura

## CONSOLIDATION AND PROGRESS

Following a big year of change, 2013 was always going to be a year of consolidation – a year of implementing the Zones and getting the new structure imbedded. This year was the start of us collectively bringing the advantages we had identified as part of the restructure through to Netball in New Zealand.

It hasn't been an easy year. The timing of the changes made it difficult for the new Zone Boards and CEOs especially in regards to their immediate focus of delivering the ANZ Championship season. As a result of this and Netball New Zealand's Chief Executive changes, it took some time to get the momentum necessary to put in place effective strategies for our new business model.

It is therefore important to acknowledge and appreciate the efforts that have been made by the Zone Boards and CEOs in achieving what we have to date. Coming out the other side, it can be seen the structures that have been set up are starting to be fully utilised. The collaborations that we were looking to create are bearing fruit and are working in a more streamlined manner. With time, partnerships have been consolidated and strengthened and we are on course to produce overall benefits to the Netball community.

It must always be a priority for our sport to provide excellence in the governance of our respective Netball organisations, and it has been extremely pleasing to observe and have feedback on how well the new Zone Boards are functioning.

A real watershed moment, for me, was when I met with the Zone CEO's and Board Chairs at the Lion Foundation Netball Champs. Sitting in that meeting, it was exciting to see and be part of the positivity, the energy and the forwardlooking conversations. The optimism for what we are going to be able to deliver and what this structure can deliver for Netball was obvious.



## STRATEGIC PLAN FRAMEWORK TO 2020

The Netball in New Zealand Strategic Plan Framework through to 2020 has been developed. We know that some good work has been done in the Zones and Centres around putting their own strategic plans together to define roles in delivering against the whole of Netball plan in New Zealand. The Business Plan components are currently being worked on and are another key element of completing the entire package of what we're looking to achieve in terms of the overall strategic plan for Netball.

## FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

In 2013 Netball New Zealand achieved a surplus of \$1.032M, on operating revenues of \$10.082M, before consolidation with TTNL Ltd.

This operating surplus was considerably greater than budget, mainly due to the tight management of costs particularly for



international tests and FAST5 and the High Performance Programme, along with the deferral of several initiatives mainly due to the Chief Executive change. This surplus goes some way towards rebuilding reserves which were depleted in 2012 due to the \$1.373M debt write-off and repayment that occurred alongside the sport's restructure with the formation of the Zones.

Rebuilding of members' equity and reserves remains a key priority of Netball New Zealand, and these now stand at \$3.33M. This will enable us to carefully invest in the development of Netball throughout New Zealand, and assist with building our capability across the sport.

### LEADERSHIP CHANGE

We welcomed Hilary Poole to the role of Netball New Zealand Chief Executive in the latter part of the year following the departure of Raelene Castle. The NNZ Board has been impressed with the time Hilary has put in to understanding what Netball has, where it has come from, what it's been doing and what it's looking to accomplish. Hilary has immersed herself in the Netball community and is working hard to drive the outcomes.

It is appropriate to acknowledge and recognise former Chief Executive Raelene Castle for her contribution to our sport and in particular her role in helping establish the new Zone structure. During her six year tenure, Raelene created the impetus for change which is recognised both internally and externally as a significant achievement. I would also like to thank Malcolm Harris who did an admirable job as transitional Chief Executive between the arrival of Hilary and departure of Raelene.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I would like to acknowledge the contribution of outgoing Board member Carole Maddix who has served for three terms. Carole has been an outstanding Board member, her dedication to the Netball community and her Netball perspective has been invaluable to us. She knows how Netball works, not just the people, but also Netball inside out from a technical, constitutional and process point of view. She has been a great person to have on the Board and will be missed.

I would like to thank all of the NNZ Board members for their hard work and contribution during the year. They are a pleasure to work with.

Our President, Sheryl, Lady Wells remains unwavering with her ever-present support and good humour. She is a tireless worker in assisting NNZ raise its profile externally as well as flying the Netball flag by attending as many events on the competition calendar as she can get to.



A big thank you to the Netball New Zealand staff, who have had to face the challenges of shouldering a lot more responsibility in the transitional time of not having a permanent Chief Executive. It added considerably to their workloads but they continued to perform above and beyond with their usual enthusiasm and without complaint.

### PERSONAL REFLECTION

On a personal note, this is a slightly bitter-sweet moment for me as I write my last report as NNZ Chair, with my term finishing early next year.

I would like to say what a privilege and honour it has been to be a part of Netball and to be Chair of the Board for the last seven years. Having been involved in all the things that have happened within Netball over that time - the establishment of the ANZ Championship and the Zone restructure being two of the big ones - it has highlighted just what a wonderful, progressive and adaptable sport and community Netball is. It gives back far more than anyone can ever contribute to it.

It has been a wonderful journey and a hugely enriching part of my life. A big thank you for letting me be the Chair. I have loved every minute of it.

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Raewyn Lovett Netball New Zealand Board Chair

#### RAEWYN LOVETT

With her term as Board Chair finishing next year, Raewyn Lovett has presided over some milestone decisions which have had a major impact in changing the shape of Netball.

Two significant achievements in particular ensures Raewyn leaves an indelible imprint on the game – the ANZ Championship and the Zone restructure.

In 2007, the year before she became Chair, Raewyn sat on the inaugural Trans-Tasman Netball League (TTNL) Board. This Board would launch the semiprofessional environment that has become the ANZ Championship. The trans-Tasman competition has gone on to become a highlight on the sporting calendar and pushed Netball to new heights in terms of its athletic endeavour, marketability and players being paid.

Raewyn stayed with the TTNL Board throughout her tenure, becoming its Chair in 2009 and ensuring the ANZ Championship remained a successful competition.

The Zone restructure, a huge undertaking involving input from across the Netball community, was given the green light and rolled out last year.

The significance of the restructure, which has impacted on the way the game is run in New Zealand, was implemented to guarantee Netball's sustainability on all counts for future generations.



## FROM THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE Mai I Te Tumu Whakarae

## KIA ORA KOUTOU

I am delighted to present to you the 2013 Annual Report, as Chief Executive of Netball New Zealand. If there's one thing I have learned in my first few months at Netball New Zealand, it's that Netball in New Zealand is in very capable hands, whether it be the Boards, Zones, Centres or volunteers I have been thrilled to see how passionate and committed our Netball people are.

Netball is New Zealand's largest women's team sport, and has so much positive impact on the lives of women throughout New Zealand and I consider it a privilege to lead this sport that such an important part of the fabric of life in New Zealand.

In my first few months I have met with each of the Netball Zones. I have been especially heartened by the commitment to the new Zone structure which makes so much sense, and the effort and commitment by many towards establishing these relatively new organisations, so they can add value to our members throughout New Zealand. It has given me a sense of great positivity for the future of the game.

It is my challenge to build on the strong foundations the Netball community has built over many years, throughout New Zealand, and that Raelene Castle greatly contributed to during her time as Chief Executive.

## WHOLE OF NETBALL PLAN

First things first, one of my key priorities in 2014 is to lead the development of our Whole of Netball Plan, which will operationalise the new Strategic Plan Framework developed by the Netball New Zealand Board during the first half of 2013. This will be a plan for Netball in New Zealand, and will include the priority initiatives that we will lead nationally, but implement throughout the country with the support of the Netball community. It is my aim that each Zone and Centre will have a strong ownership of and understanding of these projects, and we each work hard in our respective roles in their delivery.

## INTERNATIONALS

My first official outing as the new Chief Executive was in Wellington with the Malawi



Queens on their inaugural tour of our country playing the Silver Ferns at the TSB Bank Arena. What a delight it was for me to experience a Netball International first-hand, both behind the scenes and as the new Chief Executive. Our hard-working staff and the many Central Zone volunteers made for a very successful event, both off the court and on court for the team.

The Malawi tour of New Zealand quickly led into the FAST5 Netball World Series which was an amazing culmination of the hard work done by the team at NNZ and the many volunteers from all around the country to produce a world class event in Auckland. This event was broadcast around the world resulting in FAST5 Netball being introduced to a worldwide audience, some for the first time. I also had the privilege of meeting International Netball Federation (INF) President Molly Rhone and the INF board and I look forward to working closely together as we take Netball into the future.

## SILVER FERNS

From a High Performance perspective the Silver Ferns produced mixed results in 2013 after failing to achieve the main aim of winning the five-test Constellation Cup series. While this was disappointing for the team, 2013 was always going to be a building year ahead of the next pinnacle event, the 2014 Commonwealth Games. On the positive side, the way the season unfolded provided the opportunity to see a number of new Silver Ferns on the court. While we didn't achieve what we wanted to in terms of winning, we did achieve what we wanted to in terms of building depth in the team and looking at other combinations and players who are going to be able to step up to the next level. I would like to acknowledge the great work done by Silver Ferns coach Waimarama Taumaunu and assistant coach Vicki Wilson. In her first season with the team, Vicki's experience as a former Australian player has added a different perspective and variety to the Silver Ferns set-up.

## FAST5 FERNS

The FAST5 Ferns produced another excellent result in defending their FAST5 Netball World Series title in Auckland to end the international season on a high. The FAST5 event has guickly become a special part of our calendar in terms of the different elements it brings to what we do on court. It heightens the entertainment value of Netball, attracts new fans and certainly the number of people who came along and watched the event this year was up significantly on last year. We would like to congratulate coach Janine Southby and assistant Julie Seymour, who proved a winning combination in masterminding the FAST5 Ferns successful defence of their title. It's very pleasing to see we are gathering momentum in FAST5, it's a great event, great spectacle, great entertainment and we won - a great overall result.

## NZ U21 WORLD YOUTH NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS

The highlight of the on-court action in 2013 was the NZU21 team winning the World Youth Netball Championships in Scotland. Well done to coach Janine Southby and assistant coach Adrienne Morrin for all their hard work in achieving this tremendous result. From a development perspective it gives confidence when we see our younger teams coming through a touch competition and winning on the world stage.

The New Zealand Secondary Schools team also continued a strong tradition in winning



the Trans-Tasman Secondary Schools Netball Tournament, another positive sign that there are good systems in place and new talent coming through.

### ANZ CHAMPIONSHIP

The ANZ Championship is a significant competition on the NNZ event calendar and is the pinnacle for most of our talented elite netballers. The 10-team, 17-week competition is recognised as the best Netball league in the world and we are very proud to have five teams flying the New Zealand flag each and every time they take the court. After six years of incredibly successful ANZ Championship Netball played in Australia and New Zealand, we are currently looking at all aspects of the competition and how to develop the competition itself, whilst assisting and strengthening the sustainability of the competing teams.

It was a disappointment not to have a New Zealand team in the ANZ Championship Grand Final after having been successful last year. Despite this, the ANZ Championship remains a compelling competition, the fitness, skill and athleticism levels ensuring it remains a popular spectacle with the sporting public.

## THANKING OUR PARTNERS

NNZ remains hugely grateful to the fantastic family of sponsors and partners who support our national teams, events and programmes. I would especially like to thank and acknowledge New World, our elite sponsor, for its support of the Silver Ferns and NNZ. New World's commitment to support the Silver Ferns at the elite level and community Netball across New Zealand is outstanding. Thank you must go to Fisher & Paykel, our gold sponsor, and to our family of sponsors: Holden, Canterbury of New Zealand, ANZ, Yahoo!, and Triumph, and a special welcome to our two new sponsors who joined us in 2013, House of Travel and Pita Pit. SKY Television and The Radio Network are our outstanding Media Partners, who consistently bring our sport to life for the New Zealand public.

I would also like to make special mention of our two strategic funding partners High Performance Sport New Zealand, who invest into our High Performance programme, and Sport New Zealand, who continue to invest in community Netball and help us build our organisation capability. We greatly appreciate the investment that is made by these two organisations into Netball as we continue to work towards winning on the international stage and developing the game at community Netball level.

Long term funding partners, the Lion Foundation and New Zealand Community Trust, support the delivery of national competitions and community sport programmes for coach and umpire development throughout New Zealand, and we are very grateful for their continued support.

## ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

I sincerely thank the NNZ Board for their support and leadership, particularly in helping me come up to speed. I would like to in particular acknowledge two outgoing board members: Carole Maddix and Raewyn Lovett. Carole's Netball expertise has been invaluable to the Board in particular with her knowledge in both the Finance and Oceania arenas. Raewyn Lovett's leadership of our Board has been outstanding and the time and expertise she has brought to the NNZ Board as Chair of both NNZ and previously ANZ Championship Chair has been exemplary. We sincerely thank them both for dedication and valuable service to Netball New Zealand.

I would like to acknowledge the work and continued support of NNZ's Life Members. I have had the pleasure of meeting a number of Life Members thus far, and am very grateful for the work these volunteers continue to do for our sport.

I am consistently told how well run Netball is in New Zealand, and recognise that it's due to the hard work and commitment of so many. To the many volunteers who work throughout New Zealand to deliver Netball and to those who work in support of NNZ events and national programmes, I would like to say a big thank you for the time and energy given to our sport.

And last but not least, thank you to the staff at NNZ who have been incredibly welcoming and have delivered solid results for the 2013 year. I feel very fortunate to be a part of such a very special group of people. I am excited about the challenges that 2014 will bring, and working with members of the Netball Community on our journey.

Attack lost.

Hilary Poole Netball New Zealand Chief Executive



## FROM THE PRESIDENT Mai I Te Perehitini

etball continues to move forward in an exciting direction. The significant changes to our regional structures have gained traction and the new Zone Boards have worked tirelessly to communicate with their communities and overcome any challenges presented.

Our Netball Centres have shown patience while the new structures and systems are embedded and new programmes delivered.

In my last report, I thanked those who had given their time to discuss and consider recommendations with regard to the change from regions to Zones and asked us all to work together to ensure its success. I have been heartened to receive positive feedback from our people in the Netball Zones taking the 'working together' approach, for which we are known.

A huge THANK-YOU to our Zone Boards, staff, Netball Centres and their many volunteers who continue to give their all to ensure that everyone involved in the sport has an enjoyable and rewarding experience whether on or off the court.

In early July, we farewelled former Chief Executive Raelene Castle who guided our sport for six years. Of special significance was her spearheading the formation of the ANZ Championship and the restructure of 12 Netball regions throughout the country to five Netball Zones. Raelene will be remembered for her vision, her endless enthusiasm and her ability to tackle challenges head on.

October saw us welcoming our new Chief Executive Hilary Poole who has hit the ground running and put huge hours into familiarising herself, in a remarkably short time, with Netball and its people. We are delighted to have secured someone of Hilary's talent and ability to lead the organisation into the future.



The staff of Netball New Zealand excelled in these changing and challenging times and worked tirelessly to ensure all ran smoothly.

The ANZ Championship, our premier Netball event, continues to draw crowds. Even though many games were closely contested, only one New Zealand team, Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic, went through to the top four. Lots of player movement in the off season means the competition will feature many new-look teams which are certain to provide much interest in 2014.

Over the latter part of 2013, I was fortunate to attend many events and tournaments around New Zealand. These tournaments are extremely well run by NNZ staff and well supported by the Netball Zones and Netball Centres along with their wonderful volunteers. Not only is our Netball talent highlighted but



the value of our off-court Netball workforce, most of them volunteers, is reinforced: coaches, managers, physiotherapists, cooks, technical officials, umpires, selectors, mentors, ball girls and assistants, to name just a handful. They are the benefactors and we are the fortunate recipients.

In August I had the pleasure of farewelling our NZU21 team with Netball New Zealand staff, Casey Kopua and Maria Tutaia as they left our shores bound for Glasgow to contest the World Youth Netball Championships. I was impressed by their resolve to be the best they could be and they certainly achieved their goal. In the final against Australia they absorbed everything the defending champions threw at them, holding the lead for the entire game and winning in style to become World Youth Netball Champions.

The Trans-Tasman Secondary Schools Netball Tournament held at Rotorua's Energy Events Centre saw a week of closely contested matches with our New Zealand Secondary School team displaying pride, passion and skill to win the title.

Our Silver Ferns recorded a year of mixed results with Waimarama Taumaunu, Vicki Wilson and the team finishing the season on a high with a three-test win over Malawi. The New World Netball Series allowed the pair to develop different combinations ahead of a very busy season and with the Commonwealth Games in July 2014.

Another highlight for me was the exciting FAST5 Netball World Series in November. It was a huge success and continues to grow from strength to strength. The way the teams and fans embraced the dynamic concept and entered into the spirit of the competition both on and off the court was particularly memorable. The fabulous FAST5 Ferns have grasped this new format and developed a winning formula. They thrilled all present at Vector Arena and around the world with their athleticism and skill in winning the final against Australia in style. Their dancing was great too!

Thank you to our much valued NNZ Life Members who continue to provide insight and wisdom. Sadly, this year saw the passing of NNZ Life Member, former Silver Ferns Manager and Canterbury stalwart Edna Yates.

We also said goodbye to Life Member of Netball Umpires of New Zealand Joyce Ellis, a New Zealand umpire, examiner and Auckland stalwart.

Other Life Members in our Netball community also left us in 2013: Betty Woodhams from Marlborough, Joan Durbin from Auckland and Mollie Milner of Christchurch. All of these women contributed hugely to Netball over many years and will be sadly missed.

Final thanks go to the NNZ Board ably led by hardworking and respected Chair Raewyn Lovett. Their expertise, energy and commitment to the game we love, benefits us all. I look forward to our Netball community continuing to grow and deliver as we work together to build on the foundations laid this year.

"Unity is strength. When there is teamwork and collaboration, wonderful things can be achieved." **- Mattie Stepanek** 

S.J. Wells

Sheryl, Lady Wells Netball New Zealand President

## NETBALL NEW ZEALAND PEOPLE Netball New Zealand Board



#### RAEWYN LOVETT // NNZ Board Chair, High Performance Advisory Group Chair, Board Member TTNL

An Auckland lawyer, Raewyn Lovett specialises in corporate, commercial and employment law for Australasian law firm Duncan Cotterill. She is a partner and past Chair of Duncan Cotterill and is currently a member of the firm's Board. Raewyn has served as an independent Director with several other organisations. She is an appointed member and Chair of the NNZ Board, Chair of the High Performance Advisory Group within NNZ and also chaired the Board of the Trans-Tasman Netball League (TTNL), which owns the ANZ Championship from 2009 to 2013. Most recently Raewyn was appointed Board Chair of Auckland Sport.



#### HILARY POOLE // NNZ Chief Executive

Hilary is in her first year as Chief Executive of NNZ (appointed October 2013). She has vast commercial, leadership and governance experience and has advised some of New Zealand's leading businesses in a range of industry sectors. In 2009, Hilary took on the role of CEO of Hockey New Zealand and the Hockey Foundation – positions she held for four years. Hilary was awarded the 2012 CK Doig Award for excellence in sporting leadership and has previously held senior roles at Bank of New Zealand, and GE Capital. Hilary is on the Boards of both NNZ and Trans-Tasman Netball Ltd (ANZ Championship).



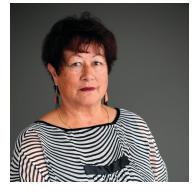
#### JOHN BONGARD // ONZM - Appointed NNZ Board Member

John Bongard is into his fifth year on the NNZ Board, and brings more than 30 years' experience in high-to-executive-level positions within the Fisher & Paykel Group, most recently as Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer before retiring in 2009. John was involved with Netball for more than 13 years through the Fisher & Paykel sponsorship with NNZ before joining the Board. John was awarded an ONZM for services to business in the New Year's Honours List 2010. He is currently on the Board of Meridian Energy, Tourism Holdings Limited, Narta Australia Pty Limited, HJ Asmuss & Co Limited, Chairman of The Rising Foundation and Chairman of South Auckland Partners – BNZ. John is also a Trustee of the Counties Manukau Pacific Trust Board.



#### SHIRLEY HOOPER // Elected NNZ Board Member

Shirley Hooper is the Owner and Director of her own business Mission Marketing, developing marketing strategies and implementing marketing campaigns for a number of different companies. She is an elected member of the NNZ Board since February 2009, is currently a Director of Synchronised Swimming NZ Inc. Netball has woven its way into her life in various guises over many years, she is the Chair of Netball Auckland Waitakere, appointed to the TTNL Board in 2013 and was once a New Zealand-level umpire. Before starting her own company, Shirley held senior marketing roles at then major Netball sponsor Bendon and broadcaster TVNZ, continuing her Netball involvement at a different level as she helped build the sport's profile in the early days of commercialism. Shirley has also been a Director and Chair of both the Auckland Diamonds and the LG Northern Mystics Franchises.



#### CAROLE MADDIX // NNZ Finance and Audit Committee and Board Member

Carole Maddix has been involved in Netball as a player, coach, umpire and administrator. Carole has served on the boards of Netball North Harbour and Netball North and is a Director and shareholder in several family businesses. On the NNZ Finance and Audit Committee since 2006 and for the past five years, Carole has been the NNZ's Oceania Representative and Executive Member for the Oceania Netball Federation.



#### LEE PIPER // NNZ Appointed Board Member

Lee Piper is the General Manager - South Island at The Radio Network and has worked in the radio industry for more than 23 years. Lee has been involved in Netball for more than ten years, firstly as a Board Member of Netball Southland Country and then as an inaugural member of Southern TeamCo. Lee has been an appointed member of the NNZ Board since January 2007 and is also the commercial and business manager of former Olympic cyclist Alison Shanks.



## SURI BARTLETT // NNZ Finance and Audit Committee Chair and Board Member

Based in Wellington, Suri is a chartered accountant and co-Managing Director of Management and Technology Consultants, Tenzing. He was appointed onto the Board of NNZ in 2007 and was a former BearingPoint NZ and KPMG Consulting Managing Director. Suri has worked all over the world including Switzerland, the UK and New Zealand. Suri's main role on the NNZ Board is to serve as Chair of the Finance and Audit Committee.







#### SHERYL, LADY WELLS // NNZ President

Sheryl, Lady Wells has been President of NNZ since 2011, (re-elected in 2013) and takes an ambassadorial role on behalf of the NNZ Board. Sheryl, Lady Wells is a Companion of the New Zealand Order of Merit and has a long history of association with Netball since the 1960's when she played for Auckland. She was an exceptional team manager and managed the Silver Ferns from 1992 to 2004; a highlight of this time was the 2003 World Championship win.

Sheryl, Lady Wells was awarded the Alwyn Moon Memorial Trophy by the Auckland Amateur Sports Association in 1995 for her services and administration to sport and in 2006 became a Life Member of Netball New Zealand.

### NETBALL NEW ZEALAND LIFE MEMBERS

SHERYL, LADY WELLS CNZM - Netball New Zealand President

#### IN ORDER OF BEING MADE LIFE MEMBERS:

Mrs R S McInnes<sup>+</sup> 1932 // Miss M E Armstrong<sup>+</sup> 1949 // Mrs H D Muir<sup>+</sup> 1949 // Mrs E O Schnack<sup>+</sup> 1965 // Miss S E Foster<sup>+</sup> 1966 // Miss M A Mackenzie<sup>+</sup> 1967 // Miss C Vautier<sup>+</sup> 1967 // Mrs E Lane<sup>+</sup> 1968 // Miss E V Bell<sup>+</sup> 1969 // Mrs M S McAughtrie<sup>+</sup> 1969 // Mrs I M Coatsworth<sup>+</sup> 1975 // Edna Yates<sup>+</sup> QSM 1975 // Mrs J C Lodge<sup>+</sup> 1977 // Joyce McCann MBE 1978 // Mrs M Jenden<sup>+</sup> 1981 // Anne Taylor OBE 1987 // Dame Lois Muir DNZM, OBE 1989 // Judy Russell 1991 // Betty Steffensen QSM 1991 // Dawn Jones<sup>\*\*</sup> OBE, NUNZ 1993 // Joyce Ellis<sup>\*+</sup> NUNZ 1994 // Dal Knuckey<sup>\*+</sup> QSM, NUNZ 1994 // Monica Leggat MNZM 1997 // Christine Archer 1999 // Fay Freeman ONZM 2002 // Sheryl Dawson 2003 // Sheryl, Lady Wells CNZM 2006 // Robyn Broughton MNZM 2008 // Taini Jamison OBE 2010 // Marian George 2011 // Kereyn Smith 2012

- \* Life Member NUNZ Only (Netball Umpires of New Zealand)
- \*\* Life Member Netball New Zealand and NUN.
- + Previously Awarded Life Member (now decease



## Netball New Zealand Staff

**Front Row:** Kim Taylor (Publicity Manager), Kerry Manders (Media & Communications Director), Courtney MacDonald (FAST5 Event Co-ordinator), Beth Robinson (Executive Services Manager), Millie McNie (National Squads Co-ordinator), Noeline Scott (CoachForce South), Kate Agnew (Operations Director), Esther Molloy (Silver Ferns Operations Manager).

**Second Row:** Jennie Wylie (Financial Director), Megan Crockett (National Player Development Manager), Sophia Shortcliffe (Digital Communications Executive), Sian Clancy (NetballSmart Programme Co-ordinator), Jennie Hooper (CoachForce Mainland), Laura Menzies (Community Netball Director), Natalie McGaw (Accounts Assistant).

**Third Row:** Jenifer Hunt (Commercial & Sponsorship Director), Dianne McTigue (Umpire Development Manager), Lynette Grace (High Performance Director), Dale Atkinson (CoachForce Waikato Bay of Plenty), Hayley Smith (Events Administrator), Eden Dellow (Junior Designer), Adrienne Morrin (Community Coaching Manager), Marcia Bennett (Community Netball Administrator).

**Fourth Row:** Chris Tennant (Events Manager), Lindsay Filiata (CoachForce Central), Nicola Jones (Junior Development Manager), Lynne Paynter (Acting Financial Director), Sara Farr (Events Manager), Anna Mardon (Marketing & Sponsorship Executive), Hilary Poole (Chief Executive), Sophie Wardorp (Acting Marketing & Events Director).

**ABSENT:** Waimarama Taumaunu (Silver Ferns Coach), Robin Manihera (CoachForce Northern), Rachel Barr (Marketing & Events Director).



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## NETBALL ZONE OVERVIEW



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## ZONE OVERVIEW

Imost four years ago, Netball New Zealand started a strategic review of Netball in New Zealand including an independent evaluation from Sport New Zealand and an internal NNZ review.

After also consulting the wider Netball family, the recommendation was to consolidate the existing 12 regions and their boards and five ANZ Championship teams and their boards, into Zones.

In late 2012 the restructure was completed and there are now five Netball Zones

\* The dots represent the centres within each zone.

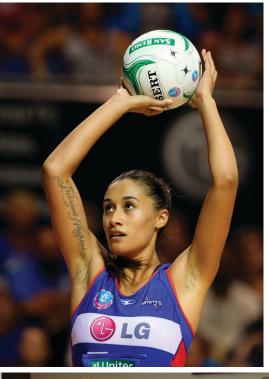
throughout New Zealand, each with a CEO and a single Board. Each Zone is responsible for all Netball from grassroots through to the High Performance ANZ Championship teams.

Overall governance of the five Zones comes from Netball New Zealand.

There are 85 Netball Centres around New Zealand, each affiliated to the Zone structure.

Some of the largest Netball Centres in New Zealand organise and host hundreds of Netball teams each week.

## **NETBALL** NORTHERN ZONE





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t's been a very busy and challenging year at Netball Northern Zone and I'm delighted with our steady progress. We finalised our branding, collective goals and strategic plans early in the

year and all have been established to ensure the ongoing support and pathways for the sport we love, from grassroots right through to elite Netball.

We have the privilege of working with 17 Netball Centres from all over the north of the North Island and we are continually aiming to add value and be supportive of what is happening in all of those Centres from umpiring and technical officials to player and coach development.

Our High Performance team Northern Mystics had a bumpy ride in the 2013 ANZ Championship, and we are determined to learn from the experience and come back better prepared and full of enthusiasm in 2014 under the watchful eye of coach Debbie Fuller (returning after a year's sabbatical) and new assistant coach Helene Wilson. Our crowd attendance numbers were strong across the season so we know the support for the Northern Zone and the LG Northern Mystics remains high.

Our Netball Northern Age Group teams performed exceptionally well over the 2013 season and I'd like to make special mention of Auckland winning the Under 19s with North Harbour finishing third, and the Under 17s where Auckland recorded second and third placings at the Hawke's Bay Regional Sports Park in July.

Many thanks for your support,

Julie Paterson CEO Netball Northern Zone

### NETBALL NORTHERN ZONE STAFF

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- Counties Manukau Tania Heap

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## NORTHERN ZONE NETBALL CENTRES

Auckland Bay of Islands Hibiscus Coast Howick/Pakuranga Kaipara Kerikeri Mangere/Otahuhu Mangonui Manurewa North Harbour Northern Wairoa Papakura Pukekohe Rodney Waitakere Waiuku Whangarei

## NETBALL WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY ZONE

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Participation and enjoyment are key factors in any sport and, at Netball Waikato Bay of Plenty Zone, we are delighted to be offering the best opportunities and experiences to people across all

levels of Netball including players, coaches, administrators and volunteers.

We've focused on bringing the former regions together and initiating new directions for all participants. This has included moulding the realities of the semi-professional side of the sport to the more social side and everything in between.

Our Netball Zone covers a diverse range of people and communities, and includes thousands of netballers across all levels. Our priority this year has been to identify the important needs for all of these communities with a view to future direction and growth.

Netball has continued to build an exemplary reputation over the years and is firmly entrenched in the New Zealand sports psyche. It produces outstanding role models and leaders at the other end.

With their breakthrough win in the ANZ Championship in 2012, Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic has provided the dynamism on which to build a productive, enterprising and successful Netball Zone across all levels. We were the only New Zealand side to make the ANZ Championship Finals Series in 2013 and we look forward to an equally successful season next year with new coaching duo of Julie Fitzgerald and Margaret Forsyth at the helm.

Encompassing a total of 26 Netball Centres all over the Waikato, Bay of Plenty and Gisborne, the Netball Waikato Bay of Plenty Zone continues to grow from strength to strength as we are looking forward to an exciting 2014 Netball season.

Tim Hamilton CEO Netball Waikato Bay of Plenty Zone

## NETBALL WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY ZONE STAFF

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## WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY ZONE NETBALL CENTRES

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## netball CENTRAL ZONE











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etball Central Zone has made a promising start in its inaugural year and we have already seen some benefits from the new structure with our lead Centres both at the grassroots and representative levels.

The Zone has had a record number of players (19 out of the national total of 60) and two umpires selected to take part in this year's National Netball Development Camp in Hamilton.

The Haier Pulse had a strong season in the ANZ Championship, finishing fifth and the players and management are working hard in search of yet more success in 2014. Next season has already begun in earnest, with the sell-out of Haier Pulse memberships and the signing of an exciting line-up of players who provide a wealth of depth, experience and ambition.

The induction of the NZ Age Group Netball Championships U23 has been encouraging and we are looking forward to seeing new Zonegrown talent emerging from this competition to play in the ANZ Championship over the next few years.

Hawke's Bay and Wellington were part of the successful Junior Netball Pilot and we are thrilled about the opportunity to roll out the programme Zone-wide over the next 12 months and seeing the game become far more accessible to our younger players.

Carolyn Young CEO Netball Central Zone

### NETBALL CENTRAL ZONE STAFF

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## **NETBALL** MAINLAND ZONE







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hen it comes to sport, we believe there are no people more passionate in New Zealand than are 'Mainlanders'. Whatever the sport, we're talking about it, playing it and organising it, and Netball is no exception.

Our tradition in the sport is strong, stretching back decades and intertwined in our communities.

We've developed some of the best talent in the land and a base of Netball fans who know the game: the rules, the skills, the players and the dedication they put in.

Netball Mainland Zone has 18 affiliated Netball Centres spread across the Nelson, Marlborough, West Coast and Canterbury (as far south as the Waitaki River) regions. Christchurch Netball Centre is the largest within Netball Mainland's Zone.

We have responsibility for the support and delivery of Netball encompassing community through to representative level, leading the development of players (22,000 approximately), coaches, umpires, administrators, volunteers and bench officials across these levels.

The EasiYo Tactix team is the 'shop window' for the 'Mainland', playing in one of the toughest Netball competitions in the world, the ANZ Championship. One of our goals is to develop our own home-grown talent, providing a pathway and opportunities for high performance athletes to achieve at the highest levels.

The Netball Mainland logo has special significance in that it reflects the merging of two regions, Canterbury and Tasman. The two koru symbolise growth, strength and unity. The geographical diversity of the Netball Zone can be seen in the symbols of the mountains, Canterbury Plains and the ocean depicted in our logo.

At Netball Mainland, we are committed to growing and developing Netball and working collaboratively with key stakeholders in our Zone to ensure positive outcomes and participation opportunities are available for all.

Brigit Hearn CEO Netball Mainland

## NETBALL MAINLAND ZONE STAFF

#### **CEO** Brigit Hearn

High Performance Manager/EasiYo Tactix Head Coach Leigh Gibbs

EasiYo Tactix Assistant Coach Julie Seymour EasiYo Tactix Team Manager/Office Manager Leanne Harris

Marketing and Events Manager Clare McAlpine Community Netball Manager Sue Harris Youth Development Officer Amy Eckersley Emerging Talent Coordinator Crystal Pratt

## NETBALL MAINLAND ZONE BOARD

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### MAINLAND ZONE NETBALL CENTRES

Buller Christchurch Geraldine Golden Bay Hokitika Hurunui Kaikoura Malvern Marlborough Mid Canterbury Motueka Nelson North Canterbury Selwyn South Canterbury Temuka Waimate West Coast

## NETBALL SOUTH ZONE











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**S** port undoubtedly plays a major role in the Kiwi psyche – it has the power to shape who we are from an early age. It teaches us valuable attributes which we take through life.

Netball is part of our DNA – as a Zone, we have a proud history of success and innovation both on and off the court.

Netball South has been tasked with continuing the evolution of our sport following the adoption of a Zone-based structure by Netball New Zealand. It's an exciting transition which we have eagerly embraced, uniting two proud netballing provinces into a strong and determined regional body.

Establishing a new entity has not been without its challenges and I commend the commitment shown by our Board, staff, each of our ten Centres and the wider Netball fraternity.

The dedication of our volunteer base at both Centre and club level plays an integral role in our success. The volunteers are the reason for our very existence and we are thankful for their continued support.

As an organisation, Netball South epitomises the traits of our Southern region – proud, innovative and determined to punch above our weight.

Our approach is all-encompassing from the grassroots game to the elite ranks of the Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel which proudly represents our community on the international stage, competing in the world's toughest Netball league, the ANZ Championship.

Regardless of whether you're playing on your local community courts or in an international arena, it's important to remember:

"Somewhere behind the athlete you have become, the hours of practice and the coaches that pushed you, there is a little girl who fell in love with the game and never looked back. Play for her." - Mia Hamm

Sue Clarke CEO Netball South Zone

## NETBALL SOUTH ZONE STAFF

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Netball Development Officer (Southland) Tracy Simpson

Netball Development Officer (Otago) Brooke Morshuis

Netball Development Officer (Central Otago) Olivia Bates

### NETBALL SOUTH ZONE BOARD

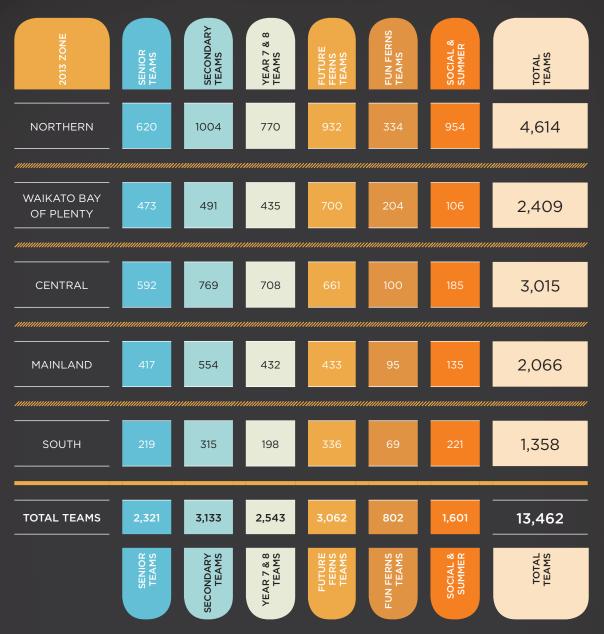
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### SOUTH ZONE NETBALL CENTRES

Central Otago Central Southland Dunedin Eastern Southland Invercargill Menzies North Otago South Otago Upper Clutha Wakatipu



## NETBALL NEW ZEALAND MEMBERSHIP



## UMPIRE, BENCH OFFICIAL AND COACH NUMBERS 2013

UMPIRES	Centre Regional New Zealand	1,196 337 148
	TOTAL	1,681
BENCH OFFICIALS	Cadet Regional National TOTAL	41 48 104 193
COACHES	TOTAL	10,760

NETBALL NEW ZEALAND



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he strong bond created during its sixyear partnership has helped elite sponsor New World become part and parcel of the Netball landscape. The fully New Zealandowned-and-operated supermarket chain showcased its extensive involvement across a range of Netball teams and events again in 2013.

New World's support continues to offer a host of benefits for Netball in general while also enabling members of the public to have a more personal experience through in-store promotions. Netball and the Silver Ferns featured prominently at New World supermarkets over the international season where staff and loyal shoppers enjoyed interacting with a variety of the players.

New World gave its shoppers plenty of chances to win with Netball, from tossing the coin at the start of a test match and delivering the ball for the centre pass at half-time, to winning tickets to the games. Once at the match, the lucky fans had the chance to win up to \$1,000 in New World Gift Vouchers by participating in New World's half-time match competition - 'Shoot for your Shop'.

New World's commitment in 2013 included the Silver Ferns' international matches – the New World Netball Series for the Constellation Cup against Australia and the New World Netball Series for the Taini Jamison Trophy against the popular Malawi Queens – and national age group representative teams, involving NZU21, NZU19 and NZ Secondary Schools.

New World is also the Official Sponsor of the FAST5 Ferns; the New Zealand team captivated the public in the shortened version of the game when successfully defending its FAST5 Netball World Series title in Auckland in 2013.

New World's active involvement spans all levels of Netball, from the grassroots to international level, often embracing the wider community which, in 2013, included the following:

#### VOLUNTEER AWARDS

New World continued its strong support of the volunteers, a selfless band of people who work tirelessly behind the scenes for Netball, by once again sponsoring the annual Volunteer of the Year Awards. These are run across four categories and the 2013 winners were: ADMINISTRATION AWARD Danielle Eckersley OFFICIAL AWARD Lina Atkins COACH AWARD Rachel Stead YOUTH AWARD Michaela Baker

New World provided the winners with a unique test match experience; each winner was formally acknowledged at a test match function.

#### WORLD YOUTH NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2013

New Zealand won gold at the World Youth Netball Championships in Scotland and, to congratulate them for their fantastic achievement, gifts were sent to each individual player from the New World team.

#### SILVER FERNS' STORE VISITS

There were special appearances by a selection of Silver Ferns at New World stores in every city where a test match was played during the 2013 international season.

These visits are a real hit with the public: the Silver Ferns mingling with the shoppers, having their photos taken and signing autographs while also rolling up their sleeves and helping out with packing groceries.

#### CORPORATE SUPPORT

Netball New Zealand would like to formally acknowledge New World and our extended family of sponsors and suppliers for the invaluable assistance they have provided over the past year.

This ongoing support is a key element in the future growth of Netball in New Zealand and helps reinforce the positive brand values that Netball and the Silver Ferns represent, and their place in New Zealand society.

We offer a warm thank-you to our loyal group of sponsor partners whose support continues to keep Netball in strong heart through the quality of their brands and support personnel.



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#### FISHER & PAYKEL

In recognition of the legacy it has forged with Netball, long-time Silver Ferns sponsor Fisher & Paykel continued to showcase the innovative flair for which its whiteware products have become famous, during the 2013 international season.

In acknowledging its 17-year association with the Silver Ferns, Fisher & Paykel looked back over that time with a promotion titled – 'Fisher & Paykel and the Silver Ferns since 1996, Great games, Great players, Great moments'.

The promotional campaign featured the emotional bond between the fans, the game and the product and offered a number of chances to win a variety of prizes in stores, at games and online.

Memorable footage looking back over the past 17 years provided the inspiration for one competition where fans were invited to submit their greatest memories of the Silver Ferns from the past 17 years.

Other initiatives included the Netball Pass competition, which involved a strong Fisher & Paykel presence at the international matches and featured online where a range of instant prizes and discounted merchandise was on offer.

In what proved to be a popular initiative, Netball fans also had the opportunity to win a VIP cooking experience with four Silver Ferns.

#### CANTERBURY OF NEW ZEALAND

Canterbury of New Zealand, the Official Apparel Provider to Netball New Zealand since 2012, showed all of its innovative and fashionable qualities when producing a new and classy playing strip for the FAST5 Ferns this year.

Canterbury of New Zealand is well known for its garments with state-of-the-art features and its use of the latest technological components in the manufacture of its high performance and elite clothing. As such, Canterbury was able to incorporate the style and comfort needed for the fast-paced, high-octane nature of FAST5 Netball while also taking in the flamboyant side with its subtle use of hot pink mixed with the traditional black. It proved a winner all round.

Supporters of FAST5 Netball World Series, Canterbury of New Zealand ran a competition where children could design their own team kit, the winner secured a free Netball kit for their team.

Canterbury of New Zealand also launched a new Silver Ferns supporters' apparel range during 2013, updating last year's popular items of polos, T-shirts, hoodies and track pants all with the distinctive Silver Ferns graphics.

#### HOLDEN

Holden continued its comprehensive support of Netball in 2013. Retaining its commitment as Official Vehicle Provider to NNZ and the Silver Ferns, Holden also became an official Netball sponsor of the FAST5 Netball World Series in 2013.

Holden ran successful fan-engagement activities at Vector Arena, showcasing its new model Trax, with a social media campaign during the FAST5 event in Auckland.

Into its sixth year as Official Vehicle Provider, Holden continued to generously supply senior Silver Ferns players and management with vehicles from its latest range this year.

Holden also continued its long involvement with the ANZ Championship as the New Zealand Vehicle Sponsor.

#### ANZ

ANZ is the Official Bank of NNZ and principal partner of the trans-Tasman competition, the ANZ Championship.

ANZ has an active involvement and strong engagement with the Netball community throughout the ANZ Championship,













highlighted by a variety of communityfocused initiatives. These campaigns have included Community Road Shows run during the season, a generous Community Grants Scheme where the Netball community can apply for financial assistance for a variety of projects and a Future Captains programme which targets young netballers.

Many smaller communities and schools have benefited from much-needed equipment and playing gear through these ANZ initiatives which are greatly appreciated.

#### HOUSE OF TRAVEL

House of Travel joined as a partner of Netball New Zealand in 2013 as the Official Travel Sponsor of NNZ and the Silver Ferns.

House of Travel conducted a photo shoot and recordings of the Silver Ferns which it used as part of its 'How Kiwis see the World' campaign, highlighting where the Silver Ferns liked to travel to most and why. This was hosted in the company's social media space and tied into their overall campaign.

House of Travel created travel packages for the FAST5 Netball World Series event in Auckland this year.

#### PITA PIT

A new sponsor in 2013, Pita Pit is the Official Nutrition Partner of Netball New Zealand and the Silver Ferns.

Taking on the responsibility of feeding an appreciative Silver Ferns team and NNZ staff when they were on the road during this year's test match season, Pita Pit engaged in some strong social media campaigns at the time.

The Pita Pit message is all about a healthy and quick service of their nutritious meals based around the famous pita bread parcel which offers quality filling alternatives and, most importantly, receives the seal of approval from the Silver Ferns' nutritionist.

#### SKY SPORT

Highly valued media partner SKY Sport continues to forge new ground for Netball with its quality coverage of the sport. Two years ago, NNZ and SKY cemented the largest commercial deal ever for a woman's sport in New Zealand and that has taken Netball to new and widespread audiences.

As a huge supporter of Netball, SKY Sport's coverage is comprehensive and 2013 proved to be no different.

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All matches across the 17-week ANZ Championship were broadcast live along with all Silver Ferns test matches throughout the season both in New Zealand and Australia. The FAST5 Netball World Series was broadcast also with

SKY Sport also provided highlights of the Lion Foundation Netball Champs and continued to run the popular weekly Netball magazine-style show, Netball Zone.

live coverage of 20 matches across three days.

SKY Television's free-to-air partner Prime TV provided test match replays and selected ANZ Championship game highlights.

#### THE RADIO NETWORK

The Radio Network (TRN) is Netball New Zealand's Official Radio Broadcasting partner across the Silver Ferns, ANZ Championship and FAST5 Netball World Series events.

The key station actively involved with all aspects of Netball is Classic Hits, a visible and contributing presence at all the major events. Classic Hits assists with the promotion of events, runs competitions, provides live commentaries and is responsible for generally ensuring that Netball has a strong profile on the airwaves, including Radio Sport and other TRN stations where interviews with players, coaches and other Netball personalities feature regularly.

#### YAHOO! NEW ZEALAND

Major internet player Yahoo! New Zealand is the key website supporter and sponsor of the Silver Ferns and FAST5.

As the Official Web Services Provider, Yahoo! hosts and delivers the content of the FAST5 Netball World Series, ensuring comprehensive coverage from the 2013 event including match reports as well as key stories on the personalities and talking points in the lead-up to, and throughout, the action-packed three days.

Actively involved at the event, Yahoo! also ran fun promotions for the crowd at Vector Arena where a variety of prizes were on offer.

#### TRIUMPH INTERNATIONAL

Triumph is the Official Sports Bra of the Silver Ferns through its Triaction range, ensuring the players are suitably kitted out. Members of the Silver Ferns actively endorsed the product with a number of store visits during the test match season.

#### **FAST5 NETBALL** WORLD SERIES

We would like to acknowledge Barfoot & Thompson, KPMG and new partner Trilogy for their fantastic support of the second year of the FAST5 Netball World Series staged in Auckland in November. All made significant contributions to the success of this evolving event.

#### ANZ CHAMPIONSHIP

New sponsors in 2013, Kent Wood Fires and Heating supported the New Zealand teams involved in the ANZ Championship under the tagline of Creating New Zealand's Home Advantage.

Intergen continued its support as the Official Umpire Sponsor of the ANZ Championship in 2013.



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etball New Zealand (NNZ) has been working closely with our numberone strategic partners Sport New Zealand (Sport NZ) and High Performance Sport New Zealand (HPSNZ) successfully for a number of years.

Sport NZ is the government organisation responsible for sport and recreation and retains overall responsibility in this area while HPSNZ leads high performance sport in this country.

The considerable investment Sport NZ allocates to NNZ is vital to help continue the development of all Netball throughout New Zealand from grassroots Netball in our communities right through to our elite athletes competing in world-class international competitions.

This injection of funding and support from Sport NZ enables the emphasis to remain on developing talent and ensuring that each player has the opportunity to reach their potential.

HPSNZ's vision is 'More New Zealanders winning on the world stage', and it assists national sport organisations, coaches and athletes to perform at their optimum. HPSNZ offers support to NNZ's elite athletes by providing important and comprehensive services and facilities through a holistic approach which covers all aspects of a player's career both on and off the court. Over the years, NNZ's top netballers have been able to access the best sport science and medical services available in New Zealand from HPSNZ and accredited providers in the regions.

Elite athletes often struggle to juggle a financially sustainable sporting career, so HPSNZ this year offered many of our elite netballers financial support through Performance Enhancement Grants (PEGs) and/or Prime Minister's Scholarships. Administered by HPSNZ, these important contributions help the athletes to focus on training by helping with their living and study costs.

NNZ would like to acknowledge the unswerving support from Sport NZ Relationship Manager Paul Heron whose expert advice and guidance in the areas of high performance and Netball in our communities is invaluable to NNZ.

Other Sport NZ and HPSNZ staff cannot be passed over without a mention.

From a community perspective, NNZ would like to make special mention of Rodger Thompson whose continued support of Netball has been excellent, and Byron Thomas, who has been working closely with NNZ's High Performance team.

Tristan Collins deserves accolades for his work with the High Performance Coaching Development programme, with Eddie Kohlhase continuing to work with our coaches in his role as High Performance coaching consultant. Andrew Eade has been instrumental in providing valuable insight and support in the Community Netball space. Vanessa Paun, too, provided excellent support to NNZ's Talent Development and Identification programmes, prior to her move overseas, and work in this area has continued with the help of Adrian Blincoe. Tracey Paterson's role as Sport Performance Manager and Chris Morrison's work with the leadership programme for high performance directors have also been greatly valued.

As a high-profile, high-participation sport, Netball (and NNZ) is in the enviable position of being a targeted sport at both high performance and community level and we are extremely grateful to the teams at Sport NZ and HPSNZ who continually provide top-level expertise and experience in sport management to aid Netball. We look forward to continuing these vitally important relationships with Sport NZ and HPSNZ as Netball continues to develop and progress.



# **COMMUNITY** NETBALL



### COMMUNITY NETBALL

he key focus for Community Netball initiatives in 2013 centred on the restructure of Netball in New Zealand into Zones; this was highlighted by a partnership approach.

Netball New Zealand set out in 2013 to redevelop a National Community Netball Game Plan, which reflected the change in structure and is designed to be one plan that all levels of the game can feed into and support.

NNZ is continuing its intent to build on the foundations of growing the game at community level in close alliance with Sport New Zealand and its aim of the "whole sport approach" which encompasses all levels from grassroots through to high performance.

The five new Zones now forming a constant base for Netball in New Zealand with five Community Netball Managers, who work in close partnership with their respective Netball Centres, and are all well supported by Regional Sports Trusts. Reflecting the new structure, the development of the National Community Netball Game Plan, consists of one plan for the entire Netball community across the whole of New Zealand.

Following that process, Community Netball has identified the need to focus on four priority areas in the next three years (2014-16): Netball Centres, junior Netball, secondary school and young adults.

In one of the major initiatives this year, a Community Netball Development Forum was held. Forty development officers from around the country were included for the three-day forum in a bid to build depth in supporting greater alignment and delivery of the programmes while also increasing the support network around the country and making sure the development officers were fully up to date and trained around the key priorities.

During 2013, the junior Netball programmes, have been revamped and a pilot programme rolled out which included 14 Netball Centres and 1,600 children along with hundreds of

NETBALL NEW ZEALAND ANNUAL REPORT 2013 coaches and helpers. With 45 per cent of players in this group, it is a crucial area for Netball.

The aims of the junior programme have centred on modifying Netball to meet the needs of the children, having a consistent national programme and increasing the skills of players as well as the support for the coaches and umpires who work in this area.

To highlight the proposed changes to junior Netball, presentations were made at all Zone forums to share the information about the new programme with a 2014 national roll-out planned.

Other key initiatives this year have been the hosting of a number of coach and umpire workshops; with the aim to enhance their game understanding through working with each other.

The Netball New Zealand Community Netball team put together an Outreach programme taking NNZ to some more rural and remote areas of the country which included Kerikeri, North Otago and Hawke's Bay Netball Centres. The workshops, which proved overwhelmingly popular, included a selection of personnel from Centres and offered plenty of scope across the different aspects of coaching, umpiring and NetballSmart.

Following the positive response, the programme will be repeated next year and will be expanded to five new Centres.

In conjunction with the FAST5 Netball World Series, a FAST5 workshop was also hosted which involved a series of guest speakers focusing on supporting coaches and umpires and the need to work together.

With the coaching and assessed development component of umpires restructured last year, 2013 heralded the introduction of official training and accreditation processes for the umpire coaches and assessors.

This resulted in over 450 umpire coaches and assessors attending the new Introduction to Umpire Coaching or Level 1 Umpire Coaching workshops in 2013 which was a fantastic response. Umpire coaches and assessors have been appointed throughout the country at Centre, Zone and New Zealand level with the aim to more effectively support the development of umpires.

#### UMPIRE THEORY PANEL

Zone Examination Moderator Kelly Herbert New Zealand Examination Moderator Mandy Nottingham Examiners and New Zealand Markers Anne Blomfield, Jono Bredin Marker Alison Cormack

#### NEW ZEALAND UMPIRE DEVELOPMENT GROUP NORTHERN

Elaine Curtis (Support), Raewyn Ronaldson, Debbie Shoebridge, Jan Skilton

WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY Pam Clayton, Jan Teesdale

**CENTRAL** Anne Blomfield (Support), Linda Liggins

MAINLAND Anne Marie Leech, Maree Smith (Cadet), Sheena Tyrrell

**SOUTH** Colleen Bond, Jono Bredin, Marise Stuart (Support)



# COACHFORCE NZCT



# COACHFORCE

orking under Netball New Zealand's umbrella, the CoachForce team is responsible for the continued development of coaches throughout the country and supporting the Coach Development Framework. From a national level, CoachForce is tasked with linking into national opportunities and at a local level, it is about being the leader of coach development in each Zone.

The CoachForce programme welcomed two new faces in 2013; Dale Atkinson (Waikato Bay of Plenty Zone) and Jennie Hooper (Mainland Zone). Robin Manihera moved from Waikato Bay of Plenty to Northern Zone while Lindsay Filiata (Central Zone) and Noeline Scott (South Zone) remained in the same positions.

The 2013 CoachForce national road show highlighted 'Middies on the Move' delivered by Helen Mahon Stroud. This proved exceptionally popular and prompted three further workshops around the country to meet the demand.

This years national initiatives included the Apprentice Coach Programme at Lion

Foundation Netball Champs. This was an intensive opportunity for coaches wanting to advance their skills and knowledge to take on representative roles at this level in the future.

Observer coach opportunities were once again held at NZU21 and NZSS competitions as well as Silver Ferns trainings.

Introduced in 2011, the Community Coach Award has continued to attract growing numbers. On a very positive note 333 coaches are now Community Coach Award holders and this is an encouraging sign looking ahead.

The Performance Coach Award was fully introduced in 2013 and now boosts 62 coaches. The focus for 2014 is to offer new advanced modules to support coaches in the area.

Developing the junior ranks has been a key area and the focus for 2014 will be delivering the junior coaching workshops to complement the roll-out of the new junior Netball programme and further enhancing the online coaching resources.



From left to right: Jennie Hooper (CoachForce Mainland), Dale Atkinson (CoachForce Waikato Bay of Plenty), Noeline Scott (CoachForce South), Adrienne Morrin (Community Coaching Manager), Lindsay Filiata (CoachForce Central), Robin Manihera (CoachForce Northern)

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**Netball**Smart



# NETBALLSMART

he NetballSmart programme continues to be a huge success and in 2013, ascended to new heights, building on the efforts of previous years with the invaluable contribution of ACC.

In 2013, thousands of netballers around New Zealand have benefited from NetballSmart with the programme in demand across all five Netball Zones.

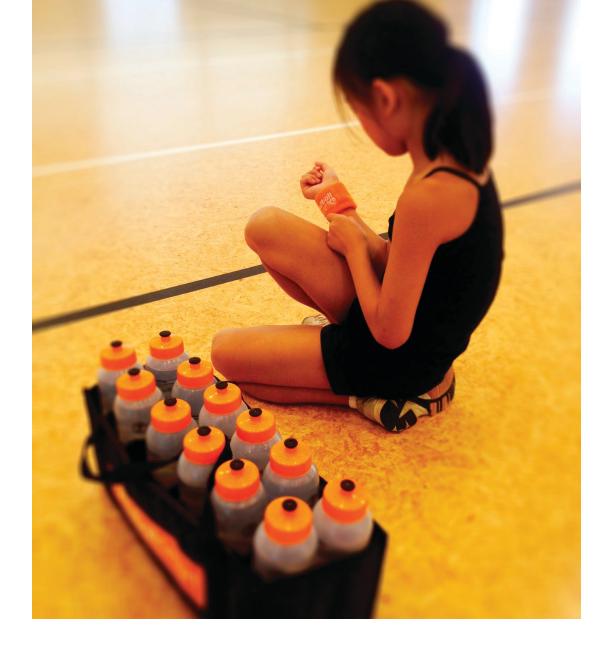
The programme objectives remain clear with emphasis on performance enhancement and injury prevention, supported by coach, player and umpire resource development and distribution, increased 'NetballSmart' visibility at regional and Netball New Zealand events and increased time spent within various Netball communities throughout New Zealand.

There was a significant increase in the number of workshops and presentations held throughout the country with more than 16,000 NetballSmart resources distributed nationwide. To enable Sian Clancy, NetballSmart Programme Manager, to meet the greater demand for sessions, a network of NetballSmart facilitators were recruited resulting in positive outcomes.

Workshops and sessions were based on enhancing performance and injury prevention for umpires, players and their coaches. Education sessions, workshops and resources for these communities were provided to support the practical application of NetballSmart principles.

NetballSmart merged with Netball New Zealand's MyNetball website this year allowing viewers to download all NetballSmart resources free of charge for the first time. Included in the available resources was the NetballSmart DVD which was filmed early in the year and provides visual demonstrations





on the different phases of warm-up and cooldown best practices.

Schools were exposed to NetballSmart in a unique way in November with the FAST5 School Engagement Programme, Netball New Zealand initiatives such as the Outreach Programme and the development of the junior Netball programme which is due to launch in 2014.

Another success in 2013 was the nationwide distribution of NetballSmart injury-reporting forms to support the injury-reporting practices used in Netball Centres throughout the country. These help collect invaluable data on injuries which supports research projects and further NetballSmart programme developments.

Some time was spent implementing and conducting an ongoing research project in collaboration with AUT University of Technology, focusing on MCS (Movement Competency Screening) in secondary school netballers. The brief was: to undertake an observational study of secondary school netballers to quantify: (i) prevalence of overuse knee and ankle problems; (ii) movement competency; (iii) landing patterns; (iv) maximum power/ jump height; and (v) demands of match-day performance.

Data was collected at both the Upper North Island Secondary Schools and New Zealand Secondary Schools Netball Championships in the latter part of the year. Performance analysis measures were collected during the games and at the tournament venue for additional anthropometric and movement screening tasks. The players were also asked to complete a questionnaire about their histories of injuries.

This longitudinal study's initial results are due in early 2014 with continued data collection and analysis to follow.

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# NATIONAL SQUADS







#### SILVER FERNS SQUAD 2013/14

Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Katarina Cooper Kayla Cullen Shannon Francois Joline Henry Katrina Grant Casey Kopua Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Camilla Lees Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### SILVER FERNS MANAGEMENT AND SUPPORT TEAM 2013

HEAD COACH Waimarama Taumaunu ASSISTANT COACH Vicki Wilson **OPERATIONS MANAGER** Esther Molloy PHYSIOTHERAPISTS Sharon Kearney, Marion Meates MEDICAL DIRECTOR/NEW ZEALAND SQUAD DOCTOR Dr Mark Fulcher TOURING DOCTOR Dr Sarah Beable PERFORMANCE ANALYST Dr Bobby Willcox ATHLETE LIFE ADVISOR AND SUPPORT PERFORMANCE **MANAGER** Tracey Paterson STRENGTH AND CONDITIONER Stephen Hotter PHYSIOLOGIST Stephen Hill-Haas NUTRITIONIST Tracy Kirkcaldy MENTAL SKILLS PROVIDER Dr Kylie Wilson POWER SCIENTIST Prof. Mike McGuigan

#### NATIONAL ACCELERANT SQUAD

Ellen Halpenny Phoenix Karaka Nadia Loveday Malia Paseka Grace Rasmussen Rachel Rasmussen Te Paea Selby-Rickit Zoe Walker Jane Watson

#### **NZU21 SQUAD** 2013

Tera Maria Amani Jessica Bourke Sophia Fenwick Elizabeth Hayman Gemma Hazeldine **Kirsten Hurley** Phoenix Karaka Brooke Leaver Nadia Lovedav Nicola Mackle Malia Paseka Erikana Pedersen **Stacey Peeters** Storm Purvis Te Paea Selby-Rickit Elisapeta Toeava Sulu Tone-Fitzpatrick Zoe Walker

#### NZU21 MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Janine Southby ASSISTANT COACH Adrienne Morrin MANAGER Dee Leggat PHYSIOTHERAPIST Jen Ferguson

#### FAST5 FERNS 2013

Katarina Cooper Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Casey Kopua Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia

#### FAST5 FERNS MANAGEMENT TEAM 2013

HEAD COACH Janine Southby ASSISTANT COACH Julie Seymour MANAGER Dee Leggat PHYSIOTHERAPIST Marion Meates

#### NATIONAL SELECTORS 2013

Margaret Forsyth - Stepped down to Emerging Talent Selector in August. Raewyn Henry Jo Morrison Gael Nagaiya - Conveyor of selectors Waimarama Taumaunu

#### EMERGING TALENT SELECTORS 2013

Marianne Delaney Leigh Gibbs Adrianne Hayes Adrienne Morrin Gael Nagaiya Janine Southby Judy Weston

#### EMERGING TALENT SUPPORT SELECTORS 2013 Charissa Barham

Julie Seymour



## HIGH PERFORMANCE

#### S upport received from Sport New Zealand and High Performance Sport New Zealand, remains the cornerstone of Netball's performance at the top end of the playing scale.

Netball New Zealand could not do without the significant personnel and financial support it receives from both areas of Sport New Zealand.

Netball enjoys a strong partnership with its Sport NZ Relationship Manager Paul Heron who has been a key figure in the successful progress achieved with HPSNZ. Paul is one of many from Sport NZ and HPSNZ who have made a valuable contribution with their expertise and encouragement which NNZ gratefully acknowledges.

As part of the wider support team, HPSNZ Performance Consultant Byron Thomas has been significant with his support, advice and guidance to our NNZ High Performance personnel.

With a mantra of 'Building the Base' in 2012, Silver Ferns coach Waimarama Taumaunu turned her attention to 'Building the Belief' in 2013 with the ultimate goal being back-to-back successes in 2014 (Commonwealth Games) and 2015 (World Cup).

The High Performance programme had great pleasure in welcoming legendary Australian shooter Vicki Wilson to the fold this year as Silver Ferns Assistant Coach.

It was fantastic to secure a full-time assistant coach of Vicki's calibre: an Australian coming into a New Zealand environment, she has fitted in seamlessly. The players have all responded positively to her and have great respect for her knowledge and expereience. Rivals in their playing days, Waimarama and Vicki complement each other perfectly in the coaching environment. Each has a strong belief in the other's abilities as a coach and this has a strong flow-on effect throughout the entire high performance group.

There has been a strong focus on mental and physical skills and the results have been encouraging. The players have all done well to hit their individual targets; however there remains further challenges to meet.

There were a number of high performance personnel who received Prime Minister's Scholarships in 2013. The scholarships play a pivotal role in helping candidates enhance their personal development while ensuring the programme is receiving the best services from the best people.

Silver Ferns captain Casey Kopua, who has faced a number of injuries in recent years was able to play through a full international campaign (five tests against Australia, three tests against Malawi and the FAST5 Netball World Series) at full fitness.

A positive outcome of the Australian campaign, was the opportunity to give a number of lessexperienced players court time in the pressured environment of international Netball. With a number of players unavailable for the series for a variety of reasons, the Silver Ferns were challenged in a few areas but emerged with options and greater depth.

The Silver Ferns completed a strong 3-0 sweep against Malawi where the coaching staff explored different playing options while exposing new players to the international environment as they looked to deliver a



complete performance against the world's fifth-ranked team.

For the FAST5 Ferns, it was a great achievement to win back-to-back FAST5 Netball World Series titles to finish the season on a high. The players thrived in the fasterflowing, version of the game where the pressure is no less intense but an energetic, entertaining environment.

The only change to the Silver Ferns support staff for 2013 was the addition of medical director Dr Mark Fulcher, who joined a stable and strong core of experts as the driving force behind the team.

Special thanks go to this hard-working group of specialists who continue to lift the team to new levels of excellence.

#### SILVER FERNS MANAGEMENT AND SUPPORT TEAM 2013:

**HEAD COACH** Waimarama Taumaunu

ASSISTANT COACH Vicki Wilson

**OPERATIONS MANAGER** Esther Molloy

PERFORMANCE ANALYST Dr Bobby Willcox

PHYSIOTHERAPIST Sharon Kearney

POWER SCIENTIST Prof. Mike McGuigan

ATHLETE LIFE ADVISOR AND SUPPORT PERFORMANCE MANAGER Tracey Paterson

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TOURING DOCTOR Dr Sarah Beable

MEDICAL DIRECTOR/NEW ZEALAND SQUAD DOCTOR Dr Mark Fulcher

MENTAL SKILLS PROVIDER Dr Kylie Wilson

NUTRITIONIST Tracy Kirkcaldy

PHYSIOLOGIST Stephen Hill-Haas

The NZU21 team ticked all the boxes with their massive achievement in winning the 2013 World Youth Netball Championships in Scotland. The young New Zealand team produced an outstanding effort in the final to fend off a confident Australia. The management team of Head coach Janine Southby, Assistant Coach Adrienne Morrin, Manager Denise Leggat and Physiotherapist Jen Ferguson are acknowledged for their contributions in this success.

The success of that campaign has already had its rewards with shooter Malia Paseka and defender Phoenix Karaka earning two of the additional four positions on the Silver Ferns tour to the UK in January, 2014.

The end of the New Zealand U21 four-year cycle, with a complete review of the U21 programme for the next four years underway, as part of a National talent development review.

The New Zealand Secondary Schools team continued a strong tradition to win the Trans-Tasman Secondary Schools Tournament, hosted in Rotorua; this is a showcase of the best of young talent. Every year, the Emerging Talent selectors identify a number of players from the New Zealand Secondary Schools team as potential Silver Ferns.

Co-captain's of this year's Secondary Schools team – Jamie-Lee Price and Samantha Sinclair – both made enough of an impression to be contracted to play in the ANZ Championship for Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic in 2014.

It will be interesting to track the progress of these talented young players over the next few years.

There has been a consistent membership of the national selection panels over the past couple of years and it is important to acknowledge all those involved at the various levels for their knowledge and contribution.

Gael Nagaiya (convenor of selectors), Silver Ferns coach Waimarama Taumaunu, Margaret Forsyth, Raewyn Henry and Jo Morrison formed the National Selection Panel while Marianne Delaney, Leigh Gibbs, Adrienne Morrin, Janine Southby and Judy Weston made up the Emerging Talent Selection Panel.

All the support staff and personnel – video analysts, nutritionists, physiotherapists and strength and conditioning experts – do a terrific job in keeping athletes on track through ANZ Championship, Age Group and Zone-level competitions.

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### SILVER FERNS

he Silver Ferns 2013 campaign produced a mixed bag, the eight-test international season highlighting key work-on areas ahead of the 2014 Commonwealth Games.

This year's back-to-back New World Netball Series against the Australian Diamonds and the Malawi Queens gave Silver Ferns coach Waimarama Taumaunu and her support staff plenty of opportunities to develop combinations and plan accordingly for a third successive Commonwealth Games title, in Scotland in July.

All Silver Ferns squad members were involved across both series which included a disappointing 4-1 loss to Australia, who reclaimed the Constellation Cup, and a 3-0 win against Malawi; no stone was left unturned in finding the right formula for an all-important 2014.

Injury and unavailability affected the participation of several seasoned Silver Ferns, particularly in the midcourt, so 2013 fast became a fact finding exercise. With new personnel on board, the team's links and structures took time to bed in throughout both series but provided a definite upside for Taumaunu with the bigger picture in mind.

The unusually high unavailability rate encountered ahead of the international campaign provided a silver lining when four players – Courtney Tairi (midcourt), Shannon Francois (midcourt), Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit (defence) and Katarina Cooper (midcourt) – made their Silver Ferns debuts during the Australia and Malawi series.

Ultimately, this will prove a bonus for Taumaunu, who has now added considerably to the Silver Ferns' depth and playing options. With players returning from injury, pregnancy in 2014, there will be genuine challenges for positions in the team.

The Silver Ferns were intent on redeeming their season and improved their execution and accuracy against Malawi.

This was largely achieved as the Silver Ferns recorded 70-32, 68-49 and 72-39



wins respectively in Wellington, Napier and Hamilton to complete a 3-0 sweep against the world's fifth-ranked team.

The Silver Ferns' first-ever New World Netball Series against the flamboyant, aerial and athletic Malawi provided entertaining contests, the visitors demonstrating their real progress with a challenging and keenly fought second test. The series also afforded Taumaunu the opportunity to forge some new combinations and personnel as she kept one eye on the result and the other on the future.

Not used during the Australian series, shooter Jodi Brown made the most of her opportunities against Malawi with eyecatching performances while showcasing her full range of play-making skills. Selby-Rickit and Cooper had their first tastes of international Netball against the unorthodox African team while Francois, after unexpectedly making her debut against Australia, continued to stake her claim with more impressive court time against Malawi.

Irrepressible vice-captain Laura Langman continued her outstanding presence in the

heart of the Silver Ferns engine room when notching up her 98th consecutive test since making her debut in 2005, in the third test against Malawi.

Ahead of the Malawi series, the Silver Ferns came under close scrutiny in the five-test Constellation Cup series against Australia where the first two matches were played in New Zealand followed by three across the Tasman.

Celebrating their 400th international outing and on the 75th anniversary of trans-Tasman Netball rivalry, the Silver Ferns couldn't have asked for a better start as they won the opener 55-51 against their arch rivals in Invercargill.

Born in Australia to New Zealand parents, wing attack Tairi became the 153rd Silver Fern after previously representing Australia at Under-21 level. Midcourter Joline Henry also added to a new-look Silver Ferns midcourt, the gritty wing defence making an impressive comeback after missing last year's international season following the birth of her first child.



The Silver Ferns followed up with a disappointing outing in Auckland, battling for consistency as a fired-up Australia levelled the series with a 48-45 win before the Series headed across the Tasman.

Australia took a 2-1 lead following a decisive 58-50 win in Adelaide as they led from start to finish against the Silver Ferns.

A 52-47 win in Melbourne gave Australia an unassailable 3-1 lead despite a valiant comeback effort from the Silver Ferns.

Fielding a new-look attack line, the Silver Ferns started and finished strongly but struggled with their consistency through the middle stages of the game.

Shooter Cathrine Latu was introduced for her first start of the series while rookie Francois also had her first start at wing attack after earning her first cap in the third test as a substitute.

Trailing by 10 at the last break and seemingly out of the contest, the Silver Ferns staged a thrilling fight-back, reducing the deficit to three in the run home. Showing more precision and flow-on attack while picking up key defensive turnover ball, the Silver Ferns threatened to steal the show in the dying minutes but, with time against them, the deficit ultimately proved too great.

The Silver Ferns team conceded the Constellation Cup 4-1 after being undone 50-49 by a late-charging Australia in the series finale in Canberra. With the lead changing hands numerous times throughout, the Silver Ferns team gave their best showing of the three-test Australian leg of the series with a much-improved and spirited outing.

With Canberra and Auckland proving to be the ones that got away, the overall result could have been a lot different for the disappointed Silver Ferns, but there was enough to be encouraged about looking ahead.

Taumaunu and the coaching staff now have time to iron out the kinks which will be enhanced by returning players and those who made the most of their opportunities this year.







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#### 2013 ANZ CHAMPIONSHIP SQUAD

NORTHERN Fay Meiklejohn, Yvonne Morgan CENTRAL Liz Boon MAINLAND Mandy Nottingham SOUTH Jono Bredin, Bobbi Brown, Kristie Simpson

#### ANZ CHAMPIONSHIP PANEL

Colleen Bond Alison Cormack Dawn Jones

#### 2013 NATIONAL A SQUAD

WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY, TIER 4 ANZC Danielle Maulder WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY Tania Law CENTRAL, TIER 4 ANZC Angela Armstrong-Lush CENTRAL Ann Hay, Gareth Fowler SOUTH, TIER 4 ANZC Marise Stuart NATIONAL A COACH David Pala'amo NATIONAL A ASSISTANT COACH Mandy Nottingham

#### 2013 DEVELOPMENT SQUAD

NORTHERN Matthew Davis WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY Dwayne Paul MAINLAND Anna Sheen, Michelle Stagg, Michael Wyllie SOUTH Joyce Andrew DEVELOPMENT SQUAD COACH Kirsten Lloyd DEVELOPMENT SQUAD ASSISTANT COACH Bobbi Brown

#### 2013 INTERNATIONAL UMPIRE APPOINTMENTS

ENGLAND v AUSTRALIAN DIAMONDS - IN ENGLAND Liz Boon

WORLD CLUB CHALLENGE - IN SCOTLAND Jono Bredin

JAMAICA v ENGLAND - IN JAMAICA Jono Bredin

#### EUROPEAN CHAMPS Lisa McPhail (UK based but NZ IUA)

PACIFIC NETBALL SERIES - IN SAMOA Angela Armstrong-Lush Bobbi Brown Danielle Maulder Marise Stuart

David Pala'amo (ITP)

WORLD YOUTH NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS - IN SCOTLAND Danielle Maulder Yvonne Morgan Marise Stuart

AUSTRALIA v MALAWI - IN AUSTRALIA Fay Meiklejohn Yvonne Morgan Kristie Simpson COOK ISLANDS v SINGAPORE - IN THE COOK ISLANDS Angela Armstrong-Lush Danielle Maulder Marise Stuart David Pala'amo (ITP)

TRI-SERIES - SOUTH AFRICA/ ENGLAND/TRINIDAD & TOBAGO - IN SOUTH AFRICA Jono Bredin

FIJI v MALAWI - IN FIJI Angela Armstrong- Lush Jono Bredin

FAST5 NETBALL WORLD SERIES - IN AUCKLAND Fay Meiklejohn Yvonne Morgan Lisa McPhail (UK based but NZ IUA) Dawn Jones (ITP) David Pala'amo (ITP)

#### 2013 INTERNATIONAL TESTING PANEL

Dawn Jones Mandy Nottingham David Pala'amo

CADETS Colleen Bond Bobbi Brown Alison Cormack

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his year, the framework working towards World Class Umpires was adopted for the High Performance umpiring programme. This framework has been developed after extensive discussion and consultation with umpires and umpire coaches and is aimed at supporting umpires with a clear understanding of the experiences and development that they need to become world-class umpires. The four headings in this framework are: Game Management, Technical, Physical and Hauora (Wellbeing). With the three National Umpire Squads - ANZ Championship, National A and National Development - each of these squads has a programme which identifies what the umpires need to progress and develop to be world class.

In High Performance umpiring during the year, Jonathan Bredin and Liz Boon reinforced their credentials for another four years after being endorsed for their International Umpire Awards through the year on ANZ Championship matches and were rewarded with appointments in the Finals Series, with Jonathan controlling the Grand Final.

There were three lead coaches at ANZ Championship level this year - Dawn Jones, Alison Cormack and Colleen Bond. The lead coach for an umpire is a new concept and part of the process of working towards becoming a world-class umpire. By giving each umpire a lead coach to work closely with them, very positive feedback has been given by both parties (umpires and coaches), as it brings a sense of shared responsibility while fostering strong and robust relationships. The lead coach concept success this year has ensured that it will be continued in 2014.

Yvonne Morgan achieved her IUA award during the year. This was capped off by her appointment to the World Youth Netball Championships in Scotland, in August, along with Danielle Maulder and Marise Stuart.

Netball New Zealand High Performance umpires had a busy year on the international scene with over 25 appointments of umpire and umpire coaching personnel during 2013 to international events and test matches. These appointments included officiating at the Pacific Netball Series and the FAST5 Netball World Series as well as test series' in England, South Africa and the Cook Islands.

One of the most pleasing aspects through this year has been the progress made by the International Talent Identified Umpires (ITIDs). With Yvonne Morgan moving through to gain her IUA, Angela Armstrong-Lush, Danielle Maulder and Marise Stuart have all gained more international experience and are progressing well. The National A Squad coached by David Pala'amo and supported by Mandy Nottingham focuses on umpires who have the potential to achieve an international qualification in the next few years. This squad began the year with a camp in January alongside the Silver Ferns and the NZU21 teams which they all found very beneficial. They were appointed to pre-season ANZ Championship matches as well as College Netball games early in the year and national domestic events.

This year, the Development Squad was coached by Kirsten Lloyd, supported by Bobbi Brown. The umpires in this squad performed very well, many having been in the squad for two years. The highlight of the year for each of them was officiating at the Trans-Tasman Secondary School Netball Tournament in Rotorua in May.



#### MANDY NOTTINGHAM

One of New Zealand's most accomplished umpires, Mandy Nottingham, was honoured at a function before the New World Netball Series opening test match between the Silver Ferns and Malawi in Wellington in October.

Nottingham recently hung up her whistle after a long and illustrious umpiring career which spanned the globe.

She gained her International Umpire Association qualification in 2004 and held this award until her retirement earlier this year. She umpired at two Commonwealth Games, in Delhi and Melbourne, the World Youth Championships in Florida in 2005, the World Netball Championships in Auckland in 2007 and was appointed to 2011 World Netball Championships.

Over six years of competition, Nottingham officiated in 64 ANZ Championship matches, plus the FASTNET World Netball Series in 2010 and was a member of the Umpire Appointment Panel at the FAST5 Netball World Series in 2012.

Nottingham is a current member of the International Rules Advisory Panel and part of the Netball New Zealand High Performance Umpire Group.

# EVENTS AND OPERATIONS 2013

### EVENTS AND OPERATIONS OVERVIEW

#### n the New World Netball Series, the Constellation Cup games in September were well supported in both Invercargill and Auckland.

This was followed by the Taini Jamison Trophy series in October between the Silver Ferns and Malawi, the three matches taking place in Wellington, Napier and Hamilton. Malawi delivered an entertaining and slightly unorthodox brand of Netball. It was valuable preparation for the Silver Ferns ahead of the Commonwealth Games and World Cup. It is helpful to meet a variety of countries so they are prepared for the different styles of play they will face. It was also a great opportunity to see some new players on court for both the Silver Ferns and Malawi, looking ahead to the ANZ Championship with some promising performances on show.

This year there was a pleasing growth in corporate hospitality around ANZ Championship matches and also renewed interest in membership. This has already paid dividends with some teams selling out their membership allocations for 2014.

Nelson became a host of the ANZ Championship during 2013, staging two sellout games, and showed the appetite in the top of the South Island for high-quality Netball. It is an opportunity for the ANZ Championship to be played at a range of venues outside the main centres; this something that will be built on in coming seasons.

The ANZ Championship saw a facelift given to the live-scoring facet. There was an increase in the information offered this year, including a greater range of visuals which highlighted, for example, the shooting circle breakdowns, which added to the statistical information that is made accessible to the viewing public. Viewing the live scoring has proved very popular for viewers following the ANZ Championship; it also has a strong audience with College Netball and the NZ Secondary School Netball Championships which have the highest number of viewers behind the Silver Ferns matches.

The FAST5 Netball World Series in 2013 raised the bar again including the introduction of lighted goalposts, an idea inspired by Dame Lois Muir, helping viewers identify which team was having its 'Power Play'.

With more emphasis on the substitution boxes this year adding to the high-tempo version of Netball, the growing popularity of FAST5 was reinforced by a substantial and pleasing increase in crowd numbers this year, responding enthusiastically to not only the action on court but also the entertainment provided and needing little encouragement to be involved.

This year, broadcast coverage was secured not only to Australia and South Africa as was the case the year before but also into England, the Caribbean, Tri-State New York and Canada. This indicates the increased interest that FAST5 has garnered and every game was televised live in New Zealand by SKY Sport. That this form of the game has captured such a global interest has to be a positive for Netball.

The quality of play also showed development as the players and coaches further understand the possibilities and opportunities that the structure of FAST5 provides. It was great to see the competitiveness of many of the matches and the increased number of two and threepoint shots that teams were attempting. Some minor adjustments to the rules also encouraged greater attacking play by both teams especially during the 'Power Play' quarters.





Overall, the event delivered even more than it had done in 2012 and has certainly demonstrated an appetite for and an enjoyment of the FAST5 form of Netball. Looking ahead to 2014, the opportunity to continue the growth and development of the event as well as the global reach and interest in FAST5 will be a major focus.

There were two new activities added around FAST5 this year; the first was the Observer Programme, co-hosted by Sport NZ, which gave the opportunity to approximately 16 people from various events and different organisations to come to FAST5 and hear presentations on a range of aspects involved in the delivery of FAST5.

The second activity was the Schools Engagement Programme which saw six primary schools from across the greater Auckland area – Kingsford, Northcote Primary, Cockle Bay, Shelly Park School, Browns Bay and Finlayson Park – take part in a programme offering them Netball skill sessions and also the opportunity to come to Vector Arena and see teams go through their training sessions before the event and to attend the tournament.

More than 120 students took part in the sessions at Vector Arena with many more

involved at their school. Barfoot & Thompson provided a house for each school to 'do up' and show support for the competing countries. This also encouraged the students to do research and present their houses for judging by the captains of the FAST5 teams; the winner of that competition was a very excited Northcote Primary School.

There was an overwhelming reaction to this programme from all the schools with many people expressing their enormous gratitude. Sian Clancy delivered the programme as part of her NetballSmart role; it was a huge success and will be expanded in 2014.

This year, the ball girls who attended FAST5 were selected from Newlands Intermediate and College in Wellington to come up and take part in the tournament as reward for their outstanding performances at various events, such as ANZ Championship, Age-Group tournaments and test matches over recent years. Ably trained and led by Lena Meinders, Deputy Principal at Newlands Intermediate, all the girls, including a set of identical triplets, relished the opportunity to be part of the event, were outstanding ambassadors and a credit to their schools and the Netball community.

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#### SUNDAY, 15 SEPTEMBER

**SIT ZERO FEES VELODROME, INVERCARGILL** Silver Ferns 55 defeated Australian Diamonds 51

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Katrina Grant Joline Henry Casey Kopua Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### THURSDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER

VECTOR ARENA, AUCKLAND Australian Diamonds 48 defeated Silver Ferns 45

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

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#### FRIDAY, 4 OCTOBER

ADELAIDE ENTERTAINMENT CENTRE, ADELAIDE, AUSTRALIA Australian Diamonds 58 defeated Silver Ferns 50

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

- Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Joline Henry Casey Kopua Laura Langman
- Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### MONDAY, 7 OCTOBER

ROD LAVER ARENA, MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA Australian Diamonds 52 defeated Silver Ferns 47

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

- Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Joline Henry Casey Kopua Laura Langman
- Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### SUNDAY, 13 OCTOBER

AIS ARENA, CANBERRA, AUSTRALIA Australian Diamonds 50 defeated Silver Ferns 49

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

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- Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

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#### THURSDAY, 24 OCTOBER

**TSB BANK ARENA, WELLINGTON** Silver Ferns 70 defeated Malawi 32

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Katarina Cooper Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Joline Henry Casey Kopua Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit - debut Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### SUNDAY, 27 OCTOBER

PETTIGREW GREEN ARENA, NAPIER Silver Ferns 68 defeated Malawi Queens 49

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

Jodi Brown Leana de Bruin Katarina Cooper – debut Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Joline Henry Casey Kopua Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Maria Tutaia Irene van Dyk

#### THURSDAY, 31 OCTOBER

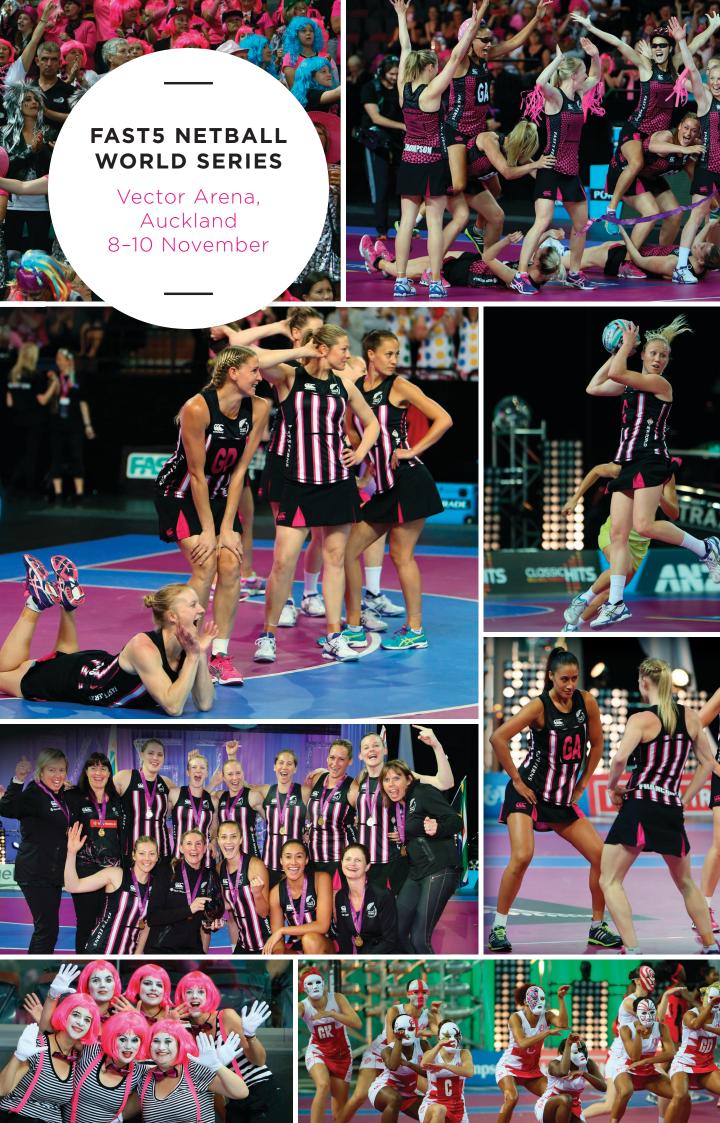
CLAUDELANDS ARENA, HAMILTON Silver Ferns 72 defeated Malawi 39

#### SILVER FERNS TEAM

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etball like you've never seen' was given a whole new meaning in November following three days of intense and dynamic competition at the annual FAST5 Netball World Series in Auckland.

The tournament was almost hijacked by the silky soft hands of FAST5 Ferns shooter Maria Tutaia who broke all records with her incomparable shooting ability from the Super Shot zone but, more than that, in 2013 the crowd and television viewing audience embraced the shortened concept of the game with verve.

The event was, once again, strongly supported by Auckland Tourism, Events and Economic Development (ATEED) and MBIE (Major Events), enabling Auckland to glisten in the glow of top international Netball. All six teams arrived in the week leading up to the threeday tournament engaging the media and stakeholders at the Captain's Call. Jamaica featured the Sunshine Girls, Australia sent the FAST5 Flyers, Malawi was represented by the Queens, England had their Fives and FAST5 South Africa rounded out the visiting teams with hosts FAST5 Ferns adding the local flavour from New Zealand.

Spectator engagement at Vector Arena was impressive, with those not dressing up in the minority. Clearly a lot of time and effort had gone into planning costumes for the event with imagination the only barrier.

All six teams also entered into the spirit of the occasion despite being all business on the court. The playing uniforms reflected the fun and personalities of the players with a variety of changes throughout the weekend. The whole inclusive atmosphere around the FAST5 Netball World Series started from the moment the crowd walked through the front entrance until it left through the same doors at the end of the evening.

Tour parties travelled from all over New Zealand and Australia to attend the event and were treated to a specially organised 'meet and greet' hour with chosen players from each team. The hundreds of volunteers and Netball New Zealand staff did an exceptional job across the three days; they were professional in their approach and displayed a work ethic not seen at many other international events.

The International Netball Federation (INF) was rewarded for showing faith in NNZ to put on a truly international event with ticket sales and for outdoing the inaugural FAST5 Netball World Series event 12 months earlier.

More sponsors wanted to be involved in 2013 with Trilogy joining New Zealand Major Events, ATEED, Barfoot & Thompson, Yahoo New Zealand, KPMG, Holden, Classic Hits, Canterbury of New Zealand and Gilbert.

New territories were added to the SKY Sport broadcast for the first time, expanding Netball's reach to new corners of the globe. Matches were screened into Jamaica, Canada, the Tri-State area of the US and the sub-Sahara region in South Africa, along with traditional nations like Australia and England.

Journalists from Jamaica and Australia attended the tournament with match summaries sent to destinations as far away as England and South Africa.

On court, the competition was fierce with all teams finding clear strengths and weaknesses within the opposing teams. Towering shooters were utilised in defensive positions, smaller shooters were able to show their wares with the defenders less willing to cover the shot while the centres sprinted frantically from one end to the other.

The use of rolling substitutions was seamless with barely time to register the five team members on court before a switch would be made. All of this added to the excitement of the game with the arena often silenced: the crowd totally absorbed in the matches.

The heroes of the tournament proved to be the shooters with three-point, long-range bombs the order of the day, doubling to six points within a power-play quarter. England's Rachel Dunn, South Africa's Chrisna Bootha and FAST5 Ferns Cathrine Latu and Maria Tutaia were the pick of the bunch with Tutaia sinking almost 50% of her goals from the three-point range – more than the three previously named players combined. Jamaica's Thristina Harwood was selected for the Player of the Tournament award with consistent play and excellent shooting from the two-point range.

Defenders were kept busy with the wider shooting zone allowing more room for the shooters to roam while the midcourt, featuring just the centre position with the dissolution of the wing attack and wing defence positions in this version of the game, had their fitness levels tested with the speed of the ball moving from one end to the other.

The FAST5 Ferns went on to win back-to-back titles, victorious in the final over the muchimproved Australian Flyers. With Netball fans already pencilling in the dates for the 2014 FAST5 Netball World Series, the tournament will be taken to new heights with popularity on the rise.

#### FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	COUNTRY
1st	FAST5 Ferns
2nd	Australian FAST5 Flyers
3rd	Jamaica Sunshine Girls
4th	FAST5 South Africa
5th	Malawi Queens
6th	England Fives

#### FAST5 FERNS 2013

Katarina Cooper Shannon Francois Katrina Grant Casey Kopua (captain) Laura Langman Cathrine Latu Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Courtney Tairi Anna Thompson Maria Tutaia

#### FAST5 FERNS MANAGEMENT 2013

HEAD COACH Janine Southby ASSISTANT COACH Julie Seymour MANAGER Dee Leggat PHYSIOTHERAPIST Marion Meates

#### FAST5 FERNS ELITE SPONSOR



#### FAST5 NETBALL WORLD SERIES PARTNERS



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# FAST5 RESULTS

#### DAY ONE

TEAM A	SC
Jamaica	35
England	19
New Zealand	43
Malawi	37
England	36
Jamaica	37
New Zealand	39

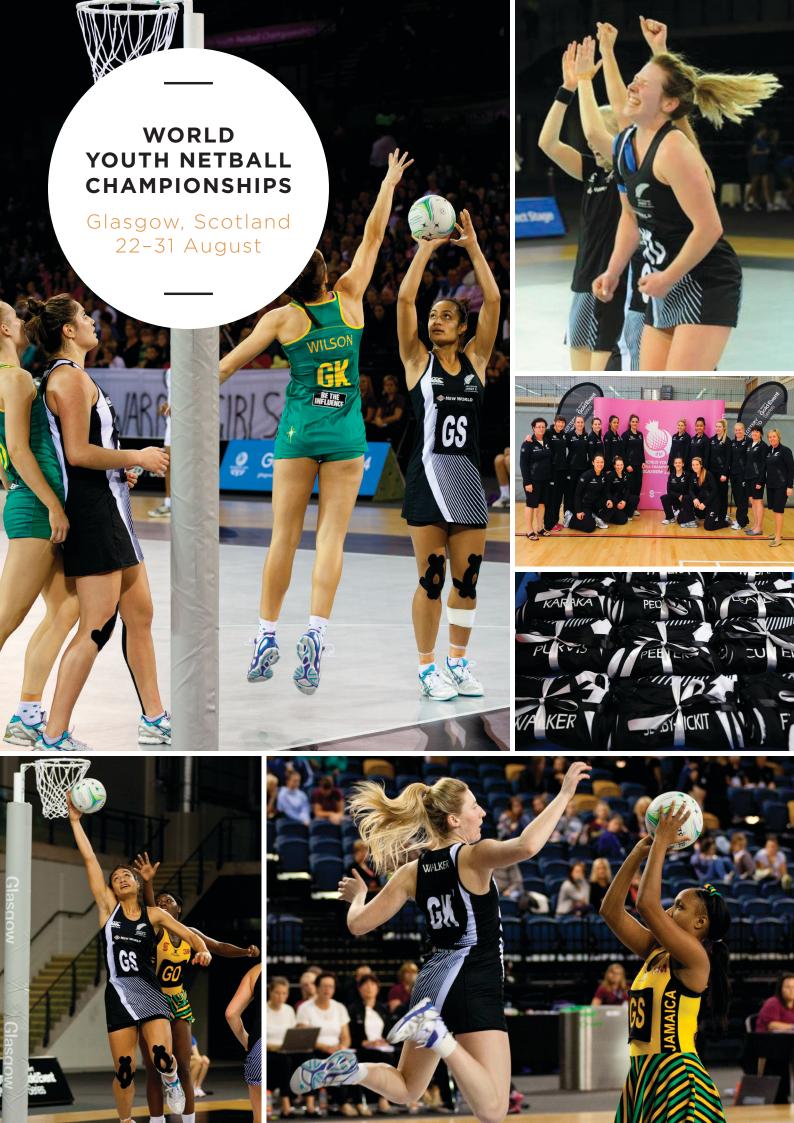
TEAM B	SC
South Africa	28
Australia	40
Jamaica	22
Australia	42
South Africa	29
Malawi	35
Australia	26

#### DAY TWO

TEAM A	SC	TEAM B	SC
England	30	Jamaica	36
New Zealand	48	Malawi	18
Australia	39	South Africa	40
England	32	Malawi	35
New Zealand	58	South Africa	31
Australia	41	Jamaica	41
South Africa	41	Malawi	35
New Zealand	31	England	27

#### FINALS DAY

TEAM A	SC	TEAM B	SC
SEMI-FINAL 1			
New Zealand	27	South Africa	14
SEMI-FINAL 2			
Jamaica	25	Australia	27
PLAY-OFF FOR 5TH/6TH			
Malawi	34	England	32
PLAY-OFF FOR 3RD/4TH			
South Africa	17	Jamaica	44
GRAND FINAL			
New Zealand	56	Australia	27







he future of our sport at the elite level looks to be in trusty hands after the NZU21 team defied the odds to claim New Zealand's third World Youth Netball Championship title in Scotland in August.

Armed with plenty of self-belief and three years of hard work, the NZU21 team secured it's first title since 2005 when it prevailed 52-47 against a confident and well-resourced Australia in the Glasgow final.

Twenty-six years after the all-conquering Silver Ferns swept to the 1987 world championship title, Scotland once again proved a happy hunting ground for New Zealand teams, the NZU21's continuing the winning trend in the first world Netball event to be staged in that country since then.

Twenty teams which included 400 players and officials from around the world descended on Glasgow for the seventh edition of the World Youth Netball Championships while also producing the biggest crowds ever seen at a Netball event in Scotland. The venue for the event also provided a seamless and successful test run for the staging of the Netball discipline at next year's Commonwealth Games.

The NZU21's suffered a major setback before the competition had even started when the team's only Silver Fern, Kayla Cullen, who was expected to play a prominent role, suffered a serious knee injury, just days out from the first match.

However, the Janine Southby-coached team showed considerable resilience and fortitude to put that issue behind them as they worked their way through pool play unbeaten to seal a spot in the semi-finals. The experience most of the team members had built through being part of New Zealand ANZ Championship teams paid huge dividends in their progress during the testing play-off stages.

Trailing a spirited Jamaica heading into the final quarter of their semi-final contest, the NZU21's showed signs of their growing maturity by pulling off a smart 53-44 win with a dominant fourth quarter and, with it, a place in the final against defending champions Australia.

The New Zealanders had the edge for much of their trans-Tasman confrontation which produced a typically fast, furious and physical encounter when leading by four, six and five goals at the respective breaks.

Pulling out to an eight-goal buffer with nine minutes to play, the NZU21 team looked set for a comfortable win against its well-respected opponents but was forced to repel several customary late Australian surges.

A change in its shooting circle gave Australia added momentum while providing some anxious moments for the New Zealanders who watched their lead whittled to just three. However, the NZU21 team held their nerve to fend off Australia's late rally with some clutch plays of their own as they deservedly went on to clinch the most prestigious title of the short careers of it's members and the first for a New Zealand team in eight years.

Having honed their considerable talents on the world youth stage, many of these gifted young players have laid the platform for their future international careers where many will now go on to form the nucleus of the Silver Ferns in years to come.



Winning gold at the World Youth Netball Championships in Scotland was the pinnacle of 2013 in the Netball calendar for many. The NZU21 team was farewelled in spectacular fashion at a special function in Auckland, complete with bagpipes and special gifts.

#### NZU21 TEAM

Kayla Cullen Sophia Fenwick Gemma Hazeldine Kirsten Hurley (replacement player) Phoenix Karaka Brooke Leaver Nadia Loveday Malia Paseka Erikana Pedersen Stacey Peeters Storm Purvis Te Paea Selby-Rickit Zoe Walker

#### MANAGEMENT TEAM

**COACH** Janine Southby ASSISTANT COACH Adrienne Morrin MANAGER Dee Leggat PHYSIOTHERAPIST Jen Ferguson STATISTICIAN Anna Skelton

#### **FINAL PLACINGS**

PLACING	COUNTRY
1st	New Zealand
2nd	Australia
3rd	Jamaica
4th	England
5th	South Africa
6th	Wales
7th	Barbados
8th	Trinidad & Tobago
9th	Fiji
10th	Samoa
11th	Namibia
12th	Scotland
13th	Northern Ireland
14th	Papua New Guinea
15th	Singapore
16th	Bermuda
17th	Cayman Islands
18th	Malta
19th	Republic of Ireland
20th	Israel



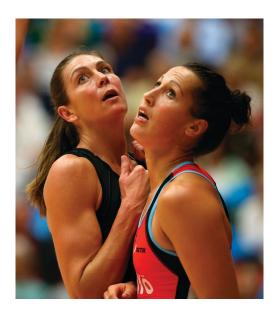












n what has become the norm since its inception, the sixth edition of the ANZ Championship provided another riveting spectacle, the on-court action and off-court support once again proving to be a winning combination.

The trans-Tasman competition showcased its credentials as the world's premier Netball league with 2013 highlighting another lift in physical demands and expectations.

The lure of the ANZ Championship has shown little sign of abating with players, support staff and fans all clamouring for pieces of the action which continues to draw a strong following from court-side crowds, social media and television audiences via SKY Sport in New Zealand and FOX Sports in Australia.

In 2013, a record number of athletes were contracted to ANZ Championship teams after 10 additional contracts were offered to New Zealand franchises with a view to developing young talent and broadening the playing base at the elite level in this country.

The ANZ Championship continues to deliver on all fronts, 2013 proving to be no exception as teams fronted the 17-week competition with increased fitness levels, skill, athleticism and accuracy. As has happened in the past, the make-up of the semi-finals was played out in dramatic fashion, the end to the regular season keeping teams and their fans in suspense as upset results and record scoring margins added an exciting final twist.

The New Zealand teams had mixed fortunes but the three best performers, Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic, Haier Pulse and Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel, were all handily placed throughout the competition, consistency of performance eluding the trio at key times. They delivered some standout individual performances during the season.

In everyone's sights as the team to beat in 2013, defending champions Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic was unable to back up its title-winning exploits of the previous year. But the Waikato Bay of Plenty side had the satisfaction of ending the league's premiership curse by becoming the first reigning champions to qualify for the Finals Series the year after winning the title.

Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic coach Noeline Taurua steered her team to a sixth consecutive place in the Finals Series, the only team to achieve the milestone in the competition's history. But, ultimately, hopes of defending its title were ended by a classy Queensland Firebirds team in the Minor Semi-Final to leave them with a fourth-placed finish.

It also spelt the end of an outstanding legacy Taurua had forged with Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic during her six-year tenure. Looking for fresh challenges, the popular mentor bowed out with an unrivalled record as the competition's most successful coach.

Haier Pulse continued its upward trend in a memorable 2013 with a best-placed finish of fifth. However, they were left to rue what might have been.

Smart off-season recruiting empowered the team from the capital with plenty of firepower but a couple of untimely losses proved costly as the team just missed out on reaching the play-offs for the first time.



The Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel experienced a change of fortunes in 2013, largely on the back of the exploits of 1.98m Jamaican rookie import Jhaniele Fowler. The 24-year-old shooter, the league's tallest player, proved an instant hit in leaving the biggest individual impression on the competition in 2013.

Fowler was a dominating force under the hoop with her single-handed scoring feats, breaking numerous records along the way as she helped rejuvenate the Steel to a sixth-placed finish. With Fowler returning next year, Steel is poised to build on their youthful promise.

In rebuilding mode, EasiYo Tactix recorded two wins to avoid the wooden spoon and showed plenty of encouraging signs during the season. With a clutch of young talent in the team's ranks, the signs are strong for the future; many players are experiencing their first taste of the elite level and are laying promising foundations.

The LG Northern Mystics contested the Finals Series the previous year, but 2013 proved a horror year for the team as it slipped from third to last in the space of 12 months.

The LG Northern Mystics never recovered from losing two key players to injury and pregnancy before the season had started and they continued to be blighted by bad luck and a never-ending run of injuries throughout 2013. There were glimpses of the undoubted talent in the LG Northern Mystics ranks but the team struggled to gel consistently and was keen to put a forgettable year behind it.

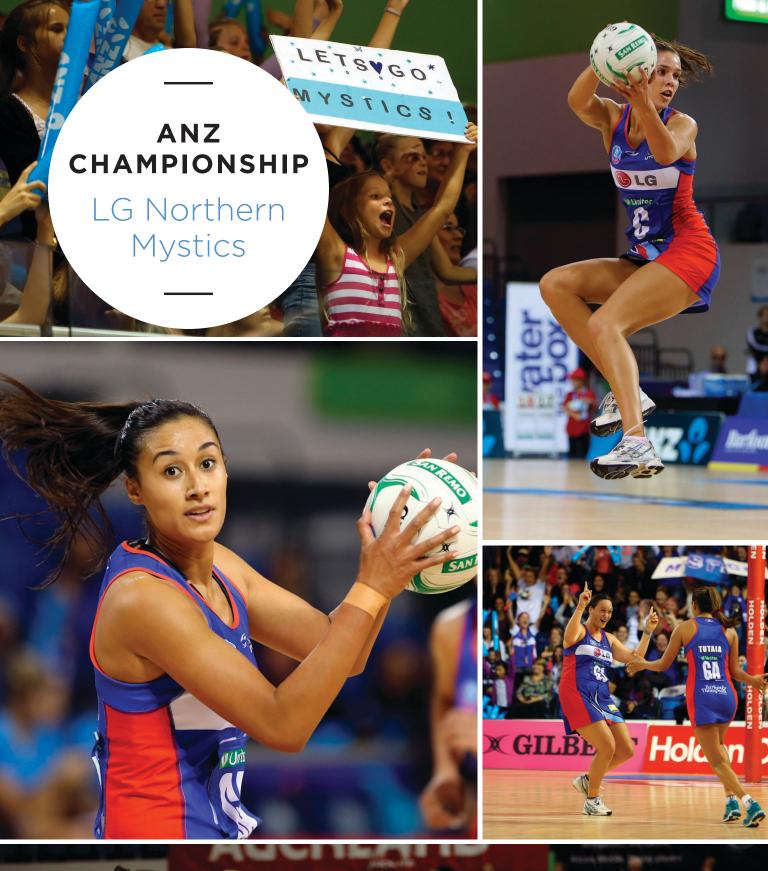
New Zealand players featured strongly in the end-of-season awards but it was the lofty Fowler who made the biggest impact after scooping the Most Valuable Player (MVP) award in her debut season.

The tireless Laura Langman (Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic) finished just two points behind in third-equal place while Haier Pulse defender Katrina Grant was sixth-equal in the MVP line-up.

Fowler (goal shooter), Langman (centre) and Casey Kopua (goal defence, Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic) were chosen in the All Star team, which recognises the most-outstanding players in the respective positions over the season and is voted for by the public.

Fowler also reigned supreme in the Best New Talent award which also featured Sophia Fenwick (EasiYo Tactix), Kirsten Hurley (EasiYo Tactix), Bailey Mes (LG Northern Mystics) and Jess Waitapu (Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic).







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NETBALL NORTHERN ZONE FINAL PLACING: 10th GAMES WON: 1



#### LG NORTHERN MYSTICS PLAYERS 2013

Jess Bourke Julie Corletto (AUS) Kayla Cullen Anna Harrison Charlotte Kight Cathrine Latu Bailey Mes Jessica Moulds Malia Paseka Erikana Pedersen Grace Rasmussen Elisapeta Toeava Maria Tutaia Lavinia Vaitohi

#### LG NORTHERN MYSTICS MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Ruth Aitken ASSISTANT COACH Kiri Wills MANAGER Chris Tennant

Please note, this list is of the initial 14 contracted players at the beginning of the 2013 season

#### LG NORTHERN MYSTICS FULL RESULTS 2013

DATE	ROUND	TEAM A	W/L	SC	TEAM B	SC
25 Mar	Round 1	LG Northern Mystics	L	46	Melbourne Vixens	60
31 Mar	Round 2	LG Northern Mystics	L	53	West Coast Fever	80
7 Apr	Round 3	LG Northern Mystics	L	51	Queensland Firebirds	72
15 Apr	Round 4	LG Northern Mystics	L	78	EasiYo Tactix	80
21 Apr	Round 5	LG Northern Mystics	W	69	Haier Pulse	68
29 Apr	Round 6	LG Northern Mystics	L	52	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	67
5 May	Round 7	LG Northern Mystics	L	57	EasiYo Tactix	61
12 May	Round 8	LG Northern Mystics	L	63	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	73
20 May	Round 9	LG Northern Mystics	L	48	Haier Pulse	63
26 May	Round 10	LG Northern Mystics	L	44	NSW Swifts	63
BYE	Round 11	LG Northern Mystics	BYE			
10 Jun	Round 12	LG Northern Mystics	L	50	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	60
16 Jun	Round 13	LG Northern Mystics	L	48	Adelaide Thunderbirds	64
24 Jun	Round 14	LG Northern Mystics	L	40	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	68

## ANZ **CHAMPIONSHIP**

Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic

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NETBALL WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY ZONE FINAL PLACING: 4th GAMES WON: 9



#### KIA WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY MAGIC PLAYERS 2013

Leana de Bruin Kendra Falefitu Ellen Halpenny Casey Kopua Laura Langman Nadia Loveday Erena Mikaere Jamie-Lee Price Elias Shadrock Jodi Tod-Elliott Jessica Tuki Irene van Dyk Jess Waitapu Khao Watts (AUS)

#### KIA WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY MAGIC MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Noeline Taurua ASSISTANT COACH Tanya Dearns MANAGER Belinda Muller

Please note, this list is of the initial 14 contracted players at the beginning of the 2013 season

#### KIA WAIKATO BAY OF PLENTY MAGIC FULL RESULTS 2013

DATE	ROUND	TEAM A	W/L	SC	TEAM B	SC
24 Mar	Round 1	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	69	EasiYo Tactix	46
31 Mar	Round 2	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	61	NSW Swifts	35
7 Apr	Round 3	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	L	51	West Coast Fever	57
BYE	Round 4	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	BYE			
22 Apr	Round 5	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	65	EasiYo Tactix	45
28 Apr	Round 6	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	L	52	Haier Pulse	53
6 May	Round 7	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	L	33	Adelaide Thunderbirds	45
13 May	Round 8	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	53	Haier Pulse	49
18 May	Round 9	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	L	58	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	65
26 May	Round 10	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	65	Queensland Firebirds	62
2 Jun	Round 11	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	58	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	52
10 Jun	Round 12	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	60	LG Northern Mystics	50
16 Jun	Round 13	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	56	Melbourne Vixens	51
24 Jun	Round 14	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	W	68	LG Northern Mystics	40
30 Jun	Minor Semi-Final	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	L	50	Queensland Firebirds	53

# ANZ CHAMPIONSHIP

Haier Pulse

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NETBALL CENTRAL ZONE FINAL PLACING: 5th GAMES WON: 8



#### HAIER PULSE PLAYERS 2013

Amber Bellringer Katrina Grant (Captain) Paula Griffin Joline Henry Claire Kersten Camilla Lees Liana Leota Te Huinga Reo Selby-Rickit Victoria Smith Caitlin Thwaites (AUS) Daya Wiffen Donna Wilkins

#### HAIER PULSE MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Robyn Broughton ASSISTANT COACH Marianne Delaney MANAGER Jo Holmes

Please note, this list is of the initial 12 contracted players at the beginning of the 2013 season

#### HAIER PULSE FULL RESULTS 2013

DATE	ROUND	TEAM A	W/L	SC	TEAM B	SC
24 Mar	Round 1	Haier Pulse	L	42	Adelaide Thunderbirds	49
1 Apr	Round 2	Haier Pulse	L	56	Queensland Firebirds	58
8 Apr	Round 3	Haier Pulse	W	55	NSW Swifts	49
14 Apr	Round 4	Haier Pulse	w	59	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	56
21 Apr	Round 5	Haier Pulse	L	68	LG Northern Mystics	69
28 Apr	Round 6	Haier Pulse	W	53	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	52
5 May	Round 7	Haier Pulse	L	30	Melbourne Vixens	52
13 May	Round 8	Haier Pulse	L	49	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	53
20 May	Round 9	Haier Pulse	W	63	LG Northern Mystics	48
26 May	Round 10	Haier Pulse	W	53	West Coast Fever	52
3 Jun	Round 11	Haier Pulse	W	62	EasiYo Tactix	45
BYE	Round 12	Haier Pulse	BYE			
17 Jun	Round 13	Haier Pulse	W	73	EasiYo Tactix	59
23 Jun	Round 14	Haier Pulse	w	73	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	64



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NETBALL MAINLAND ZONE FINAL PLACING: 9th GAMES WON: 2



#### EASIYO TACTIX PLAYERS 2013

Jade Clarke (ENG) Sophia Fenwick Keshia Grant Jo Harten (ENG) Elizabeth Hayman Kirsten Hurley Bessie Manu Julianna Naoupu Louise Thayer Anna Thompson Joanna Trip Zoe Walker Jane Watson

#### EASIYO TACTIX MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Leigh Gibbs ASSISTANT COACH Julie Seymour MANAGER Leanne Harris

Please note, this list is of the initial 13 contracted players at the beginning of the 2013 season

#### EASIYO TACTIX FULL RESULTS 2013

DATE	ROUND	TEAM A	W/L	SC	TEAM B	SC
24 Mar	Round 1	EasiYo Tactix	L	46	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	69
30 Mar	Round 2	EasiYo Tactix	L	56	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	75
8 Apr	Round 3	EasiYo Tactix	L	40	Melbourne Vixens	60
15 Apr	Round 4	EasiYo Tactix	W	80	LG Northern Mystics	78
22 Apr	Round 5	EasiYo Tactix	L	46	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	65
BYE	Round 6	EasiYo Tactix	BYE			
5 May	Round 7	EasiYo Tactix	W	61	LG Northern Mystics	57
11 May	Round 8	EasiYo Tactix	L	51	Queensland Firebirds	76
19 May	Round 9	EasiYo Tactix	L	55	West Coast Fever	64
27 May	Round 10	EasiYo Tactix	L	58	Adelaide Thunderbirds	62
3 Jun	Round 11	EasiYo Tactix	L	45	Haier Pulse	62
9 Jun	Round 12	EasiYo Tactix	L	62	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	79
17 Jun	Round 13	EasiYo Tactix	L	59	Haier Pulse	73
24 Jun	Round 14	EasiYo Tactix	L	42	NSW Swifts	62

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NETBALL SOUTH ZONE FINAL PLACING: 6th GAMES WON: 6



#### ASCOT PARK HOTEL SOUTHERN STEEL PLAYERS 2013

Jodi Brown (Captain) Gina Crampton Phillipa Finch Jhaniele Fowler (JAM) Shannon Francois Wendy Frew Phoenix Karaka Stacey Peeters Storm Purvis Rachel Rasmussen Te Paea Selby-Rickit Kate Shearer Courtney Tairi Sulu Tone-Fitzpatrick

#### ASCOT PARK HOTEL SOUTHERN STEEL MANAGEMENT 2013

COACH Janine Southby ASSISTANT COACH Natalie Avellino DEFENSIVE COACH Reinga Te Huia MANAGER Clare Malthus

Please note, this list is of the initial 14 contracted players at the beginning of the 2013 season

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DATE	ROUND	TEAM A	W/L	SC	TEAM B	SC
24 Mar	Round 1	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	59	Queensland Firebirds	68
30 Mar	Round 2	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	75	EasiYo Tactix	56
6 Apr	Round 3	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	54	Adelaide Thunderbirds	60
14 Apr	Round 4	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	56	Haier Pulse	59
BYE	Round 5	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	BYE			
29 Apr	Round 6	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	67	LG Northern Mystics	52
6 May	Round 7	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	60	NSW Swifts	55
12 May	Round 8	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	73	LG Northern Mystics	63
18 May	Round 9	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	65	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	58
27 May	Round 10	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	52	Melbourne Vixens	58
2 Jun	Round 11	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	52	Kia Waikato Bay of Plenty Magic	58
9 Jun	Round 12	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	W	79	EasiYo Tactix	62
17 Jun	Round 13	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	56	West Coast Fever	68
23 Jun	Round 14	Ascot Park Hotel Southern Steel	L	64	Haier Pulse	73

#### ASCOT PARK HOTEL SOUTHERN STEEL FULL RESULTS 2013

## TRANS-TASMAN SECONDARY SCHOOLS NETBALL TOURNAMENT

Energy Events Centre, Rotorua 27-30 May











Trans-Tasman Secondary Schools

en secondary school teams from around the South Pacific made Rotorua their home for a week in May to compete in the annual Trans-Tasman Secondary Schools Netball Tournament. School Sport Australia won the tournament in 2012 in Adelaide but failed to make the final in 2013, knocked out in the semi-finals by a strong Aotearoa Māori side.

On the other side of the draw, the New Zealand Secondary Schools team swept through the tournament unbeaten, highlighting their credentials as future stars of the game, beating Aotearoa Māori in the final 42-15.

#### NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS TEAM 2013

Penina Davidson Dawn de Bruin Wakelin Holly Fowler Emma-May Murray Fifita Jamie-Lee Price (Visea) Fa'amu Ross Chiara Semple Sam Sinclair Whitney Souness Shaani Temata-Frost Kayla Williams Maia Wilson

#### FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	New Zealand Secondary Schools
2nd	Aotearoa Maori
3rd	School Sport Australia
4th	Bukit Jalil Sport School Malaysia
5th	Pacific Rim
6th	Pasifika
7th	Fiji
8th	New Zealand Area Schools
9th	Indigenous School Sport Australia
10th	Samoa

#### NEW ZEALAND SECONDARY SCHOOLS MANAGEMENT TEAM

COACH Marianne Delaney ASSISTANT COACH Julie Seymour MANAGER Jill Clapcott PHYSIOTHERAPIST Helene Barron STATISTICIAN Lindsay Filiata

#### TOURNAMENT SELECTION

Libby Birch School Sport Australia Kate Burley Aotearoa Māori Steph Collins Pacific Rim Charlie Dawn-Blake New Zealand Area Schools Holly Fowler New Zealand Secondary Schools Meretini Fuimaono Aotearoa Māori Olivia Hogarth Samoa Tjarra Kilpatrick Indigenous School Sport Australia Leba Korovau Pasifika Siti Nor Farhana Mustafa **Bukit Jalil Sport School Malaysia** Ana Maria Naimasi Fiji Chiara Semple New Zealand Secondary Schools Sam Sinclair New Zealand Secondary Schools Michaela Sokolich-Beatson Aotearoa Māori Whitney Souness New Zealand Secondary Schools Renee TeRiini Aotearoa Māori Izyan Syazana Mohd Wazir Bukit Jalil Sport School Malaysia Rebecca Winch School Sport Australia

# COLLEGE NETBALL

















howcasing rising young Netball talent, College Netball was back in 2013 with week-onweek ANZ Championship curtain-raisers. In its third year, the competition boasted 18 teams vying for that elusive top spot in a knockout format which saw some of New Zealand's great secondary school rivalries take to the court.

The 18 teams were grouped into three zones: Upper North Island (UNI), Lower North Island (LNI) and South Island (SI), with the winner from each (and the 2nd-placed Upper North team) coming together for semifinals, leading into the Grand Final in June. Twelve of the matches were televised on SKY Sport with Mount Albert Grammar School (MAGS) defeating Tū Toa in the 2013 College Netball final.

DATE	TEAM	RESULT	TEAM	RESULT		
ROUND ONE						
25 Mar	(UNI) Avondale College	22	Waikato Diocesan School for Girls	13		
8 Apr	(LNI) Wellington East Girls' College	25	Palmerston North Girls' High School	21		
10 Apr	(UNI) Baradene College of the Sacred Heart	28	Westlake Girls High School	19		
14 Apr	(LNI) Tū Toa	35	New Plymouth Girls' High School	16		
14 Apr	(SI) Craighead Diocesan School	21	Marlborough Girls' College	29		
15 Apr	(SI) Marian College	9	St Margaret's College	45		
16 Apr	(SI) Waimea College	19	Rangi Ruru Girls' School	20		
17 Apr	(LNI) St Mary's College	31	Sacred Heart Girls' College	19		
21 Apr	(UNI) MAGS	31	Auckland Girls' Grammar School	19		
ROUND TWO						
28 Apr	(LNI) Wellington East Girls' College	22	St Mary's College	26		
5 May	(UNI) Avondale College	21	Baradene College of the Sacred Heart	25		
11 May	(SI) Marlborough Girls' College	15	St Margaret's College	35		
ROUND THREE						
12 May	(UNI) MAGS	37	Baradene College of the Sacred Heart	18		
20 May	(LNI) Tū Toa	31	St Mary's College	15		
26 May	(SI) Rangi Ruru Girls' School	25	St Margaret's College	29		
SEMI-FINALS						
3 Jun	MAGS	38	St Margaret's College	20		
10 Jun	Тū Тоа	37	Baradene College of the Sacred Heart	22		
FINAL						
17 Jun	Тū Тоа	24	MAGS	45		

#### **COLLEGE NETBALL RESULTS** 2013

## NZ AGE GROUP NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS U19

ASB Sports Centre, Wellington 15-18 July

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ne of the most contested NZ Age Group events of the Netball New Zealand calendar in 2013 was the U19 Championships in Wellington over the first week of the July school holidays. Eighteen teams from Netball Centres all around New Zealand entered the competition.

With the dissolution of the U21 Age Grade Tournament, the U19s was highly competitive with players keen to catch the selector's eye.

In the final, playing 10-minute quarters in this age group, the Wellington team made the running for most of the match, leading 10-7, 19-14 and 25-24 at the respective breaks but were overpowered by the fast-finishing Aucklanders in the run home 34-32.

#### FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	Auckland 1
2nd	Wellington
3rd	North Harbour
4th	Eastern Waikato
5th	Otago
6th	Manawatu
7th	Christchurch
8th	Auckland 2
9th	Hamilton
10th	Papakura
11th	Southland
12th	Wairarapa
13th	Hutt Valley
14th	Nelson
15th	Whangarei
16th	Eastern Bay of Plenty
17th	Waitakere
18th	Howick/Pakuranga

#### NZ U19 TOURNAMENT SELECTION

Shekynah Clarke **Auckland 1** Stephanie Collins **Papakura** Sally Davenport **Hamilton** Dawn de Bruin Wakelin **Hamilton** Meretini Fuimaono **Auckland 1** Pare Gilmartin-Kara **Eastern Waikato** Danielle Gray **Manawatu** Monalisa Groom **Wellington** Fa'amu Ross **AMI North Harbour** Tricia Setefano **Wellington** Keaghan Seymour **Manawatu** Abbi Souchon **Hamilton** Whitney Souness **Wellington** Bridget Thayer **Otago** Tarrantina Tuliloa **Auckland 1**  NZ AGE GROUP NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS U23

ASB Sports Centre, Wellington 15-18 July

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he inaugural NZ Age Group Netball Championships U23 tournament was a resounding success for teams and organisers with tough competition between seven teams from the five Netball Zones. In an encouraging sign, it was evident that the future game is in safe hands, the young and classy finalists turning on a fitting spectacle of fast-paced and exciting Netball.

Waikato Bay of Plenty Gold took out the title with a thrilling 47-46 win over the South Zone team.

#### FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	Waikato Bay of Plenty Gold
2nd	South Zone
3rd	Mainland Zone
4th	Northern Zone A
5th	Central Zone
6th	Northern Zone B
7th	Waikato Bay of Plenty Silver

#### NZU23 TOURNAMENT SELECTION

Gemma Hazeldine **Mainland Zone** Stacey McFeeters **Central Zone** Erena Mikaere **Waikato Bay of Plenty Gold** Storm Purvis **South Zone** Te Paea Selby-Rickit **South Zone** Jane Watson **Mainland Zone** 

#### NZU23 PLAYERS OF THE TOURNAMENT

DEFENDER Phoenix Karaka (South) MID-COURTER Nadia Loveday (Waikato Bay of Plenty Gold)

**SHOOTER** Brooke Leaver (Waikato Bay of Plenty Gold)

## NZ AGE GROUP NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS U17

Hawke's Bay Regional Sports Park 22-25 July





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hirty-three teams from all five Netball Zones contested the New Zealand Age Group U17 Netball Championships competition in the second week of the July school holidays. The tournament was played in a round-robin format. The top two teams from each pool after the round-robin section progressed to the top 16, while the bottom teams in each pool contested the 17 to 33 placings.

One hundred and nine matches were played until two teams were left to play for the title: Christchurch and Auckland 1. The Mainland Zone team was unbeaten throughout the week and came into the final as equal favourites alongside opposition team Auckland 1 which also progressed through the tournament with a 100-per-cent winning record.

With the Anna Rowberry Cup up for grabs, the match started with intensity and didn't let up for the full 40 minutes, Christchurch winning the title 37-35 in a thrilling encounter.

#### NZU17 TOURNAMENT SELECTION

Popua Aleamotua North Harbour 1 Isarena Chan Mangere/Otahuhu Bridget Dixon Southland Charlotte Elley Christchurch Monica Faulkner Western Bay of Plenty Holly Fowler Auckland Georgia Greig South Canterbury Jermaine Howard-Vallance Kapi Mana Rachael Horrocks Wanganui Marcia Jerram Hamilton City Kelly Jury Taranaki Grace Kukutai Waitakere Hayley Lee Christchurch Michaela Major Taranaki Sammy Murphy Wanganui Marcelle Parkes Wellington Jess Prosser Christchurch Chiara Semple Auckland Kiwa Shelford-Salt Manawatu Michaela Sokolich-Beatson North Harbour 1 Mairangi Tamati Taranaki Maia Wilson Auckland

#### FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	Christchurch
2nd	Auckland 1
3rd	Auckland 2
4th	Wanganui
5th	Wellington
6th	North Harbour 1
7th	Waitakere
8th	Canterbury Country
9th	Taranaki
10th	Eastern Bay of Plenty
11th	Hutt Valley
12th	Eastern Waikato
13th	Otago
14th	Hamilton City
15th	Southland
16th	Papakura
17th	Pukekohe
18th	Mangere/Otahuhu
19th	South Canterbury
20th	Thames Valley
21st	Kapi Mana
22nd	North Harbour 2
23rd	Howick/Pakuranga
24th	Rotorua
25th	Manawatu
26th	Western Bay of Plenty
27th	Kapiti
28th	Nelson
29th	Maniapoto
30th	Marlborough
31st	Hawke's Bay
32nd	Whangarei
33rd	Mid-Canterbury

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Edgar Centre, Dunedin 30 September - 4 October



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# LION FOUNDATION NETBALL CHAMPS

ith the Silver Ferns in Australia for the Constellation Cup, New Zealand's next tier of netballing talent took the opportunity to impress selectors at the Lion Foundation Netball Champs in Dunedin. Twelve teams entered the competition with most teams boasting a handful of ANZ Championship players and ex-internationals mixed with some young aspiring players.

Over five enthralling days, the top teams glided through the round-robin stages with Christchurch, Auckland, Hamilton and Otago A making the semis. Two exhilarating contests resulted in defending champions Otago A winning through to the final defeating Auckland 62-58 to join Hamilton who were too good for the pre-tournament favourites Christchurch 58-42.

In the final, less than eight goals separated the two teams across the whole 60 minutes with Hamilton chasing down a sizeable deficit to level the match with Otago A in the dying stages. With the crowd urging the home side on, shooter Te Paea Selby-Rickit slotted in the winner with time up on the clock for Otago A to retain the New Zealand Cup for 2013, with a final score of 54-53.

## FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	Otago A
2nd	Hamilton
3rd	Christchurch
4th	Auckland
5th	North Harbour
6th	Southland
7th	Wellington
8th	Waitakere
9th	Manawatu
10th	Counties Manukau
11th	Otago B
12th	Centre Invitational

# LION FOUNDATION NETBALL CHAMPS TOURNAMENT SELECTION

Maree Bowden **Christchurch** Malia Paseka **North Harbour** Rachel Rasmussen **Auckland** Te Paea Selby-Rickit **Otago A** Kate Shearer **Otago A** Elias Shadrock **Hamilton** Whitney Souness **Wellington** 

# NZ SECONDARY SCHOOLS NETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

AMI Auckland Netball Centre 8-11 October

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Schools Netball Championships from over 220 teams that entered in the three regional qualifying events which were held at the start of September.

The competition format at the tournament saw all 16 seeded teams playing for supremacy over four days. Defending champions Mount Albert Grammar School was the form team of the week and put on a sublime performance to defeat St Mary's College in the final 41-23.

## FINAL PLACINGS

PLACING	TEAM
1st	Mount Albert Grammar School
2nd	St Mary's College
3rd	Wellington East Girls' College
4th	Baradene College of the Sacred Heart
5th	John Paul College
6th	Pukekohe High School
7th	Auckland Girls' Grammar School
8th	Westlake Girls High School
9th	Тū Тоа
10th	South Otago High School
11th	St Margaret's College
12th	New Plymouth Girls' High School
13th	Palmerston North Girls' High School
14th	Southland Girls' High School
15th	Waimea College
16th	Christchurch Girls' High School

# NETBALL NEW ZEALAND COUNCIL 2013

Wellington 23-24 February 2013







NETBALL NEW ZEALAND COUNCIL MET FOR THE 86TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) AT THE INTERCONTINENTAL HOTEL IN WELLINGTON FROM 23 TO 24 FEBRUARY 2013. A TOTAL OF 126 DELEGATES AND OBSERVERS ATTENDED COUNCIL PLUS NNZ LIFE MEMBERS, STAFF AND THE NNZ BOARD.

## 2013 SERVICE AWARD HOLDERS

Edna Brown Dorothy Craighead Isabel Forrester Lynette Gubb Diane Moloney Lynn Stratford Mureen Turfrey Hamilton City Netball North Canterbury Netball North Canterbury Netball Netball Rodney Netball South Canterbury Netball South Canterbury Netball Eastern Southland



OCEANIA NETBALL FEDERATION AND PACIFIC PARTNERSHIP





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he year 2013 saw many changes and achievements for the Oceania Federation and its members. In April, Carole Maddix was the Oceania delegate to attend the Organisation of Sports Federation of Oceania (OSFO) AGM held in Fiji. It has been many years since Oceania has sent a delegate to the OSFO AGM and it was very pleasing to have many of the smaller Oceania island countries express an interest in membership and about the game of Netball.

In June, the Oceania Federation held in its AGM Samoa. President, Tina Browne (Cook Islands) chaired the meeting. As part of the strategic plan, changes to the constitution and organisational structure were reviewed by the members. A Special General Meeting was held to approve in principle the amendments to the constitution.

The Pacific Netball Series (PNS) was held in Samoa during the week of the Oceania AGM. Four countries participate in the PNS competition – Fiji, Cook Islands, Papua New Guinea, Samoa with Fiji being the outright winner.

The Oceania Administrator and Executive member, Briar Martindale informed the members that she has resigned to take up a new Netball position within New Zealand. The members thanked Briar for her dedication, commitment and loyalty she gave to all members - we wish her well for the future. Kate Agnew, Operations Director for Netball New Zealand renewed her involvement with Netball in Oceania by taking on the administration and management role for the Federation and the Pacific Netball Partnership. The Pacific Netball Partnershp (PNP) which is made up of the Australian Sports Commission, Oceania Netball Federation (ONF) and Netball New Zealand to lead and co-ordinate the development of netball in the Pacific, continues to be a success. Five countries are now in the programme, Tonga, Papua New Guinea, Cook Islands, Samoa and Vanuatu. The programme has encouraged and supported the countries to introduce better governance, coaching, umpiring and bench official development programmes and administration processes.

August saw Samoa, Papua New Guinea and Fiji attend the World Youth Championships in Glasgow – all three teams performed well and gained a great deal from their attendance. This was most evident in the transition of several of these players into their respective senior national teams later in the year. While PNG finished in a creditable 14th position, Samoa and Fiji fought an epic battle for 9th and 10th places with Fiji narrowly taking out the match.

As there was also an International Netball Federation (INF) Congress meeting held prior to the event this was attended by representatives from Fiji, Samoa, PNG and the Cook Islands. The Oceania countries held a very productive meeting with the Federation executive members Tina Browne, Carole Maddix and Kate Agnew as well as participating in some very interesting and informative workshops led by INF.

Looking ahead to 2014 the Oceania Federation will undertake the qualifying event for the World Cup, preparation for the Pacific Games and another Pacific Netball Series, as well as continuing development programmes across all areas of the game.

# ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

New Zealand Men's & Mixed Netball Association











NEW ZEALAND MENS 6 MIXED NETBALL ASSOCIATION

he 2013 calendar was another busy one for New Zealand Men's and Mixed Netball with record numbers of teams attending both annual tournaments.

The National Men's Tournament was held in Wellington and featured 19 teams; a highlight was the inclusion of the first Australian team to take part in a New Zealand Men's & Mixed Netball Association (NZMMNA) tournament with the Australian National U19 team competing in the U23 grade.

Canterbury has dominated this tournament for almost two decades and won the title for the 18th consecutive year; this is a record for any sport in New Zealand.

The year ahead shows no signs of slowing down with four teams travelling to Sydney for a trans-Tasman tour: Open Men, Open Mixed, Under 23s and Under 19s. The National Mixed Tournament will be in Auckland over Easter while the National Men's competition will be celebrating its 30-year anniversary in Rotorua.

Sixteen teams competed in the National Mixed Tournament, which took place over Easter Weekend in Auckland, and a superb showing by North Harbour saw the team win all four grades.

#### 2013 OPEN MEN'S GRADE

Winners	Canterbury
Runners-up	North Harbour
Most Valued Player	Pili Apulu
2013 U23 GRA	DE
Winners	Cook Strait
Runners-up	Canterbury
Most Valued Player	Ene Henry
2013 B GRADE	
Winners	Canterbury Masters
Runners-up	Nelson/Tasman
Most Valued Player	Paul Cameron

2013 OPEN MIX	2013 OPEN MIXED GRADE					
Winners	North Harbour					
Runners-up	Canterbury					
Most Valued Player	Tai Lauagiagi					
2013 MIXED U23 GRADE						
Winners	North Harbour					
Runners-up	Counties Manukau					
Most Valued Player	Tarratina Tuliloa					
2013 MIXED B GRADE						
2013 MIXED B G	ARADE					
Winners	North Harbour					
Winners	North Harbour					
Winners Runners-up	North Harbour Auckland Cameron Powell					
Winners Runners-up Most Valued Player	North Harbour Auckland Cameron Powell					
Winners Runners-up Most Valued Player 2013 MIXED GF	North Harbour Auckland Cameron Powell ADE					



# NETBALL NEW ZEALAND SOCIAL MEDIA 2013

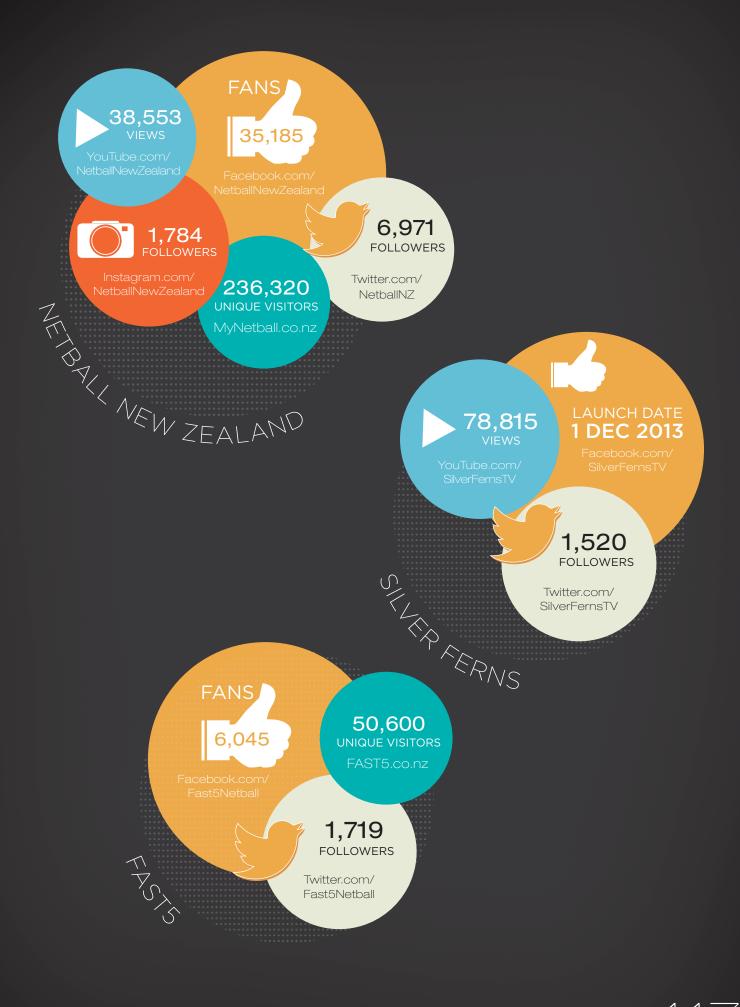
etball New Zealand has taken social media into a whole new realm in 2013, with social platforms for both NNZ and the Silver Ferns. The Silver Ferns Facebook page was to be launched on 1 December 2013; this will undoubtedly break records in 2014.

Another highlight for the social media sector of NNZ was the growth of the NNZ Facebook page; The number of fans surpassed 35,000 – an increase of well over 50% since 2012. The growing number of followers on the social platforms has enabled NNZ to accurately and efficiently maximise the use of social media as a tool for marketing, advertising, informing and driving traffic to the NNZ website.

Also, My Netball News was launched in 2013; this is a community newsletter that informs fans and community netballers alike to engage with Netball, from grass-roots to High Performance, and to keep up to date with the latest Netball news from around the country and beyond.

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# NETBALL NEW ZEALAND

Service Award Holders



#### 1967

L Coatsworth Waikato\* J Durbin Auckland J Ellis Auckland R Lane Nx President\* J Lodge Rotorua\* J Roundtree Auckland

#### 1968

D Brown NZNA\* P Cairney NZNA\* V Flood NZNA\* K Palmer NZNA\* V Rainey Waikato I Weston NZNA\* E Yates Canterbury

#### 1969

P Bithell Taranaki\* F Gibson Wellington\*

#### 1970

R McCarthy Hawke's Bay H Paul Wellington\* I Stuart Auckland

#### 1971

M Denniston Western Bay of Plenty N Ford South Canterbury T Jamison Rotorua B Marchant Wellington

#### 1972

I Graham South Waikato\* M Jenden NZNA\* G Symes Hawke's Bay\*

#### 1973

A Gemming Western Bay of Plenty

H M V Wickens Te Kawau

#### 1974

B Ditford Canterbury\* L Duffy Hutt Valley O Husband Ashburton J Lee Canterbury\* M Pierson Hutt Valley H Yates Canterbury

#### 1975

D Cockerton Matamata\* P Cullen Wellington\* A Elder Canterbury F Gough Canterbury\* E Hoglund (née Penman) Ashburton D Hughes Canterbury D Knuckey NZUA\* K E J McCann Wellington A Nichol Canterbury\* S M J Peacock North Shore J Prevett Matamata S Ramsey Matamata A Taylor Hutt Valley

## 1976

- V Gavin Otago\* E George Otago D Hes Southland\* L McTaggart Otago
- Y M Sycamore South Waikato\*
- N Whittleson Otago
- C E Williamson Poverty Bay

#### 1977

- Y A Atkins Hawke's Bay V Byers Otago M E Lee Hawke's Bay E Moon Waikato
- E A Taylor Waikato

#### 1978

S Deeble King Country P McCloy Otago M McConnell Otago\* M McDougall South Auckland L Muir Otago J Russell Auckland S Smith Wellington\* A Temple Wellington

#### 1979

M Dorne Horowhenua\* E Hansen Manawatu D O'Neil Wellington B Plant Wellington\* N Read Canterbury\* J Selby Manawatu O Shannahan Canterbury B M Steffensen Manawatu

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M Beattie Te Kawau D Dee Nelson M K George (née Smith) North Shore

#### 1981

- L Collins Hawke's Bay V Fletcher West Auckland B Fryer Poverty Bay I Gurr Manawatu\* M D Jones Auckland J Prankerd Wellington S Sanderson Matamata J Skelsey Wanganui
- A Sutton Hawke's Bay
- A Tippet Southland

#### 1982

N Burns North Otago P Cleland Wellington A Jacobs Howick/Pakuranga D Madgwick North Shore N McLean Western Bay of Plenty I Reeves South Waikato D Smith Wellington B Woodham Marlborough M Wright South Waikato

#### 1983

J Blissett Temuka and Districts M Herron (née Thompson) Otago A Thurlow Otago

#### 1984

- R Delamare Eastern Bay of Plenty D Fathers Thames Valley N Harris Kaikoura N Shannon Eastern Bay of Plenty
- D Simpson North Canterbury
- A Turnbull Thames Valley

#### 1985

E Findlay Southland

#### 1986

B Harding Hawke's Bay N Peggs West Auckland B Wood Taranaki

#### 1987

M Donovan King Country J Williams Howick/Pakuranga

#### 1988

H Brewer West Auckland F Freeman North Shore M Kennedy South Canterbury

#### 1989

C Archer Wellington M Leggat Waikato J Murray Canterbury E Robinson South Canterbury

#### 1990

R Aberhart Nelson B A McIntosh Mid-Canterbury E A Vernon Manawatu B Wells Auckland

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- B Armstrong Canterbury
- A Carnie North Shore
- S Cooper North Shore
- M Erickson Canterbury\*
- **S Mackle** Temuka and Districts

#### 1992

- E Collett Waimate S Dawson Bay of Plenty Coast L Fowler Auckland F Howard Western Districts N Ryder Waimate\*
- N Toomer Kapi-Mana

#### 1993

Rita Cosgrove South Canterbury Marlene Flavell Auckland Valerie Fowler Howick/Pakuranga Lyn Gunson Waikato Nita Hornbrook Nelson Audrey Leath Ashburton Patricia Maddocks Wellington

#### 1993 (continued)

Marilyn Munro Wellington Jill Shanley Waikato Lorraine Stowell Ashburton

#### 1994

Edna Balle Pukekohe Carole Craighead Auckland Audrey Hinton Pukekohe Lyn Miles Canterbury Annette Orangi Canterbury\* Kathleen Thomas Sunrise Coast Sheryl Wells Auckland Heather Williamson Midland

#### 1995

Lois Bush Auckland Jean Hansen Northland Beverley Harrison Howick/Pakuranga Keitha McKendry Manawatu\* Margaret Sheppard Pukekohe

#### 1997

Janet Hefford Canterbury Jessie Thompson Canterbury Valerie Winder Wanganui

#### 1998

Flora Beynon Buller/Westland Kathleen Farrell Waikato Shona Foxcroft Temuka and Districts Alwyn Stiven West Otago Joyce Wallace Waimate Yvonne Willering North Harbour

#### 1999

Margaret Burgess North Harbour Shirley Davis Auckland Wilma Hendry Otago May Laws Otago Gay Netton Horowhenua Ann O'Brien Otago Rose Williams Bay of Plenty Coast

#### 2000

Kathy Doyle Wellington Kate Leebody Southland Beryl O'Sullivan Manawatu Beverley Raine Taranaki

#### 2001

Sheena Armishaw Wanganui Colleen Bond Southland Hazel Burrowes Southland\* Dorothy Fitzpatrick Marlborough Jean Gillett South Canterbury Pat James Howick/Pakuranga Kay McIntyre North Harbour Maureen Russell Thames Valley Georgina Salter Otago Beverley Tibbles West Coast

#### 2002

Robyn Broughton Southland Mary Meek Rangitikei Margaret Perry Wellington Ian Schrader Otago\* Carolyn Sengelow South Canterbury

#### 2003

Lyn Bailey Howick/Pakuranga Annette Lewis Horowhenua Lyndsay Meads Katikati Doreen Neil Rotorua Hiraina Hilda Ross Harbourside Mary Thompson Rotorua

#### 2004

Irene Collins North Harbour Joanna Paora Hutt Valley Mirth Solomon Rotorua Elaine Tollen Manurewa Doreen Tucker Dunedin Noeline Ward Canterbury Isobel Whyte Hurunui

#### 2005

Marjorie Carr Waikato Eileen Margaret Crowe Christchurch Maureen Flannagan Manawatu Kereyn Smith NNZ Sylvia Smith Waikato Margaret Spencer Auckland Waitakere

# 2006

Norma Bates North Maree Bernasconi Pukekohe Annette Parkinson Manawatu Noeline Ramsey Waiuku Rebecca Tukukino Bay of Plenty

## 2007

Anne Bloomfield Western Tina Karaitiana Gisborne Te Aroha Keenan Auckland Waitakere Violet Lynch Eastern Southland Margaret Nicholson Waikato Susanne Trim Manawatu

## 2008

Annette Bradley Whangarei Jan Castle Howick/Pakuranga Suzzanne Driscoll Hutt Valley Anne Marie Leech Mid-Canterbury Julie McDonald Howick/Pakuranga Diane McTigue Mid-Canterbury Kay Norris Christchurch Christine Rodda Christchurch Sheena Tyrell Mid-Canterbury

## 2009

Margaret Bennie Otago Monica Burns Southland Robin Harding Auckland Waitakere Nancy Lewin Kapiti Centre Susan Miller Counties Manukau Theresa Strachan Taranaki Waimarama Taumaunu Wellington Patricia Wyatt Bay of Plenty Diane Yorke Bay of Plenty

## 2010

Jan Gallop Tasman Linda Liggins Manawatu Lyn Pellow Auckland Waitakere Ronwyn Wilkins Motueka

#### 2011

Paula Bailey Auckland Waitakere Karen Brown Southland Madge Cathro Taranaki LeeAnne Clark Auckland Waitakere Shelley Fissenden Kaikoura Susan Hare Hutt Valley Geraldine Hodgson Nelson Raeline Ottley Waimate Ivy Topping Taranaki

# 2012

Ruth Aitken NNZ Dulcie Brunel North Harbour Joanne Davis-Goff Waikato Tracey Fear NNZ Leigh Gibbs NNZ Adrianne Hayes Christchurch June Kilgour Howick/Pakuranga Colleen Lyons Otago Carole Maddix North Harbour Raewyn Mills Papakura Helen Schulz North Harbour Cathie Shaw Waikato Eleanor Simmons North Harbour Rhonda Turner Papakura Michele Wallace North Harbour

## 2013

Edna Brown Hamilton City Dorothy Craighead North Canterbury Isabel Forrester North Canterbury Lynette Gubb Rodney Diane Moloney South Canterbury Lynn Stratford South Canterbury Mureen Turfrey Eastern Southland

\* Known to be deceased

# FINANCIALS 2013







# INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT To the members of Netball New Zealand Incorporated

#### **REPORT ON THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Netball New Zealand Incorporated ('the incorporated society') on pages 124 to 129. The financial statements comprise the statement of financial position as at 30 November 2013, the statements of financial performance and statement of movements in equity for the year then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

#### THE BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

The Board is responsible for the preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand and International Financial Reporting Standards that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate, and for such internal control as the board determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement whether due to fraud or error.

#### AUDITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with International Standards on Auditing (New Zealand) and International Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgement, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the incorporated society's preparation of the financial statements that give a true and fair view of the matters to which they relate in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the incorporated society's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates, as well as evaluating the presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Our firm has also provided other services to the incorporated society in relation to taxation and general accounting services. Subject to certain restrictions, partners and employees of our firm may also deal with the incorporated society on normal terms within the ordinary course of trading activities of the business of the incorporated society. These matters have not impaired our independence as auditor of the incorporated society. The firm has no other relationship with, or interest in, the incorporated society.

#### OPINION

In our opinion the financial statements on pages 124 to 129:

- comply with generally accepted accounting practice in New Zealand;
- give a true and fair view of the financial position of the incorporated society as at 30 November 2013 and of its financial performance for the year then ended.

#### REPORT ON OTHER LEGAL AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with the requirements of sections 16(1)(d) and 16(1)(e) of the Financial Reporting Act 1993, we report that:

- we have obtained all the information and explanations that we have required; and
- in our opinion, proper accounting records have been kept by Netball New Zealand Incorporated as far as appears from our examination of those records.

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17 December 2013 KPMG Auckland

# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

for the year ended 30 November 2013

	NOTES	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
Operating Revenue	3	10,082	10,554	15,370	15,418
Operating Expenses	3	9,050	11,014	14,321	15,719
Operating Surplus/(Deficit)		1,032	(460)	1,049	(301)
Net Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year		1,032	(460)	1,049	(301)

# STATEMENT OF MOVEMENTS IN EQUITY for the year ended 30 November 2013

	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
Members' Equity at Beginning of the Year	2,301	2,810	2,171	2,521
Operating Surplus/(Deficit) for the Year	1,032	(460)	1,049	(301)
Total Recognised Revenues and Expenses for the Period	1,032	(460)	1,049	(301)
(Less)/Plus Transfers (to)/from Revaluation Reserve Investments	-	(49)	-	(49)
(Less) Transfer to Revaluation Reserve Investments				
Members' Equity at End of the Year	3,333	2,301	3,220	2,171

The notes on pages 110 to 113 form part of, and should be read in conjunction with, these financial statements

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# STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

as at 30 November 2013

		NNZ	NNZ	GROUP	GROUP
	NOTES	2013 \$000	2012 \$000	2013 \$000	2012 \$000
ASSETS	-				
Cash and Short-term Deposits		3,377	2,222	3,736	2,478
Accounts Receivable	_	1,200	1,142	1,450	1,865
Prepayments	_	65	31	73	35
Other	—	-	-	67	98
Total Current Assets		4,642	3,395	5,327	4,476
	—				
Plant and Equipment	5	175	194	175	195
Loan to/(from) TTNL Ltd	_	400	400	-	-
Loans to/(from) Regions/Franchises		120	120	120	120
Investments	 10	1,067	1,380	1,067	1,380
Total Non-current Assets	_	1,762	2,094	1,362	1,695
	_				
TOTAL ASSETS		6,404	5,489	6,689	6,171
Members' Equity	9	3,333	2,301	3,222	2,171
LIABILITIES					
Creditors and Accruals	4	1,357	2,197	1,702	2,767
GST Due	_	(210)	(71)	(204)	(71)
Income Received in Advance	_	1,925	1,062	1,925	1,062
Owing to Related Party	—	-	•	10	207
Other			-	35	35
		3,072	3,188	3,467	4,000
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		6,404	5,489	6,689	6,171

ON BEHALF OF THE NETBALL NEW ZEALAND BOARD

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Raewyn Lovett, NNZ Chair 17 December 2013

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Suri Bartlett, Chair - NNZ Finance and Audit Committee 17 December 2013



for the year ended 30 November 2013

## 1/ ACCOUNTING POLICIES

#### **BASIS OF REPORTING**

Netball New Zealand Incorporated (NNZ) is an Incorporated Society in New Zealand. NNZ is a Public Benefit Entity. The financial statements have been prepared in accordance with NZ GAAP and s23(i) of the Incorporated Societies Act 1908.

NNZ is not publicly accountable and is not large as defined by NZICA Framework for Differential Reporting. The Incorporation has claimed the following reporting exemptions:

(a) FRS10 Statement of Cash Flows.

(b) FRS3 Accounting for Property, Plant and Equipment.

These financial statements have been prepared on the basis of historical cost with the exception of certain items which are detailed below.

#### **GOING CONCERN**

The financial statements have been prepared on a going-concern basis.

#### GOODS AND SERVICES TAX

Figures shown in these financial statements are exclusive of GST, with the exception of accounts receivable and accounts payable.

#### **REVENUE RECOGNITION**

The revenue from Sponsorship contracts is allocated over the term of the contract. Where the Sponsorship relates to a specific event, the revenue is recognised when the event occurs. The revenue from Grants that are project specific is recognised when the project occurs.

#### CONTRA

Contra received is recognised as Sponsorship revenue when amounts are quantifiable in terms of the Sponsorship contract.

#### ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE

Accounts Receivable are shown at an amount which represents their estimated realisable value.

#### **INVESTMENTS**

Investments have been valued at market value as at 30 November 2013. They have been recognised through a revaluation reserve.

#### PLANT, EQUIPMENT AND DEPRECIATION

Plant and Equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation. Plant and Equipment have been written off over their estimated useful lives on a straight line basis to calculate the depreciation charge for the period as follows:

Office Alterations	10 years
Office Equipment	2 - 5 years
Furniture and Fittings	2 - 15 years
Other Equipment	2 – 5 years

#### UNIFORMS

Uniforms are expensed at the time of purchase.

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#### INTEREST IN JOINT VENTURE

The Joint Venture is a joint arrangement with other parties in which NNZ has several liability in respect of costs and liabilities, and shares in any resulting output. Netball New Zealand's share of the assets, liabilities, revenues and expenses of the joint venture are incorporated into the financial statements on a line-by-line basis.

#### TAXATION

NNZ is a non-profit body for taxation purposes under section CW 46 of the Income Tax Act 2007 and, as such, no taxation is payable on the profit for the year.

#### CHANGES IN ACCOUNTING POLICIES

There has been no change in accounting policies during the year and these policies have been applied on a consistent basis.

## 2/ CONTINGENT LIABILITIES AND COMMITMENTS

COMMITMENTS UNDER NON-CANCELLABLE OPERATING LEASES	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
Current	208	291	208	389
Non-current	236	450	236	450
Total Operating Lease Commitments	445	741	445	839

# 3/ OPERATING SURPLUS

OPERATING SURPLUS INCLUDES:	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
INCOME				
Sponsorship	4,685	5,267	5,479	9,441
Sport NZ	1,889	2,087	1,889	2,087
Grants	1,370	1,395	1,370	3,482
EXPENSES				
Audit Fees	12	14	15	19
Doubtful Debts	14	-	14	28
Depreciation	101	69	102	84
Debt Write off and Repayment (note 12)	-	1,374	-	-
Rental and Operating Lease Expenses	208	224	246	334
Unrealised Loss on Investments	52	-	-	-
Realised Loss on Investments	17	-	-	-
Loss on Disposal of Fixed Assets	-	•	-	-

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# 4/ CREDITORS AND ACCRUALS

	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
Trade Creditors	274	430	296	1,139
Accruals/Other Creditors	1,084	1,767	1,406	1,628
	1,357	2,197	1,702	2,767

# 5/ PLANT AND EQUIPMENT

	NNZ 2013 \$000			NNZ 2012 \$000				
	АССИМ ВООК						ACCUM	воок
	COST	DEPN	DEPN	VALUE	COST	DEPN	DEPN	VALUE
Office Alterations	26	4	13	13	13	3	8	5
Office Equipment	357	12	234	123	324	55	169	154
Furniture and Fittings	61		45	16	61	3	41	20
Other Equipment	121	81	98	23	89	7	74	15
	564	101	390	175	487	69	293	194

		GROUP 2013 \$000			GROUP 2012 \$000			
			ACCUM	воок			ACCUM	воок
	COST	DEPN	DEPN	VALUE	COST	DEPN	DEPN	VALUE
Office Alterations	26	4	13	13	37	12	31	5
Office Equipment	357	12	234	123	358	63	203	155
Furniture and Fittings	61	4	45	16	61	3	41	20
Other Equipment	121	82	98	23	89		74	15
	564	102	390	175	544	86	349	195

# 6/ JOINT VENTURE

Netball New Zealand has a 50% interest in TTNL Ltd. TTNL provides Netball services.

The operating results to the 12 months ended 31 October 2013 (which is different from NNZ's balance date) have been included in these financial statements. Operating results, assets and liabilities are proportionately consolidated within these financial statements. During the year the following balances were received from TTNL: \$175,000, as an event management fee, \$19,000, office rental contribution, and \$40,000, staff secondment.

## 7/ OVERDRAFT FACILITIES

In 2012, NNZ and Netball Australia have undertaken to underwrite TTNL Ltd's overdraft facility with the ANZ Banking Group Ltd. This overdraft facility is up to NZ\$500,000, of which NNZ will cover 50%, as at 30 April 2013, this is no longer in existence.

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#### 8/ BOARD HONORARIA

An honoraria payment was made to Board members for the year as follows: President \$10,500, Board Chair \$25,000, Finance & Audit Committee Chair \$13,500, five remaining Board Members \$10,500 each. The CEO does not receive an honorarium.

## 9/ MEMBERS' EQUITY

	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
General Funds	2,871	1,840	2,760	1,710
Revaluation Reserve	25	25	25	25
Special Initiatives Fund	311	311	311	311
Depreciation Fund	125	125	125	125
Total Members' Equity	3,333	2,301	3,222	2,171

# 10/ INVESTMENTS

	NNZ 2013 \$000	NNZ 2012 \$000	GROUP 2013 \$000	GROUP 2012 \$000
Cash and Fixed Interest - Short Term	887	580	887	580
Fixed Interest - Long Term	1,067	1,380	1,067	1,380
Total Investments	1,954	1,960	1,954	1,960

## **11/ SUBSEQUENT EVENTS**

There have been no events subsequent to balance date that would have a material impact on the financial statements (2012: \$nil)

## 12/ RELATED-PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Netball New Zealand and Central Netball Regions have a loan agreement in place. This agreement allows for interest to be paid if the Lender requests an interest payment. This interest will be repayable on demand within three months of written notice at the end of each anniversary date. No interest has been demanded to date.

No further debt was written off in 2013; the NNZ Board agreed to write off/repay restructure debt in 2012 of \$1.37 million.

Other than those with TTNL Limited and the Franchises as disclosed, NNZ has had no related-party transactions during the 2013 financial year (2012: \$nil).











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