

# Pine Panthers Press



*"Our goal is to achieve through genuine sportsmanship and fair play"*

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Welcome to the 3rd edition of the Pine Panthers Press for 2013 which is jammed packed full of information for you all - Including carnivals, players needed, umpire updates, playing times and lots more. Your feedback and any suggestions for the next edition of the Newsletter are always welcome via email to [pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com](mailto:pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com). Thanks and happy reading !!



## **MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT**

How good do we look at the courts everyone? We had the junior netball carnival last Sunday & the 2 tents went up and everyone started asking questions and complimenting us. The starry tablecloth out the front with our sign finished the look off nicely. WE LOOK LIKE A CLUB TO JOIN!!!!

Thank you, thank you, thank you to all coaches, managers, umpires & committee members for putting in a long day at the carnival. Thank you to all parents that helped out on the day as well Not once did our name get called up for any issues, which was great to NOT hear!!

A very special THANK YOU to all our players. You all played beautifully & you wore our uniform with pride. All 5 teams stood out on the day. It is a credit to you all that whether you won or lost, you held your heads up and you didn't stop smiling all day. Love you all girls!!!!

I now can't wait for the senior carnival. It will be even bigger than last weekend. I encourage all our teams to join in on Sunday 14th July. This initiation is for teams from 12's up to seniors.

Keep up the great work everybody.

Many Thanks

Rachelle Swan



**2013 EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING DATES** If you would like to join our committee we are always looking for general committee members so please contact us at [pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com](mailto:pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com)

14 <sup>th</sup> May	13 <sup>th</sup> August	12 <sup>th</sup> November
11 <sup>th</sup> June	10 <sup>th</sup> September	10 <sup>th</sup> December
9 <sup>th</sup> July	8 <sup>th</sup> October	

All are welcome to attend. Meetings start at 7.00pm sharp at Peter Dutton's office – Cnr Mecklem Street & Gympie Road, Strathpine. Our committee members are available to help you in any way they can. Please do not hesitate to contact them with any questions or issues you may have.



**MESSAGE FROM OUR WEB DESIGNER**



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**PINK DAY AT NETBALL**

**HELP SUPPORT BREAST CANCER NETWORK AUSTRALIA SATURDAY 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY**

Pine Rivers Netball Association is supporting this cause in a big way. We as a club would like all our players, coaches, umpires, managers, supporters to help us in supporting this cause with adding some pink to the uniform by buying some ribbon, zinc cream, hair spray, socks, pink shoe laces and by donating a gold coin on the day at the umpires table or by giving it to your team manager. We would all possibly know someone or know of someone that has been touched by this awful disease. Please help if you can.



**PLAYERS CELEBRATING!!!!**

Hip Hip Hooray for the following Pine Panthers players who have celebrated birthdays in

APRIL :-, PARIS G (9), CHLOE O (9), JADE S-S (11), TEAGAN B (12), GABRIELA C (14), DANYEL S (15), JACINTA C (24)

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

Hope you all had a fantastic day!!



**PINE PANTHERS WEBSITE!!** [www.pinepanthers.com](http://www.pinepanthers.com) Don't forget to visit our website regularly for any updates regarding the 2013 season. If you haven't already visited our new website, check it out at [www.pinepanthers.com](http://www.pinepanthers.com) . On the site you will find all the information you need :- Links to Rounds & points table draw for 2013 (when available) ; news & events ; newsletters; forms etc. We will be using the website to provide players with the latest updates so please remember to check the site regularly.



### **TEAM SPOTLIGHT NETTA 8 GEMS & JADE 10C**

Here we go our first team spotlight for the season!!!! Our little Gems !!!! Panther Gems Netta 8 and Panthers Jade 10C. Have a read and a look.

#### Panthers Jade 10C Blog

What a busy start to the 2013 Netball season. Panthers Jade has had a blast getting back into it all. We started the season with 7 wonderful girls and now have been joined by 2 more lovely girls (Caitlin and Chloe). With these new arrivals we have sadly had 2 girls break different parts of their arms, in unrelated netball incidences, however look forward to having them return to the netball court soon (Emily and Hannah). We had a brilliant junior carnival which saw all our netball skills used, friendships grow and team building happening. We are beginning to gel together like a well-oiled machine and look forward to the remainder of what will be a fantastic season. Go Panthers!!!

Thanks Beth



Panthers Jade 10C



Netta 8's GEMS

#### Netta 8's Gems Blog

Apparently the day was not so much about playing netball but more about climbing the trees at every chance they got. They all had tonnes of fun though.



### **PLAYERS NEEDED**

We have **2 vacancies in our under 10 teams** and **1 vacancy in netta 9** if you know of somebody that would like to have a go at playing netball or has played and is thinking they would like to play again please ask them to contact the club via email [pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com](mailto:pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com) or contact our registrar Sharyn on mobile 0447577027.



### **UNIFORMS**

If you would like to sell your uniform from last season please contact our Uniform Convenor via email at [pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com](mailto:pinepanthers@pinepanthers.com) to discuss this in more detail.

Also the club is very and excited about a new addition to our uniform range, our **supporter shirt**.

Some of the parents and players may have seen them at the junior carnival last weekend as some of the committee had them on and they look absolutely fabulous!!!!!! If you would like to enquire or place an order please email Uniform Convenor on the above email address.

They are selling for \$45 😊



### **UMPIRES UPDATE/BEGINNERS UMPIRE COURSE**

Well well, wasn't that a huge weekend umpires especially for our newbie's. Wasn't the carnival just great. Look at all the experience you got. Well done and keep up the great work. Hope you all had a good time.

PRNA are commencing a Beginners Umpires Course on 11<sup>th</sup> May 2013. Registration for this course is only on the 4<sup>th</sup> May at the umpires table so just need to put your name and payment of \$45 is required on that day. Start time for the course is 7am sharp on the 11<sup>th</sup> May. If you decide that you would like to attend this course please give your details to our umpire convenor as well.



### **GROUNDS DUTY**

Pine Panthers are on grounds duty in round 6 Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May. We have duties to perform in the morning before games commence and duties after the last game in the afternoon remember this how you can earn some points for your volunteer levy. These are duties that all clubs have to perform at some stage through the netball season. Help out your managers and put your hand up to help many hands make light work.



### **REP CARNIVALS**

PRNA is hosting a rep carnival on Sunday the 19<sup>th</sup> May if you have a free couple of hours come down and have a look at some of the games they are really quite good. It can be quite enjoying even though you might not know anyone playing and sometimes you can pick up new techniques players/coaches. Also if the Panthers club has duties to perform at the carnival then we may need your help also an extra way to earn points for your levy.



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Panthers have now joined the social network of Facebook. We will be using this to inform you about training, fitness training sessions, weather updates, and cancellation of training and Saturday rounds.

So remember to add us to your social network!!



Netta 8's GEMS



Panthers Topaz 11B



Well Done to Umpires at the Junior Carnival

PANTHERS CHILLAX 14B SUNSHINE COAST CARNIVAL



Thanks Umpire Beth

"OUR NEW MARQUE"

