

Happy New Year everyone and welcome back to the Summer Basketball season!

We hope you all enjoyed the break and had a great Christmas and New Year.

It's great to see everyone back on the courts playing basketball again.













WINTER 2023 REGISTRATIONS ARE NOW OPEN!!!

With only a few more rounds left of the Summer season before finals, registrations are now open for the Winter 2023 Season. We have had to make a slight adjustment in fees to accommodate Knox Basketballs Team sheet increases. The club absorbed the last increase but are unable to continue to do it with KBI's recent 2nd increase.

Registration Fees:

Saturday - \$200Sunday - \$180

Fees are required to be paid by 6th March to enable teams to be sorted and submitted to Knox Basketball. A late payment fee of \$20 per member will apply if fees have not been received by this date.

Need financial assistance? – we are here to help. Contact our Treasurer, Sarka Howie to arrange a payment plan – sarka.howie@gmail.com

Family Discount Vouchers are available for families with 4 or more children.

Please follow the below link when you are ready to register. https://www.playhq.com/basketball_victoria/register/4c4038

UNIFORMS

All new uniforms must be ordered through our uniform coordinator. ksc.uniform@outlook.com



Do you have a uniform that no longer fits and are unsure what to do with it? We have a few options:

- 1. We gratefully accept donations of old uniforms to use as club loan uniforms.
- 2. We can offer a discount on a new uniform when ordering and donating at the same time.
- 3. We can take your old uniform on consignment and sell as second hand on your behalf (subject to uniform being in good condition).

Please avoid passing on old uniform tops to siblings or friends or reselling yourself as team numbers need to be checked and confirmed with other players.



Reminder to Coaches & Team Managers, please ensure that you contact the relevant Coordinators if requiring fill ins for your team.

Boys:

Agnes Maar (<u>agnes.maar@yahoo.com.au</u>)

Girls:

Jacob Kroenert kroenertjacob@gmail.com

What's happening off the courts?

We welcomed our newest Phoenix supporter! Congratulations to Maddy and Sid on the arrival of their beautiful daughter – Ivy. Maddy is the coach of our U14.1 girls and was back to coach for the first game back this year!!! Super effort by the new Mum.



We wish James Eldridge from our 19.1 boys' team all the best with his new adventures joining the Army.

The boys will miss you on the court and look forward to hearing all about your experiences.



THE PANCAKE PARLOUR

A big thank you to Lauren and Craig for organizing the Pancake Parlour rewards system that won our club \$1000. Thanks to our members who scanned their membership when eating in to earn us points towards winning the leader prize.



When using your Domino Pizza vouchers, please note that they can only be used at Knox and Ferntree Gully stores.



Unfortunately, we were unable to run our Spartans Warrior Zone boot camp in January, but we will be re scheduling for a new date to be confirmed shortly. Keep an eye out for further details. The boot camp will be open for all U16, U19 & U23 players.



We're about to kick off a fundraising drive to raise much needed funds for our Club.

It would be great if you could roll up your sleeves and help. The good news is that this fundraiser is super simple... and delicious.

Cadbury Fundraiser: we're selling boxes of Chocolates!!!

Adam from our committee will be at trainings next week (week of 20/2) to hand out a box of Chocolates to all members.

We're confident that this fundraising drive will help us reach our goal of raising some important funds for our club.

Thanks for your support.

Coming Soon!!!!

We are very excited to be working on a new App – Team Stack, which we are hopeful to have up and running before the commencement of the Winter 2023 season. The app will be useful to our members to communicate, get notifications, keep connected with their team and much more.



! RULE OF THE MONTH - NEW RULES FOR 2023!

"Throw in Foul":

Tip of the month Previously, if there was a foul before the pass in, with less than 2 minutes remaining of the game; this would be considered an unsportsmanlike foul. This has now been changed to a "throw in foul". This will result in 1 shot, followed by the ball returning to where it was before the foul occurred.

! RULE OF THE MONTH - NEW RULES FOR 2023 CONTINUED!

Beginning of the Game – Warm up and Team Direction:

"Teams are now to warm up at the basket closest to their team bench. The game will also begin with each team playing in the direction of the basket at which they warmed up. By mutual agreement, teams may exchange team bench and/or warm up end prior to the game.

Interpretation: You must start the game going in the direction of your team bench.

Reminder of upcoming Events

- Registration for Winter season due by Monday 6th March
 - Cadburys Chocolate Fundraiser coming soon
 - Team Stack Ap coming soon
- Spartans Warrior Zone boot Camp date to be confirmed



JANUARY

2nd Caitlyn Morgans
2nd Zoe Morgans
2nd Addison Roberts
7th Holly Bowman
7th Kierianah Morris
10th Lucinda Doyle
13th Jet Wiesner
17th Eason Wu
21st Dusty Moore
21st Liam Ward
29th Caleb MacLean

FEBRUARY

4th David Derham
6th Tamika Ferguson
10th Leah Forest
10th Mitch Tanner
17th Viana Tauiliili
17th Caitlyn Roberts
19th Charlie McMahon
20th Lottie Law
20TH Erin Davis
26th Andy Derham
28th Morgan Pelz

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We would like to thank all of our sponsors for their valued support. We encourage all of our members to support these local businesses that contribute to the success of our club.













