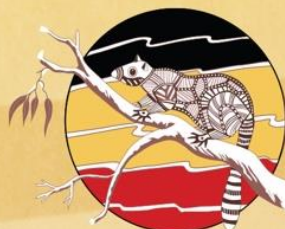


# CARNIVAL PACKAGE

**Wednesday 21st & Thursday 22nd  
September 2016**

In partnership with Wathaurong Aboriginal Cooperative and the Geelong Aboriginal Community



# REGISTRATIONS

Registrations will close on **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2016.**

Team registration forms are attached and must be completed and sent to Lelly Bamblett via email [lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)

Individuals can register separately via the attached form. Individuals that register separately will then be allocated to teams that are in their age group and have a need for players.

All registered players will get a game. Registration is to ensure that all playing participants in the carnival are covered by insurance.

## **ALL PLAYERS MUST BE REGISTERED.**

- No Player may take part in more than one division or play for more than one side.
- Players are encouraged to play in their own age group for talent identification.

## **AGE GROUPS**

Football & Netball

- 19 and under (98/97) **NETBALL ONLY**
- 17 and under (born 99/00)
- 15 and under (born 01/02/03)
- 12 and under (born 04/05/06/07)
- Auskick for 8 & unders.

**Please Note** – participants are encouraged to play in their own age group for talent identification.

## **CARNIVAL FIXTURE**

The draw will be made available at the earliest possible date prior to the commencement of the Carnival, following the close of nominations.

**Please Note** – Fixtures are subject to change.

## **CARNIVAL COORDINATORS**

Registration and Administration –  
Lelly Bamblett - 0432 416 139  
[lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)

Wauthaurong Contact:  
Monica Forrest - 0411 954 895  
[Monica.Forrest@wauthaurong.org.au](mailto:Monica.Forrest@wauthaurong.org.au)

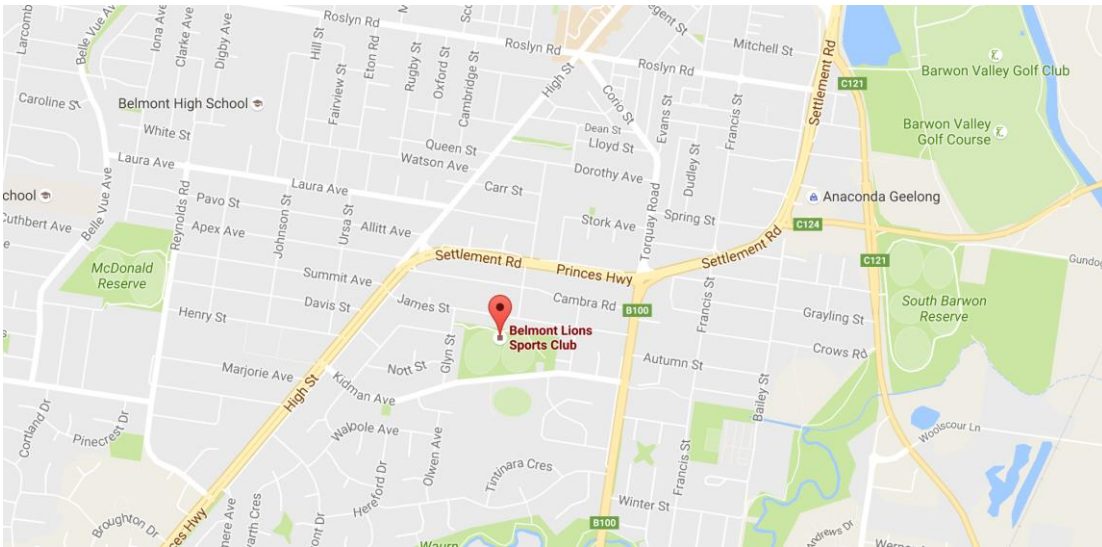


## VENUES

### FOOTBALL

#### Belmont Football Club

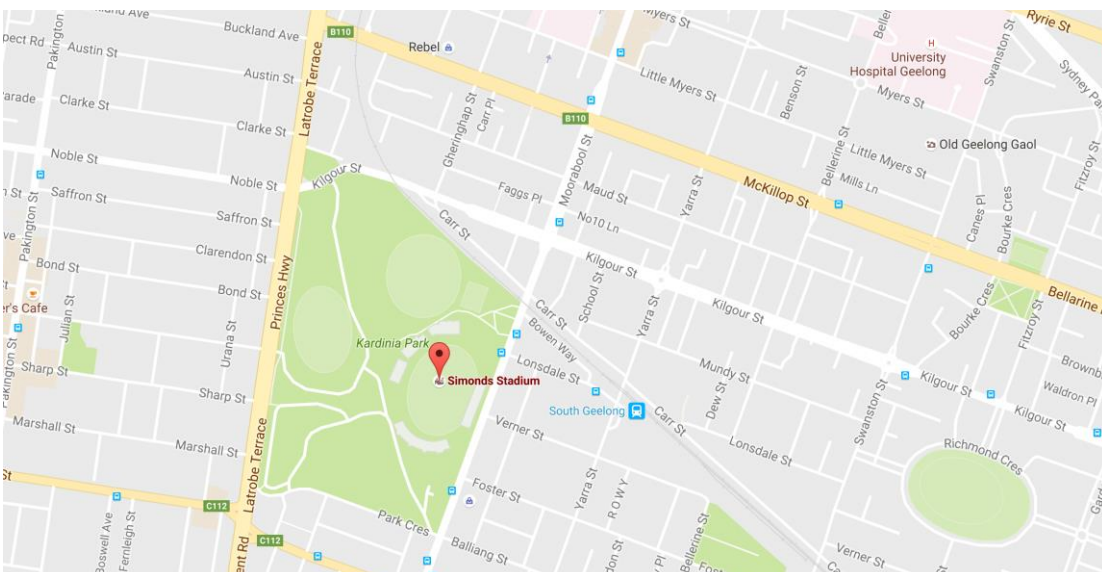
**Address: Winter Reserve, Glyn St, Belmont VIC 3216**



### NETBALL

#### Kardinia Park

**Address: 370 Moorabool Street, South Geelong VIC 3220**



**VACSAL Statewide Junior Football Netball Carnival  
Geelong 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016  
Team Registration Form**

<b>FOOTBALL</b>		
<b>Team Name:</b>		
<b>Age Group:</b>	<b>U17</b>	
	<b>U15</b>	
	<b>U12</b>	
<b>Uniform Colours:</b>		
<b>Team Contact:</b>		
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>Email:</b>		
<b>Phone:</b>		

VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival 2016

**Registrations close Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016**

Email: [lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)

## FOOTBALL TEAM LIST:

TEAM:			AGE GROUP:	
NO	Surname	Given Name	DoB	AFL Vic Reg
1				
2				
3				
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19				
20				
21				
22				
Coach:			Team Manager	
Assistant Coach:			Goal Umpire	
Runner:			Boundary Umpire:	

**VACSAL Statewide Junior Football Netball Carnival**  
**Geelong 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016**  
**Team Registration Form**

<b>NETBALL</b>		
<b>Team Name:</b>		
<b>Age Group:</b>	<b>U19</b>	
	<b>U17</b>	
	<b>U15</b>	
	<b>U12</b>	
<b>Uniform Colours:</b>		
<b>Team Contact:</b>		
<b>Name:</b>		
<b>Address:</b>		
<b>Email:</b>		
<b>Phone:</b>		

VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival 2016

**Registrations close Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016**

Email: [lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)

**VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival 2015  
Geelong 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016**

**NETBALL TEAM LIST:**

TEAM:				
	Surname	Given Name	DoB	Netball Vic Reg
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**OFFICIALS:**

Coach:		Team Manager	
Assistant Coach:		Scorer:	

VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival 2016  
**Registrations close Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016**  
Email: [lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)

**VACSAL Statewide Junior Football Netball Carnival  
Geelong 21<sup>st</sup> & 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2016  
Individual Registration Form**

<b>INDIVIDUAL NOMINATION</b>			
<b>Name:</b>			
<b>Date of Birth:</b>			
	<b>U19</b>		
	<b>U17</b>		
	<b>U15</b>		
	<b>U12</b>		
<b>Select Sport:</b>	Football		Netball
<b>Contact Person:</b>	(Parent/Guardian)		
<b>Name:</b>			
<b>Address:</b>			
<b>Email:</b>			
<b>Phone:</b>			

VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival 2016

**Registrations close Friday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 2016**

Email: [lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au](mailto:lelly.bamblett@vacsal.org.au)



# INTRODUCTION

## FOREWORD

The Victorian Aboriginal Community Services (VACSAL) understands the significant role that gatherings, such as family, community, cultural and sporting events have played in our Aboriginal community since time began.

VACSAL is a peak Aboriginal Community organisation delivering a range of government funded programs to support and assist children, young people and families as well as strengthening communities and culture.

These annual events have a productive impact on many levels of the Victorian Aboriginal society; the carnivals bring various communities from all over Victoria together in a highly valued cultural exchange. The gathering of so many Aboriginal families in the one place reinstalls kinship arrangements and the obligations associated with kinship. There are very few opportunities for the Aboriginal communities of Victorian to come together as nations to share common interest, to participate in sports and at the same time discuss issues affecting each community.

Providing an avenue for communities, families and individuals to be involved in a cultural meaningful activity is an established method of strengthening community. It promotes Aboriginal connections and awareness that impact on community safety.

VACSAL are pleased to have the support of the Aboriginal Health and Wellbeing branch of the Department of Health and Human Services. The notion of the carnival and their role fit nicely with their statement that “Health and wellbeing through sport, community connectedness and culture are integral to our people thriving.”

Dr Alf Bamblett worked tirelessly in our community over his lifetime to ensure that Aboriginal people had a voice, that we are participants and not just recipients. This Carnival is all about participation. Whilst we expect that each competitor will step up and bring their best, we also hope that each will value the experience of the competition and connection with kin and community.

This Carnival will always be a special event that has a very important place in the Aboriginal community throughout Victoria. “It’s not just about sport.” It is so much more to so many people.

VACSAL recognises that sports is a great vehicle to engage the Aboriginal community in promoting healthy lifestyles, addressing social disadvantage and strengthening cultural identity in order to create of a strong, healthy and vibrant community.

# 1) CODE OF CONDUCT

This policy is designed to promote to community members a respectful “Code of Conduct” during your participation at the VACSAL State-wide Junior Football Netball Carnival, conducted during September, 2016 in Geelong.

The primary purpose of the Carnival is for the Aboriginal communities of Victoria to gather and participate in friendly competition in a healthy and culturally safe environment. This purpose serves to promote cultural ties, family participation, healthy lifestyle and showcasing our unique talents. It is also an opportunity for talent identification through AFL and Netball Victoria Pathways Programs. By Signing this form you are confirming that your team of which you are managing will adhere to the following guidelines.

# 2) CARNIVAL GUIDING PRINCIPLES

- a) We remind you all that you are on traditional Aboriginal land; we ask that you acknowledge & respect country whilst you are in the area.
- b) That you respect both Aboriginal and Non-Aboriginal community members. We ask that you treat the visit, as you would wish your community to be treated when communities come to your country.
- c) Ensure a safe and healthy environment for all families, in particular young children and elders attending the carnival.
- d) Respect the Venue and surrounding area which includes all their Signage.
- e) Refrain from smoking in those areas where smoking is not permitted.
- f) No alcohol or drugs are permitted at this event.
- g) We encourage all drivers to drive safely and in a lawful manner at all times.
- h) Communicate and co-operate fully with key community stakeholders to ensure the continued development and growth of the carnival and its aims.
- i) Players and Spectators are to respect the Umpire’s decision.
- j) Players and spectators are to respect opposition players.
- k) Encourage the feeling of goodwill and sportsmanship towards all members participating in the carnival.
- l) Respect for Officials

### **3) CARNIVAL MANAGEMENT**

This VACSAL Carnival is being conducted under the control of the appointed Organising Committee who shall have the power to determine any matter not specifically provided for in these guidelines and rules.

The VACSAL State Wide Junior Carnivals are development program for the best available junior Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander players within the state of Victoria. Whilst each team will strive to win their respective matches and then their respective Grand Final, the emphasis for each team should be to develop their players and that all players and officials enjoy their experience.

The Carnival forms part of the talent identification pathway and many of the best players from across the state have made their mark in this Carnival.

On behalf of the organising committee, all Team Officials are to be thanked and congratulated for giving up their time to assist the players in their sporting endeavors.

### **4) MATCH MANAGEMENT**

All matches will be under the control of Court / Ground Marshalls appointed by the Committee.

### **5) DISPUTES COMMITTEE**

This committee will be made up of independent people and a VACSAL local official who will address complaints.

Complaints must be in writing and lodged within 10 mins after the game/ incident has finished.

The Team Manager is the only person who can lodge a complaint.

### **6) PLAYERS**

## **a) AGE GROUPS**

### **FOOTBALL & NETBALL**

- 19 and under – players cannot turn 20 in the year of the carnival (NETBALL ONLY)
- 17 and under – players cannot turn 18 in the year of the carnival
- 15 and under - players cannot turn 16 in the year of the carnival
- 12 and under - players cannot turn 13 in the year of the carnival
- Net Set Go & Auskick for 8 & under.

Please Note – participants are encouraged to play in their own age group for talent identification.

## **b) PLAYER GUIDELINES**

No Player may take part in more than one division or play for more than one side.

Players are advised that they may be asked to show proof of age.

A letter from the following will be accepted;

- Community Organisation
- School

Players are encouraged to play in their own age group for talent identification.

## **c) ABORIGINALITY AND NON-ABORIGINAL PLAYERS**

ALL players must be Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander descent.

\*Non-Aboriginal children and/or spouses, whether married or de facto are allowed to play in the carnival. Limit 3 player per football team and 2 per netball team.

Exception to the rules is at the discretion of VACSAL in exceptional circumstances.

VACSAL has the right to challenge the Aboriginality.

Players must be born in the required year as stated above. No exceptions will be considered.

## **d) REGISTRATION**

All players must be registered to play in the carnivals.

# **7) TEAM MANAGER DUTIES**



Appointed Team Managers are responsible for:

- Registering all players on their team 10 minutes prior
- Scoresheet to be filled out
- Team ready to take the court/field
- Supplying the Court / Ground Marshall with a completed Team List
- Checking the correct amount of players are on the field at the start of every quarter
- Communication with the Organising Committee/Coordinators.

## **8) WORKING WITH CHILDRENS CHECK**

VACSAL strongly encourages community volunteers to gain a Working with Children's Check.

## **9) SCORING OFFICIALS**

Each nominating team shall provide the following court officials:

- 1 Scorer or Timekeeper.

Team Officials please complete the score sheets at the scoring bench ten-(10) minutes prior the match is due to commence.

It will be the Court/Ground Marshalls responsibility to complete and return the score sheets to the Carnival Administration.

**Please Note** - All matches shall be under the control and management of Court/Ground officials.

## **10) DRUG AND ALCOHOL POLICY**

**NO DRUGS OR ALCOHOL ARE PERMITTED TO BE BROUGHT INTO THE CONFINES OR SURROUNDING AREAS OF THE VACSAL STATE WIDE JUNIOR FOOTBALL NETBALL CARNIVAL.**

**ANYONE IN POSSESSION OF OR FOUND CONSUMING ANY PROHIBITED SUBSTANCE WILL BE REMOVED FROM THE CARNIVAL IMMEDIATELY AND NOT ALLOWED TO RETURN.**

## **11) VICTORIAN SEVEN SISTERS 2016**

## **NETBALL TRIALS**

In partnership with the Victorian Aboriginal Community Services Association Ltd. and the Wathaurong Aboriginal Co-op as a part of this year's Junior State-Wide Netball Football Carnival, we will be holding tryouts for potential players to participate in the National Indigenous Netball Tournament to represent Victoria in the upcoming selection championships held in Sydney 2017.

We are looking for girls in the following age groups:

Under 12s born 2005 & 2006

Under 14s born 2003 & 2004

Under 16s born 2001 & 2002 &

Open Age

If you are interested in trying out, please register at the Victorian Seven Sisters Registration Table.

For more information please contact the Victorian Indigenous netball Representative: Dotty Bamblett on

Mobile: 0433-090-933

Email: [dorothy.bamblett@gmail.com](mailto:dorothy.bamblett@gmail.com)

Facebook: Victorian Indigenous Netball

## **MOTELS IN BELMONT AND GEELONG**

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**(03) 5241 9441**

**Rose Garden Motel**

14-16 Settlement Rd, Belmont, VIC, 3216

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**(03) 5243 5844**

**Econo Lodge Hacienda Motel**

NO REVIEWS

15 Mt Pleasant Rd, Belmont, VIC, 3216

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**(03) 5243 0122**

**Abbotswood Motor Inn**

308-310 High St, Belmont, VIC, 3216

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**(03) 5243 1077**

**Golden Palms Motel**

234 Torquay Rd, Grovedale, VIC, 3216.

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**(03) 5241 8211**

**Aristocrat Waurnvale Motel**

90 Waurn Ponds Dr, Waurn Ponds, VIC, 3216

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**(03) 5243 1244**

**Waurn Ponds Hotel Motel**

Princes Highway, Waurn Ponds, Vic, 3216

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**(03) 5221 5188**

**Kardinia Park Motel**

422 Latrobe Tce, Newtown, VIC, 3220

**Parkside Motel**

68 High St, Geelong, VIC, 3220

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(03) 5241 9779

Barwon Valley Manor

2a Settlement Rd, Geelong, VIC, 3220

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**Barwon River Tourist Park**

153 Barrabool Rd Belmont Vic 3216

03 5243 3842

**RIVER VIEW CARVAN PARK**

59 Barrabool Rd Belmont Vic 3216

03 5243 6225

**RIVER GLEN CARVAN PARK**

75 Barrabool Rd Belmont Vic 3216

03 5243 5505

**SOUTHSIDE TOURIST CARVAN PARK**

87 Barrabool Rd Belmont Vic 3216

03 5243 3788