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MARCH

HILTON HOTEL,
BRISBANE



2019
LEADERS
CONFERENCE

CONFERENCE
PROGRAM

I AM. WE ARE. NETBALL

FRIDAY 29 MARCH 2019

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

From 5pm delegates can make their way to **Level 5** outside of the **Queens Ballroom** to register and collect Delegate packs.

THE SAPPHIRE WELCOME RECEPTION

6:30pm Queens Ballroom

Our official welcome function will open at 6:30pm providing delegates with a fantastic opportunity to catch up with friends and network over some food and drinks.

This year our function will be a very special Queensland affair devoted to our new Sapphire Series. This will be an inner sanctum look into the League, the Teams, the Coaches and the Players.

There could be some special announcements made – but you will have to come to find out!

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7:30am	Registrations Open		Level 5
8:15am	Welcome	Vic Carthew MC	Grand Ballroom
8:30am	Opening Address	Hon Mick De Brenni <i>Minister for Sport, Queensland State Government</i>	Grand Ballroom
8:50am	Keynote: Marketing, customer insights and analytics. These are the new terms now widely used in discussions around how we will increase physical activity levels. Louise will share the learnings to date from the Move it AUS campaign, described in many quarters as "Life. Be in it. 2.0". Does mass marketing actually get people off the couch? Attend and find out.	Louise Eyres <i>CMO, Sport Australia</i>	Grand Ballroom
9:30am	Panel: The Road to "W". This panel session will analyse the rise in women's Sport and the current trend towards "W" Leagues. The panel will explore the backstory, how we arrived at the threshold for change and the continuing inequity in commercialisation. The discussion will also shed light on the challenges facing Women's Leagues and what the key opportunities are that lie ahead.	Vic Carthew MC Breanna Brock <i>CEO, Brisbane Lions AFLW</i> Paul Dyer <i>Head Coach, Brisbane Broncos Women's</i> Lisa Alexander <i>Head Coach, Samsung Diamonds</i> Michelle Morton <i>Chairperson, Townsville Fire</i>	Grand Ballroom
10:30am	MORNING TEA		Level 5
10:50am	Panel: Codes, Culture and Customers. This panel session will unpack the various challenges and opportunities confronting the sports industry. In recent years, many high profile sports have faced public scrutiny, independent reviews, and governance reforms, whilst others have adapted their business model. Furthermore, the expectations of fans and customers are changing and catering for more holistic experiences, from venues to digital engagement, will test the evolutionary capabilities of the sports industry. Our panellists, key players in a range of sports, will share their experiences and insights.	Garry Nucifora <i>Executive Director of Sport, Bond University</i> Max Walters <i>CEO, Cricket Queensland</i> Mark Handley <i>CEO, Tennis Queensland</i> Todd Harris <i>CEO, Stadiums Queensland</i> Eugenie Buckley <i>Principal, Suiko Consulting</i>	Grand Ballroom
11:50am	Keynote: One of Australia's largest sports is tackling a 30% drop out rate head on with significant changes to the game at grassroots level based on research and trials. The NRL's James Hinchey will share the rationale and foundations that are driving these changes and how they will be implemented across the country.	James Hinchey <i>NRL Participation Strategy, Education & Projects Senior Manager</i>	Grand Ballroom

12:30pm

LUNCH

Level 5

1:00pm

BREAKOUT SESSION ONE

1A. PANEL SESSION: SUCCESSFUL CONSTITUTIONAL CHANGE

Ballroom A & B

1B. PANEL SESSION: WORKFORCE - ATTRACTING AND MANAGING VOLUNTEERS

Ballroom C

2:15pm

BREAK OUT SESSION TWO

2A. WORKSHOP: YOUTH PARTICIPATION

- Trends impacting youth participation.
- Case study on Diamond Spirit.

Ballroom A & B

2B. WORKSHOP: WALKING NETBALL

- Lessons from the 2018 Pilot of Walking Netball.
- Information on funding for Walking Netball programs in Associations and Clubs.

Redlands Room

2C. BIOME WORKSHOP: HUMAN RESOURCES AND JOB CREATION:

- How to fund paid staff.
- Traineeships and how your Association and Club can benefit.
- HR and the Biome Model.

Ballroom C

3:15pm

AFTERNOON TEA

3:45pm

BREAK OUT SESSION THREE

3A. QLD STATE NETBALL CENTRE PRESENTATION:

- An inside look at the entire process from funding applications to the design of the Queensland State Netball Centre.

Ballroom A & B

3B. WORKSHOP: DEVELOPING YOUNG NETBALLERS

- A discussion on developing and retaining young talent.
- What Committees need to consider for child-centred coaching & programs.

Redlands Rooms

3C. BIOME WORKSHOP: PLANNING FOR NETBALL GROWTH

- A session for Committee members on how to plan effectively. This session will cover operation plans, budgets, strategic plans and templates.

Ballroom C

4:45pm

Day 1 Close

Mel Bennett

5-6:30pm

Free time

6:30pm

NQ AWARDS EVENING

The Netball community's night of nights!! A fantastic opportunity to catch up with friends and colleagues to celebrate and reflect on the 2018 Netball season

Grand Ballroom

7:30am	Conference Registrations Open		Level 5
7:30am	PRESIDENT'S BREAKFAST <i>(Please note: this is for Association and Club Presidents only)</i>	Hosted by Jane Seawright <i>Chair of Netball Queensland</i>	Level 8 - Room 83

9:00am	Opening Day 2	Mel Bennett	Grand Ballroom
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Keynote:

After a challenging 24 months there are strong signs the Silver Ferns are on the comeback trail. A failed Gold Coast Commonwealth Games campaign became the first time since the sport was introduced at the Games in 1998 that the Silver Ferns had not reached the final. Netball New Zealand Chief, Jennie Wyllie announced a wholesale independent review of the Silver Ferns program. Jennie will share with us her leadership insights from this journey – out of the fire we can already see a supercharged, resurgent Silver Ferns group in the lead up to the 2019 World Cup. This represents a huge moment in composed leadership. We will hear from Jennie on her leadership experience and her thoughts on how NNZ plan to retain the mantle of New Zealand's number one women's sport in a rapidly changing sports landscape.

Jennie Wyllie
CEO Netball New Zealand

Grand Ballroom

9:45am	Q&A SESSION: Leading in times of conflict and change.	Jennie Wyllie <i>CEO Netball New Zealand</i>	Grand Ballroom
		Jane Seawright <i>Chair, Netball Queensland</i>	

10:30am MORNING TEA

11:00am BREAKOUT SESSION FOUR

4A. BIOME WORKSHOP SESSION:

- Presentation of the financial data analysis and benchmarking
- Information on the options regarding the Biome Financial Model.
- An opportunity for members to get information and provide feedback.

Ballroom C

4B. PANEL: YOUTH PANEL DISCUSSION

- There is lots of discussion where we speak on behalf of netballers and what they want. This is an opportunity to hear the views and opinions directly from the young players in our sport.

Redlands Room

4C. PANEL SESSION: CARNIVALS AND COMPETITIONS

- An opportunity to share information and gain insights from Associations and Clubs who are running successful carnivals.
- Hear about what has worked, what hasn't, lessons along the way and key considerations in running sustainable competitions.

Ballroom A & B

12:00pm

BREAKOUT SESSION FIVE

5A. PANEL SESSION:
BUILDING SUSTAINABLE CLUBS

- An opportunity for peer learning. Hear from Clubs that are growing on what is working, what they changed and what have been the key success criteria.

Ballroom A & B

5B. WORKSHOP:
PARENTAL ABUSE AND COMPLAINTS

- This is a growing area of concern in grassroots netball. We will unpack strategies, approaches and a couple of useful case studies.

Redlands Room

5C. BIOME WORKSHOP SESSION: *FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION*

- Workshop on the two Xero products available to Associations and Clubs.
- Information for employees and Treasurers on costs, implementation and training.

Ballroom C

1:00pm

LUNCH

1:45pm

BREAKOUT SESSION SIX

6A. PANEL SESSION: *SELECTION PROCESSES AND REP TEAMS*

- Share insights from different rep programs
- Discussion on how Netball can deliver a positive rep program and selection process which retains players.

Ballroom A & B

6B. WORKSHOP: *ATTRACTING AND RETAINING COACHES*

- In this session we will unpack strategies, approaches and case studies on building our coaching community.
- There are many external factors but there are lots of ways we can become a "sport of choice" for people who want to coach.

Ballroom C

3:00PM

CONFERENCE CLOSE

Jane Seawright
Chair, Netball Queensland

Followed by Netball Queensland AGM

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Grand Ballroom