



## 2026 STCC Netball Selection Trials

### Term 1 Trial dates

COMPETITIONS (Years)	TERM 1 - WEEK 3 16 – 20 February	TERM 1 - WEEK 4 23 – 27 February	TERM 1 – WEEK 6 9 – 13 March	TERM 1 – WEEK 7 16 – 20 March
Seniors: Year 11 & 12 (+ Suitable Yr 10s)	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Teams Announced	Training Commences
Cadets: Year 9 & 10 (+ Suitable Year 8s)	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup>	Teams Announced	Training Commences
Inters: Year 7 & 8	Monday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Teams Announced	Training Commences

**\*Alternate days each week chosen to provide students with other commitments the opportunity to trial**

### 1. Trial Structure (all Divisions)

- Trials format and team selections will be managed by Ms Claudia Jenkins, STCC Coach & Umpires Manager, supported by a volunteer sub-committee of the STCC Netball Committee.
- Trials will be held at St Clare's College across all 3 STCC Netball Courts (1 x indoor & 2 x outdoor)
- Game format: 7-minute quarters across all 3 trial courts.
- Players will rotate through all three courts each night to be observed, receive feedback and selection grading notes from multiple coaches.
- The player positions and rotations lists will be created prior to each session. Managers on the day will help with ensuring girls are matched up to their numbers and nominated preferred positions.
- Please note, all selectors and coaches over 16 hold a valid WWVP. There will always be a First Aid trained coach/selector in attendance on the day.

### 2. Player Registration EOI - Preferences & Rotations

- During trials, players will cycle through both their first and second preferred positions as nominated through the EOI process ([online form](#)).

**\*\*Please note, this is an interim EOI process for St Clare's netball club only, this is **not** the official player registration for the 2026 season. Official registration will again be done via PlayHQ / NetballHQ in Term 1 2026 once South Canberra sets up the competition structure and participation fees.**

### 3. Assessment & Feedback

- An assessment rubric will be used by the selection committee to show the performance criteria feedback is reported against, and data is captured to ensure a fair and transparent selection process is followed.

#### Assessment priorities

➤ Movement, fitness and footwork	➤ Attacking skills
➤ Execution of ball skills (catching /throwing)	➤ Defensive skills
➤ Shooter's accuracy & consistency	➤ Attitude & Court craft

#### **4. STCC Netball Grading for Each Competition & Divisions (Div 1, 2, 3 & 4)**

- For each competition, division 1 & 2 will be graded according to the best players eligible for that competition based on their performance at trials as assessed by the selection committee.
- STCC Netball will nominate our strongest teams to the relevant South Canberra competitions, with the best players available in Division 1 & 2 accordingly.
- Players may nominate to play in Division 3 or 4 and not be considered for selection in Division 1 & 2. This should be indicated on the players EOI form.

#### **6. Proposed Post Trial Process**

- The Selection Committee will process feedback and collate data quickly, potentially during the week post trials, Term 1, Week 6, 9 – 13 March 2026.
- STCC Division 1 & 2 team training will commence in Term 1, Week 7, 16 – 20 March.
- Training roster (times & courts) will be produced after coaches have been selected and teams announced.
- The STCC Netball page on the **St Clare's College website** will be the main source for information throughout the year. The STCC Club and individual teams will also use WhatsApp Chat groups to communicate information throughout the year.

#### **7. 2026 STCC Coach Nominations**

- Coach Expressions of Interest (applications) are now open for 2026 via this [online form](#).
- Experienced coaches from within the existing STCC network and those new to STCC are encouraged to apply.
- Coaching appointments will be made early in 2026 to provide clarity and certainty for the full season commitment, and as a priority to agree on training schedules for Division 1 and 2 teams.

**2026 STCC Player Registration EOI – [online form](#)**

**2026 STCC Coach Registration EOI – [online form](#)**

**STCC Netball Webpage - [link](#)**

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