

13-19yrs Water Polo – Regional Teams

1.0 CRITERIA FOR THE SELECTION OF REGIONAL TEAMS

- 1.1 The major criterion for selection will be the performance of the player at the Regional championships/trials.
Areas of performance considered should include -
 - 1.1.1 The skills level exhibited by the player.
 - 1.1.2 The Fitness level exhibited by the player.
 - 1.1.3 The performance of the player as a member of the team.
 - 1.1.4 The attitude and behaviour of the player in and out of the pool.
- 1.2 A player who is ill or injured at the time of the Regional Championships/Trials may be considered for selection provided that a medical certificate is supplied.
- 1.3 A player who is representing Queensland Water Polo or another school sport at a higher level competition at the time of the Regional Championships/Trials may be considered for selection.

2.0 REGIONAL TEAM

- 2.1 Teams will be selected in the following age divisions:
 - 13-19yrs (one male team of up to thirteen (13) players)
 - 13-19yrs (one female team of up to thirteen (13) players)
- 2.2 Shadow players will be named in case of withdrawals.
- 2.3 The selection of a goalkeeper, if none nominate specifically, will be at the discretion of the selection panel and may mean that a team of 12 is selected with the 13th position open to goalkeepers who nominate by a nominated due date after the Met North trial. If no goal keeper nominates or is suitable, a 13th player will be selected.

3.0 SELECTION PANEL

- 3.1 The Regional coach will be the Chair of the selection panel.
- 3.2 Applications for the position of Coach, Manager, and Convenor must be submitted on the official form and must be received by the Regional School Sport Officer in Term 4 of the preceding year of competition.
- 3.3 The appointment of up to three (3) selectors, one of whom shall be the regional coach, will be conducted prior to the beginning of the trials by the convenor. Nominations from officials present on the day may be accepted.
- 3.4 Where insufficient officials nominate, the Convenor will invite suitable persons to fulfil the role.

4.0 SELECTION PROCEDURES

- 4.1 The selectors must discuss selections on a regular basis during the trials.
- 4.2 The selectors should maintain a written report/assessment sheet of each game viewed for selection purposes.

5.0 ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE METROPOLITAN NORTH TEAM

- 5.1 The selectors must submit the final team to the Convenor for ratification prior to the announcement.
- 5.2 The Convenor will announce the Metropolitan North team and shadow players to team officials prior to the general announcement on the understanding that the selections are not to be made public.
- 5.3 The regional team and shadow players will be announced at the conclusion of the regional trial.