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REGIONAL SELECTION TRIAL INFORMATION – 2024

Rugby 7's 15-16 Years Girls & 17-19 Years Girls

Trial date	Tuesday 12 March 2024	Trial time	9.00am – 2.30pm
Trial venue	Brothers Rugby Union Club – 103 Crosby Rd, Albion (<i>Google Maps</i>)		
Convenor	Teegan Crawford (Dakabin State High School), tcraw86@eq.edu.au		
Eligibility	<p>15-16 Years: To be eligible to participate in this carnival, students must be 16 or under as at 31 December in the year of the State Championship and must turn 15 in the year of the State Championship. As a representative pathway – no dispensation is given.</p> <p>17-19 Years: To be eligible to participate in this carnival, students must be 19 or under as at 31 December in the year of the State Championship and must turn 17 in the year of the State Championship. As a representative pathway – no dispensation is given.</p>		
Trial format	<p>9:00am – 9:45am Registration & Introduction</p> <p>9:45am – 10:45am Warm Up and skill stations</p> <p>10:45am – 11:15am Break</p> <p>11:15am – 12:15pm Trial Matches (Dependant on numbers of trialists) 6 x 7min halves rotating players)</p> <p>12:15pm – 12:45pm Break</p> <p>12:45pm – 1:45pm Final Trials if required</p> <p>1:45pm – 2:15pm Final Team Selection Meeting & Team announcement</p>		
Compulsory Forms	<p>Students should contact their respective District team manager to obtain the following Student permission and consent forms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regional Trial Permission/Consent Form MN mouthguard letter <p>On the trial day, District team officials (coach and/or manager) MUST have all signed forms for each participating student.</p>		
Payment to attend trial	<p>As we look to return to a full representative school sport calendar and the introduction of new teams in 2024, MNSS is reintroducing the full regional trial fee of \$25.00. Payment of the fee is via the MN RSS Shop and must be paid before the prescribed date.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> rssshop.education.qld.gov.au/met-north Payments must be received by 3pm on Monday 11 March 2024 If you experience any difficulty, please refer to Payment guide—regional trials (PDF, 645KB) 		
District team nomination to MNSS	<p>The five (5) Districts comprising the Region are each invited to nominate one (1) team in each age division of twelve (12) players they consider of appropriate standard for this trial.</p> <p>Student nominations for this event will only be accepted from Districts and must be sent via the appropriate form. Please see your school's HPE department if you wish to attend this regional selection trial. Nominations must be submitted by 3pm on Tuesday 5 March 2024.</p> <p>SPECIAL NOTE: only students who have the ability and skill to participate at this level or higher should nominate. Any student deemed unsuitable or dangerous for them to participate will be immediately removed from the trial process.</p>		

	Nominations received outside of this process and/or after the prescribed due date above <u>will not be accepted.</u>
District team representative	<p>Each District is responsible for sending ONE District representative to attend this selection trial to ensure Duty of Care is sufficient.</p> <p>District representative details must be submitted to the regional convenor on the appropriate form no later than 3pm on Tuesday 5 March 2024.</p>
Absentee Application for Exemption	<p>Students who wish to be selected in the regional team must attend the regional selection trial.</p> <p>If you are unable to attend and wish to be considered for selection, <i>the Absentee Application for Exemption form</i> must be submitted.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To obtain this form, please contact Erin Carswell, erin-lee.carswell@ged.qld.gov.au • Applications close on the day prior to the commencement of the event • Each application is decided individually. Acceptance of this application is not automatic and if accepted only entitles a child to be CONSIDERED for selection • Metropolitan North School Sport reserves the right to refuse late applications <p>Please note students completing this application should also be nominated by their respective District/School to the Regional Convenor.</p>
Mouthguards	<p>Revised Department of Education guidelines for contact sports specify students are required to wear a mouthguard when participating in Australian football, hockey, rugby league, rugby union, water polo and handball (European/team). <i>Students must wear a mouthguard when participating in Rugby Union.</i></p> <p>The Department strongly recommends that students wear custom-fitted mouthguards. Information about the different types of mouthguards can be found at Sport Medicine Australia - Dental Injuries and the Australian Dental Association.</p>
Wet Weather	Weather information will be available via our Facebook site on the morning of the selection trial.
Team selection	One (1) team will be selected to contest this State Championship. Each region will be entitled to a team of 12 players, as per QSS policy
QRSS State Championship	<p>15-16 Yrs: Friday 17 May – Sunday 19 May 2024 at TBC hosted by Metropolitan North</p> <p>17-19 Yrs Invitational: Saturday 18 May – Sunday 19 May 2024 at TBC hosted by Metropolitan North</p>
QRSS Student officials' program	<p>Queensland Representative School Sport (QRSS) offers students in Queensland an opportunity to participate in all facets of the representative school sport pathway and actively promotes the development of students in all areas of sport.</p> <p>Students are invited to register their interest here.</p>

Please remember: Attendance at this regional selection trial is dependent on registration via the [MN RSS Shop](#) and on the presentation of the Principal Approval/Student permission form to the District Official or Convenor.