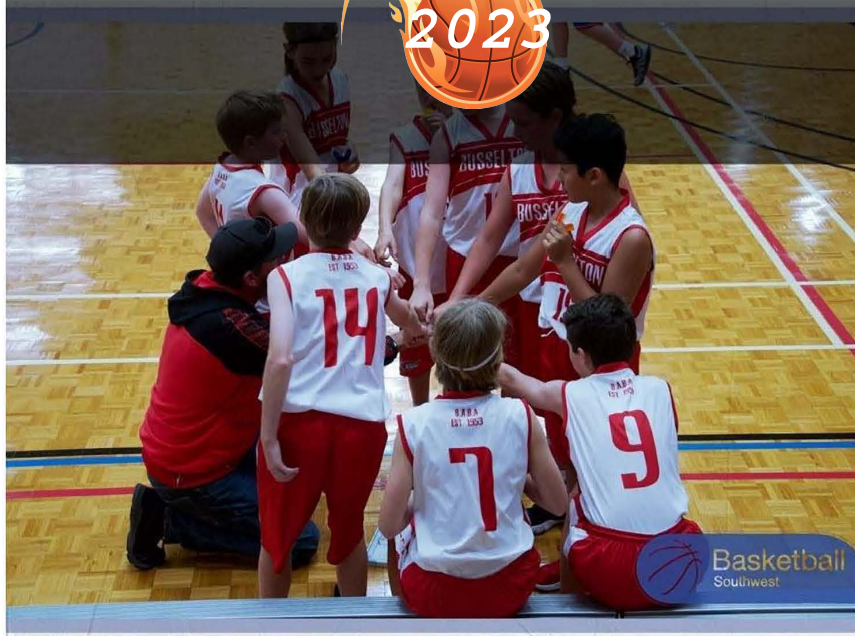




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SOUTH WEST SLAMMERS REGIONAL CARNIVAL 2023

South West Slammers Regional Carnival 2023 is an opportunity for basketball teams from different associations to come together in a friendly and competitive environment. The Regional Carnival encourages growth and development of Basketball in the South West Region.

We are offering Championship Division and Development Divisions in all age groups, this will allow for smaller associations to compete at a more appropriate level and for larger associations to field a second side. In all, giving more South West Basketballers the opportunity to play this great sport at the next level.

The South West Slammers will be responsible for court hire, grand final referee payments and Ref Coaches. As well as Grand Final Awards and collection of nomination fees.

We are taking the Carnival back on the road again in 2023, with Carnivals held throughout the South West.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to let us know.

Many thanks

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SOUTHWEST SLAMMERS REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2023 RULES

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1.0 ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The Regional Championships are under the control of the South West Slammers regionals committee.

2.0 PURPOSE

The Championships, for both Men and Women, are held each year in October/November for the purpose of establishing the leading Association teams throughout the region for each age division. It is also used to help create more interest and competition in our younger Men and Women and improve the standard of Junior Basketball throughout the region.

3.0 DATES OF CHAMPIONSHIPS AND VENUES

Saturday 21st October	U14s (2011)	Harvey Recreation & Cultural Centre, Harvey
Sunday 22nd October	U12s (2013/2014)	Eaton Recreation Centre, Eaton
Sunday 22nd October	U13s (2012)	Geographe Leisure Centre, Busselton.
Sunday 29th October	U18s (2007/2008)	Manjimup Indoor Sports Pavillion, Manjimup
Saturday 4th November	U16s (2009)	Bridgetown Leisure Centre, Bridgetown.
Sunday 5th November	U15s (2010)	Roche Park Leisure Centre, Collie.

4.0 AGE GROUPINGS

The 2023 Regional Championships will have the following age groupings:

- Men Under 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & 18
- Women Under 12, 13, 14, 15, 16 & 18

5.0 ELIGIBILITY TO PARTICIPATE

Any Basketball WA affiliated basketball association is eligible to enter a team in any of the age groupings in the Championship.

Nominations will be via the PlayHQ (each Association has been sent an invitation)
<https://www.playhq.com/basketball-wa/register/ec6503>

6.0 NOMINATIONS

Associations can nominate as many teams in each division as they would like. Any Slammers “Feeder Clubs” are required to nominate in Division 1 and then may nominate in Division 2.

Feeder Clubs include Bunbury Basketball Association, Eaton Basketball Association, Australind Basketball Association and Busselton Basketball Association. Basketball South West will inform associations of how many of those teams have been accepted after nominations have closed.

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Any team nominated with more than 3 WABL players, must nominate that team into Championship Division.

7.0 COST OF NOMINATIONS

The 2023 nomination fee is \$350.00 per team (GST Included). This fee covers all players, court hire, grand final referees and door entry. The nomination fee is non-refundable if a team withdraws within the competition.

8.0 PLAYER REGISTRATION

Players need to be registered by 5pm of the Tuesday prior to the competition. Playing unregistered players will incur penalties.

9.0 AGE LIMITATIONS

To be eligible to participate, all players must be under the prescribed age as at the 31 December of the year in which they will be participating in the Regional Championships. Dates of Birth Divisions

- U12's (2013/2014)
- U13's (2012)
- U14's (2011)
- U15's (2010)
- U16's (2009)
- U18's (2007/2008)



10.0 PLAYER NUMBERS

Each team may only list ten players on the scoresheet for each game.

11.0 FORMAT OF POOLS

The formation of pools will be determined by the number of teams nominating and the court time available for each weekend.

12.0 TEAM CONTROL

In view of the fact that the Regional Championships is a Junior Championship, each team nominated must name a coach and manager to be responsible for the players on and off the court.

Nominations without full details supplied will not be accepted.



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13.0 REFEREES

The name of an accredited Level 0 / Level 1 Referee's must be supplied for each team nominated in the following age groups:
U12's U13's U14's U15's U16's U18's

Referees may not play in or coach the same grade on the same day. There will be a fine for any team who does not have a referee.

This year Slammers will be using Refbook to assign and roster referees. If you are not already signed up with the Refbook app, our Referee Coordinator will contact you.

Referees will be required all day. Referees will be paid \$15 per game (U12s, U14s & U15s) and \$20 (U18s) plus \$5 per game bonus should the ref remain at the stadium for the duration of that Carnival and make themselves available for Grand Final Games. Each Association will be invoiced for Referee payments upon completion of fixtures.

Slammers will provide Referee Coaches at each venue which is a great opportunity for referees to continue their development.



14.0 SCORETABLE OFFICIALS

Each team must provide a competent Score table Official for each of its games, including any finals.

15.0 FIXTURES

The compilation of fixtures will be the responsibility of the South West Slammers. It is anticipated that play will commence at approximately 7.30am each day. Format of Rounds will be determined upon teams registering and Associations will be allocated to pools if necessary.

Fixtures will be released and can be found on PlayHQ and it is the Managers Responsibility to check for any fixture changes in the lead up to the competition.

16.0 EQUIPMENT

All iPads and time-clocks will be supplied by the hosting associations and where that's not possible, the South West Slammers. Teams will supply their own warmup basketballs and game balls.

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17.0 DOOR CHARGES

All player entry charges and spectator entry fees are included in the nomination fee.

18.0 PLAYING RULES

The Regional Championships will be conducted as per the FIBA Rulebook with the following modifications:

18.1 PREFERRED GAME TIMING

Due to the large number of team registrations over the last few years game times will be confirmed after the close of registration.

The structure will be based on

- warm up
- 2x15 or 2x18 or 2x20 minute halves
- break at half time

18.2 TEAM FOULS

Four Team Fouls per half, free throws on the 5th Team Foul in a 2 x 15/18 minute half game and 7 Team Fouls per half, free throws on the 8th in a 2 x 20 minute half game.

18.3 TIME OUTS

One Timeout per half in a 2 x 15/18 minute half game, two timeouts per half in a 2 x 20 minute half game. No time outs during the last 3 minutes of the last half.

18.4 POSSESSION ARROW (JUMP BALL)

As per FIBA Rulebook.

The team that does not gain control of the initial jump ball at the start of the game will be entitled to the first possession arrow.

Half Time the Possession arrow is turned as the teams change direction.

At the start of every period, once the ball is passed into play from the sideline, the arrow is then turned.

Possession is applied when a ball has jammed between the backboard and the ring.

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18.5 BALL SIZE

Under 12's	Size 5
Under 13 & 14's & Under 15, 16 & 18 Women	Size 6
Under 15, 16 & 18 Men	Size 7

18.6 NO ZONE RULE

All divisions in the Under 12, 13 and Under 14 age groups must play man-to-man defence as per WABL rules.

Coaches are responsible for ensuring their team does not play a zone defence in accordance with the Basketball Australia Zone Busters manual (available on www.wabl.asn.au)

18.7 BACKBOARD HEIGHT

Lowered backboards are not used for any age group.

18.8 FORFEIT POINTS

If a team is not ready to play 5 minutes after the scheduled starting time a forfeit will be declared, with the result of 10-nil win to the opposition.

18.9 24 SECOND DEVICE

A 24 second device/shot clock will not be used for any game throughout the Regional Championship

18.10 GRAND FINAL

Grand Final will be played in the same format as the Carnival Game Timing (see 18.1)

Final 3 minutes of game will be stop clock

Time outs will be permitted within the final 3 minutes of play but only in the Grand Final Game

The Grand Final will be played by the teams who finish 1 and 2 on the ladder at the end of the day. The ladder will be based on win and loss record, in the situation of a tie the ladder will be decided on head to head record. Where teams don't play each other in a pool it reverts back to percentage if 2 teams are on the same points.

In the situation of groups there may be a crossover semi final, this will result in the following:

Team 1 of group A vs Team 2 in Group B and Team 2 of group A vs Team 1 in Group B.

18.11 CODE OF CONDUCT

A "Code of Conduct" for players, parents and Officials will be adhered to for all teams in the Championships.

Associations entering teams will be responsible for the behaviour of their spectators. Players, team officials and spectators not abiding by the Code of Conduct will be asked to leave the stadium.

Players and Coaches will miss the next game if during the game they receive 2 of both/either Technical/ Unsportsman like foul.

18.12 MOUTH GUARDS

All players must wear a mouthguard to participate in the Championships.

18.13 HAIR BRAIDS, JEWELLERY & FINGERNAILS

Headgear, hair accessories and jewellery are NOT Permitted as they may cause cuts or abrasions.

Fingernails must be closely cut.

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