

Tournament/Carnival Policy

General Information

Basketball tournaments and carnivals are held in Adelaide, regional South Australia, and interstate throughout the year. At the start of the season the Coach and Team Manager should discuss participation in appropriate Tournaments/Carnivals and liaise with the team's players and parents/carers.

Should a team wish to attend a Tournament/Carnival (other than the Easter Classic or State Champs), a Tournament Nomination Form must be completed via www.norwoodbasketball.com.au/tournament-registration.

Coaches or Team Managers are welcome to ring or email the office for further information.

It is the Team Managers responsibility to:

- make all travel and accommodation arrangements for the Team; and
- ensure the Coach, players and parents/carers are aware of the Club's "Tournament/Carnival Policy", "Alcohol and other Drugs Policy", and any other relevant policies, which are on the Club's website under "Policies".

Please refer to the uniform policy on requirements for tournament/carnival play.

Easter Classic:

For All Easter classic information, please go to our Easter classic website:

<http://www.easterclassic.com.au>

List of Tournaments and Carnivals

Name	Time of Year	Team Participation
Starplex Basketball Carnival	Australia Day Weekend	Norwood 1-8
Eltham/Dandenong Junior Tournament	Australia Day Weekend	Norwood 1-3
Adelaide Easter Classic	Easter Weekend	Norwood 1-8
State Champs**	Mid-May	Norwood 1 and 2
National Junior Classic*	King's Birthday Long Weekend	Norwood 1
Nunawading Tournament	King's Birthday Long Weekend	Norwood 1-8
Mildura Tri Star Tournament	King's Birthday Long Weekend	Norwood 3-8
Bearcat's Midyear Carnival	Mid-July School Holidays	Norwood 2-8
U14 Club Championships*	Late September-Early October	Norwood 1
St Clair Christmas Carnival	Mid-Dec	Norwood 1-8

*Qualification tournament

**Norwood 1 and Norwood 2 only

For further information about Classification carnivals (Easter Classic, Melbourne Classics, Under 14 Australian Club Championships and SA State Championships) contact the Norwood Office: admin@norwoodbasketball.com.au

Attendance/Entry Expectations

Norwood Flames expects all teams to enter into the Easter Classic, in the case a team cannot nominate a combination team is highly encouraged.

All Norwood 1 and 2 teams are entered into the State Championships and expectation that players selected in these teams are available for this weekend.

If qualified from State Champs the Norwood 1 teams are then entered into the National Junior Classics. If players are unavailable to attend over the June long weekend it is an expectation to tell your coach prior to the start of the championship season - this may impact team selection.

It is encouraged that Norwood 1 teams enter into the Eltham/Dandenong tournament over the Nunawading tournament. Norwood 2 teams however can choose between the two as they will both provide adequate development opportunities.

All other team nominations are subject to coach preference and team availability. It is not an expectation for players to attend or participate in tournaments and besides Norwood 1 this decision will not impact team selection, however carnivals and tournaments are a great skill development, team building and life experiences and are encouraged.

Please refer to the U14 Club Championship policy for expectation on attendance for that tournament.

Coach/Support Staff Subsidy:

Norwood has no formal policy enforcing individual teams to pay for their coach either travel or accommodation expenses (except for U14 Nationals). However, if the coach **does not** have a child or siblings playing in the travelling teams, it will be left to the team manager's discretion to ask parents for financial support.

It will never be considered compulsory for families to pay the extra, and players will not be discriminated against, or dropped from the travelling team, if they don't contribute.

If the coach **does have** a child or siblings in this team, Norwood suggests that the family would have incurred these travel and accommodation costs anyway and therefore no contribution is needed.