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2017 BASKETBALL INFORMATION FLYER

INTRODUCTION

The Gold Coast Academy of Sport (GCAS) is proud to announce the 2017 Basketball Program. This successful program has been running for 4 years and our coach is Thalo Green, a former NBL player with experience in the US and Australian systems.

The selected athletes will be invited to participate in a high performance development program incorporating both practical skills and personal development. This program is aimed at providing additional benefits outside of normal club and association trainings.

The focus of the training will be on individual skill development and basic fitness. In addition to the skills and fitness training there will be core educational sessions for the athletes to help themselves prepare off the field and grow on a personal level.

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible for the Academy Basketball Program, athletes must be:

- Males or Females born between 2000 & 2004 inclusive (U14 to U18 years old in 2017)
- A current financial member of a local Basketball association located within the Queensland Gold Coast region.
- Must be a resident in the Queensland Gold Coast region.
- Currently involved in training and competing in local basketball competitions.
- Aspiring to improve and achieve elite representation in Basketball.

ATHLETE COMMITMENT

Athletes are accepted on the program upon signing an athlete agreement to attend compulsory training / educational sessions as scheduled. If athletes are unable to attend a session they are to advise the Program Manager or Coach. Only eligible athletes who can fulfill these commitments are encouraged to apply.

COST

A levy of **\$250** (incl. GST) is applicable to successful athletes and covers the full cost of participation in the program and the GCAS merchandise kit (uniform). This uniform is to be worn by athletes at GCAS training sessions and associated sessions. The levy also covers the cost of attendance (1 athlete & 2 parents) at the Annual Awards Night. (19th October 2017)

APPLICATION / SELECTION PROCESS

Please fill in the application form available on our website. Applications close on 2 June 2017.

Appointed coach will identify players for selection. Successful athletes will be announced on 5 June 2017.

If successful, the athlete must complete the participation agreement, medical form and pay the specified levy.

All forms will be made available on the GCAS website, www.goldsport.com.au/basketball

If athletes withdraw from the program, a cancellation policy applies.

IMPORTANT DATES

GCAS squad announced: 5 June 2017

Training One: 12 June 2017

CONTACT / FURTHER INFORMATION

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