

INFORMATION RE: CARNIVALS, GALA DAYS AND FUN DAYS **- CARNIVAL ENTRY INFORMATION**

Associations affiliated with NSWNA from time to time run carnivals – see <http://nsw.netball.com.au/events/category/carnivals/list/>. These carnivals fall into several categories:-

- Representative ONLY– these carnivals are restricted to entries from affiliated association representative and development squad teams:
- All Age – these carnivals are open to all teams;
- Representative and/or Club – these carnivals are usually restricted to association and/or club teams within a particular age classification and most will have graded divisions.
 1. Senior – teams consisting of players over 15yrs of age. There may be Cadet divisions for 17yrs teams.
 2. Junior – 11, 12, 13, 14, & 15yrs teams.
 3. NetSetGo – 10, 9yrs & under teams.

Sutherland Shire Netball Association facilitates entry to these carnivals for club teams with an SSNA carnival entry form.

Teams may be made up of members of a single club team or players from several teams, from 1 or more clubs (even other associations). Teams **MUST** wear **the same uniform**; supply their own umpire and scorer; and **ALL PLAYERS MUST** be registered with NSWNA as PLAYERS to take part in carnivals.

When you decide to enter a carnival you must –

1. Fill in your team's SSNA carnival entry form and return it at least 2 weeks before the entry closing date, either in person to an SSNA venue Control or the SSNA office, or by email to the SSNA office. Please ensure that your Club is aware of your entry as SSNA will bill Clubs after the completion of carnivals – so as to allow for cancellations or balloting out. **DO NOT SEND PAYMENT WITH YOUR ENTRY.**
2. Make sure you know the location of the carnival. Location maps for commonly entered carnivals are available at venue Control with details.
3. Arrange with the members of your team suitable transport and an appropriate meeting place.
4. Make sure you allow ample time to arrive at the carnival venue well prior to the normal starting time of 8:30am (should this vary you will be notified).

