

IAPS U11 Girls' Netball Qualifier

Friday 24th January 2025 | 9am - 1.30pm



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Welcome from Brentwood

Brentwood School is delighted to welcome all players, their teachers/coaches, and their families to this year's IAPS U11 Netball Qualifier event. This tournament is an exciting platform for our young players to showcase their skills and play in a competitive tournament setting. As a school, we are very proud to be hosting this tournament in partnership with IAPS and look forward to seeing many talented young players compete in this event.

All IAPS competitions align with national governing body (NGB) rules and regulations. Bee Netball is the format for all children under 11. The U11 competition will play Stage 3 (Stinger) of Bee Netball. This incorporates a minimum squad size of 7 players (a squad of up to 9 can be taken), with 5 on the court at any one time.

Please bring a copy of your rotations on the day. If you forget to bring a copy, you will be asked to complete one before matches start. Teams must rotate before each match and at half-time. Schools must continue to work through the rotations throughout the whole tournament. You must not restart rotations for the knockout matches.

All information and rules can be found [linked here](#) or on the IAPS Sport Netball webpage.

This qualifier consists of 4 pools of 4 teams. Matches will be 7 minutes each way with the 1st and 2nd placed team in each pool progressing to the cup competition and the 3rd and 4th placed team in each pool progressing to the plate competition. Knockout matches will be 7 minutes each way.

We hope you enjoy your day at Brentwood School and we wish all teams the very best of luck.

Welcome from IAPS

First and foremost, sport is about participation and enjoyment. Sport is an incredibly important part of the personal development of children. Thanks to our eager and enthusiastic membership, over 22,000 children take part in the IAPS Sport programme every year. With 22 sports to choose from and over 170 events organised annually, there are plenty of opportunities for our member schools to get involved in.

Whether this is your first time at an IAPS event, or you have been entering them for many years, we hope you enjoy the competition and good luck.

IAPS Sport



Code of Conduct for Spectators

Where permitted, we are delighted to welcome spectators to attend IAPS events.

As a spectator/parent at an IAPS sports event, you have a responsibility to:

1. Be a positive role model and lead by example. Children are involved in sports for their enjoyment and without undue spectator pressure
2. Encourage children to play by the rules and respect the officials
3. Always respect the officials and their decisions. Video evidence will not be accepted in any cases to dispute decisions
4. Always respect the coaches and their decisions. They give their time, energy and experience to coach the children
5. Refrain from any form of bad language or poor behaviour towards players, officials and fellow spectators
6. Be friendly and respectful to the opposition
7. Teach children that effort and teamwork are as important as victory so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment
8. Turn defeat into victory by helping children work towards skill improvement and a positive sporting attitude
9. Be aware that IAPS events have comprehensive safeguarding policies and procedures, available on our website, [linked here](#)
10. Try to relax and enjoy the event!

IAPS wants all competitions to run without any negative incidents. Excitement and emotions can run high at events, not least amongst the supporters. Unpleasant and inappropriate behaviour is very rarely seen but you should be aware that IAPS retains the right to ask you to leave the event if you fail to comply with the code of conduct.

Results

Results for team events will be published live using SOCS. Results for individual sports events will not be available live but will be published on our website as soon as possible after the event.

Please note all results are now published in the member area of our website which is only accessible to school staff. Parents should request any information from the school.

Safeguarding

IAPS believes that the welfare and well-being of all children (young people under the age of 18) and adults at risk attending an IAPS event is of the highest concern. All such persons have the right to safety and protection and any suspicions, concerns or allegations of harm will be taken seriously and will be dealt with swiftly and appropriately.

IAPS expects all adults who are engaged with the delivery of sports events to fully comply with safeguarding procedures as laid out in the IAPS Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, and the KCSiE document. These are available on our website, [linked here](#).

IAPS expects all coaches present to be DBS checked and have received relevant safeguarding training at their school/club.

IAPS expects that all adults attending events have read the IAPS code of conduct, photo policy & anti bullying policy. These are available to read and download from our website, [linked here](#).

If you have any safeguarding concerns today, please don't hesitate to speak to Emily Connell, Mike Kershaw or a member of the organising team.

Emily Connell

Sport Events Manager & Designated Safeguarding Officer
01926 461501 (Direct Line) | 07469 853452 (Mobile)

Mike Kershaw

Sport Events Coordinator & Deputy Safeguarding Officer
01926 461513 (Direct Line)

Photography Advice

There is no professional photography at IAPS Sport events, however parents and spectators can take their own pictures.

There is no law against taking photos at public events for personal use, including pictures of other people's children (Ask the Police, 2018). IAPS asks parents and spectators to be cautious when sharing any images on social media.

The NSPCC have useful advice on sharing images, [linked here](#).



Today's Event

Arrival Time

Please arrive from 9am onwards (no earlier due to school drop off). We will have a briefing at 9:30am.

Parking

Minibuses and coaches may park in the Hough Car Park which is situated on Middleton Hall Lane (close to traffic lights as you pass the memorial). There will be very limited space but spectators are invited to park at the Heseltine Astro Car Park which is also on Middleton Hall Lane. Please see the map for more details. Parking on the school site is limited, additional parking for spectators is available within Brentwood Town Centre.

Late arrivals

Should a team be late arriving, or late onto the court for the start of their game, the team will forfeit the game automatically and the score will be noted as a 5-0 loss. If arriving late, please contact Lucy Williams on 07585801093.

Umpires

Brentwood School will aim to provide umpires for the entire event but schools are asked to bring a member of staff who is competent to umpire in the unlikely event of this changing.

Qualification process

Wednesday 19th March at Bryanston School

First aid

We encourage teams to bring basic first aid supplies for their children; however, a first aid team will be deployed throughout the event. They will be based close to the netball courts.

Changing facilities

There are limited changing facilities so please come ready for the event including lots of layers in case of harsh weather. Pupil toilets will be in the netball pavilion located by the courts and adult toilets on the outside of Heseltine Pavilion.

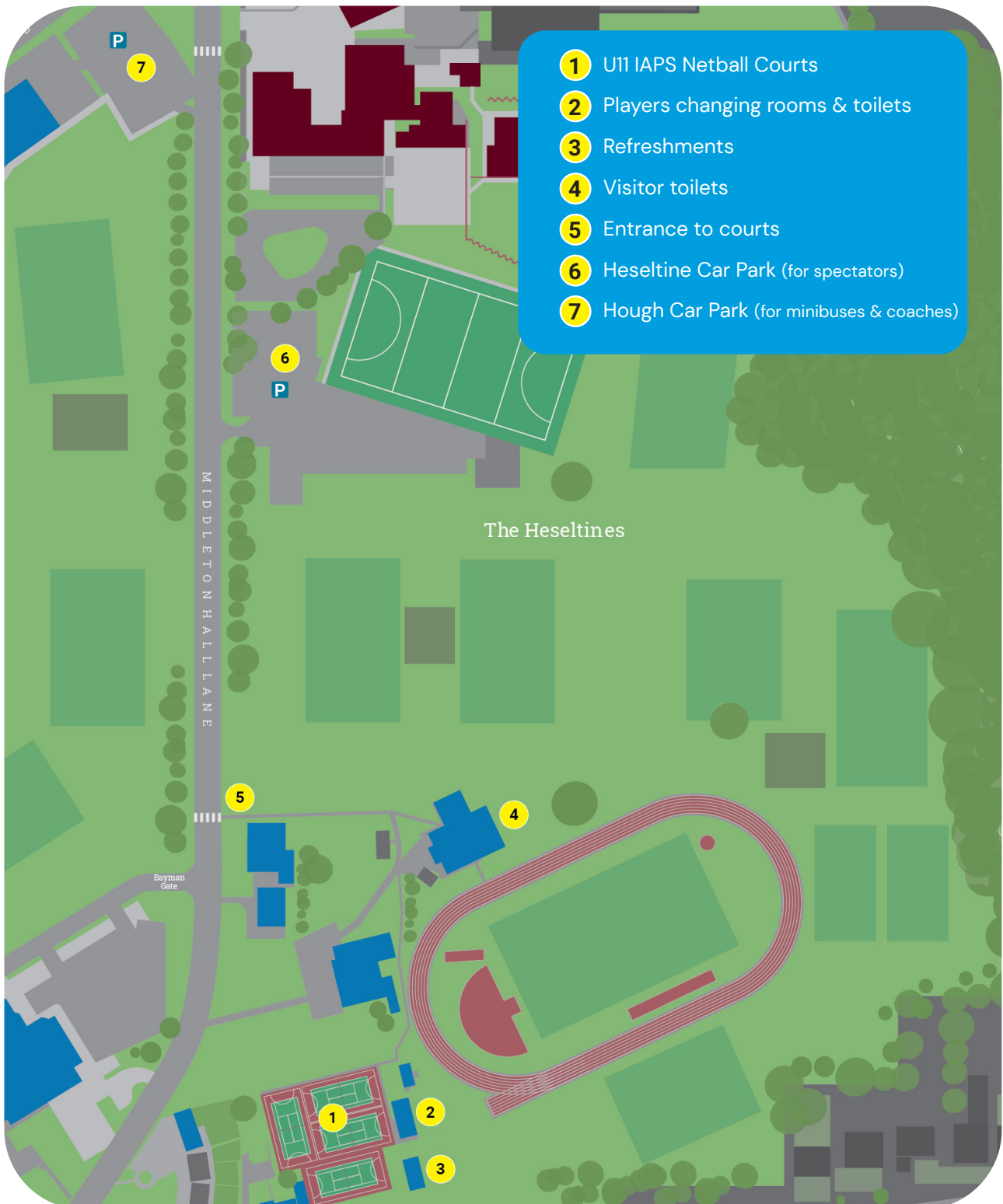
Refreshments

All pupils and staff will be provided with catering. Spectators will have access to tea and coffee, which will be based by the courts. Please encourage children to bring their own water bottles to refill at the water stations available.

Merchandise

IAPS are delighted to have Team Elite as our official merchandisers, to sell branded products both online and at events throughout the year. All commission made from merchandise is directly put back into running the sports programme. Merchandise can be bought online or at several IAPS sport events.

School Site



All parents and spectators must use the designated parking and visitor toilets which are located on the map above. This is to ensure that we safeguard all of our pupils.

Rules & Regulations

U11 Netball competitions – Rules Summary

All IAPS competitions are run in line with national governing body (NGB) rules and regulations. Bee Netball is the format of the game for all children U11.

The U11 competition will play Stage 3 (Stinger) of Bee Netball. This incorporates a minimum squad size of 7 players (can take a squad of up to 9) with 5 on the court at any one time.

Rules & regulations

- Number of players on court: 5-a-side
- Squad size: Min 7, Max 9
- Gender: Girls only
- Post Height: 9ft
- Ball size: 4
- Court size: Width: min 10m max 15m Length: min 20m max 30m
- Rule adaptations: No WA, WD – Pass within 4 seconds – Defending is allowed

Rotations

You will be asked to bring a copy of your rotations on the day. If you forget to bring a copy, you will be asked to complete one before matches start. Teams must rotate before each match and at half time. Schools must continue to work through the rotations throughout the whole tournament. You must not restart rotations for the knockout matches.

Fairness

It will be impossible for IAPS, or the organisers, to police each tournament to ensure that schools are making the rotations that they have declared. We trust that by entering the tournament, schools are doing so in the spirit of the game. If IAPS becomes aware of a school that is not rotating fairly, they may risk their place in the knockout stages and at future tournaments.

Substitutions due to injury

When a player is injured during a match or a blood substitution is required, the player should, where possible, be replaced by the player off court who is due to come on in that position in the next rotation. The players should remain in that position until the next rotation. This could be half time if the injury occurred in the first half of a match. At that time a decision is made as to whether the injured player is able to return to the tournament. If she is deemed fit to return, all players should return to their original place in the rotation. If she is not able to return, then the players will remain in their new rotation positions for the remainder of the tournament. The injured player may not return at a later stage of the tournament.

Ball hitting the post

If the ball hits the post and comes back on to the court, it comes back into play, play on.





Scoring

5 points for a win

3 points for a draw

1 point for scoring 50% or more of the winning team's score

Pool stage

The group order will be decided by the number of points scored by each team.

In the event of a tie on points, the following will decide final placings:

1. Goal difference*
2. Total goals scored.
3. Result between the two teams

*Goal difference is calculated as the number of goals scored in all leagues matches minus the number of goals conceded. e.g. Team 1 - 15 goals for - 5 goals against = +10 (this team wins) Team 2 - 19 goal for - 10 goals against = +9

Knockout stage

In the event of a draw in the knockout stages, the winner will be decided by:

1. 5 minutes of extra time.

There will be a 2-minute interval after full time before starting the extra time.

2. A period of "Golden Goal".

The first team to score a goal wins the match. The match does not stop after the 5 minutes, but the umpires communicate.



Schedule of the day

09:00	Teams Arrive – warm up
09:30	Coach/Umpire briefing
09:40	Pool Matches – Round 1
10:00	Pool Matches – Round 2
10:20	Pool Matches – Round 3
10:40	Pool Matches – Round 4
11:00	Pool Matches – Round 5
11:20	Pool Matches – Round 6
11:40	End of Pool Matches – 10 minute break
11:50	Knockout Matches – QF1 v QF2
12:10	Knockout Matches – QF3 v QF4
12:30	Knockout Matches – SF1 v SF2
12:50	Knockout Matches – Final and 3rd/4th play off
13:10	Tournament Finish
13:20	Presentation
13:30	Collect lunch & Schools leave (post-match food will be provided in boxes)

List of Schools

This qualifier consists of 4 pools of 4 teams. You will play all teams in your pool in the pool stage of the tournament.

	Pool 1		Pool 2		Pool 3		Pool 4
A1	Brentwood Preparatory School	B1	Bishop's Stortford College Prep School	C1	Elm Green Preparatory School	D1	Edge Grove
A2	Channing Junior School	B2	Felsted Preparatory School	C2	Widford Lodge	D2	Littlegarth School
A3	St Albans High School Prep	B3	Abbot's Hill Prep School	C3	Woodford Green Preparatory School	D3	St Aubyn's School
A4	Stormont	B4	North London Collegiate Junior School	C4	Sarum Hall School	D4	St Edmund's Prep School

Pool Matches

- Matches will be 7 minutes each way.
- There will be a break of 2 minutes at half time to make rotations.
- 4 minutes between matches
- You must be ready to start on the whistle.

The 1st and 2nd placed team in each pool will progress to the cup competition.

The 3rd and 4th placed team in each pool will progress to the plate competition.

Time	Court 1 - Pool 1	Court 2 - Pool 2	Court 3 - Pool 3	Court 4 - Pool 4
09:40	A1 v A2	B1 v B2	C1 v C2	D1 v D2
10:00	A3 v A4	B3 v B4	C3 v C4	D3 v D4
10:20	A1 v A3	B1 v B3	C1 v C3	D1 v D3
10:40	A2 v A4	B2 v B4	C2 v C4	D2 v D4
11:00	A1 v A4	B1 v B4	C1 v C4	D1 v D4
11:20	A2 v A3	B2 v B3	C2 v C3	D2 v D3

Knockout Matches

- Matches will be 7 minutes each way.
- There will be a break of 2 minutes at half time to make rotations.
- 4 minutes between matches
- You must be ready to start on the whistle.
- Cup Competition - Court 1 & 2
- Plate Competition - Court 3 & 4

Time	Court 1	Court 2	Court 3	Court 4
11:50	Cup - QF1 1st place of pool 1 v 2nd place of pool 3	Cup - QF2 2nd place of pool 2 v 1st place pool 4	Plate - QF1 3rd place of pool 1 v 4th place of pool 3	Plate - QF2 4th place of pool 2 v 3rd place pool 4
12:10	Cup - QF3 1st place of pool 2 v 2nd place of pool 4	Cup - QF4 2nd place of pool 1 v 1st place pool 3	Plate - QF3 3rd place of pool 2 v 4th place of pool 4	Plate - QF4 4th place of pool 1 v 3rd place pool 3
12:30	Cup - SF1 Winner Cup QF1 v Winner Cup of QF2	Cup - SF2 Winner QF3 v Winner of QF4	Plate - SF1 Winner Plate QF1 v Winner Plate QF2	Plate - SF2 Winner Plate QF3 v Winner Plate QF4
12:50	Cup - Final Winner Cup SF1 v Winner Cup of SF2	Cup - 3rd/4th 2nd Cup SF1 v 2nd Cup of SF2	Plate - Final Winner Plate SF1 v Winner Plate of SF2	Plate - 3rd/4th 2nd Plate SF1 v 2nd Plate of SF2
13:20	Presentation			



Brentwood School



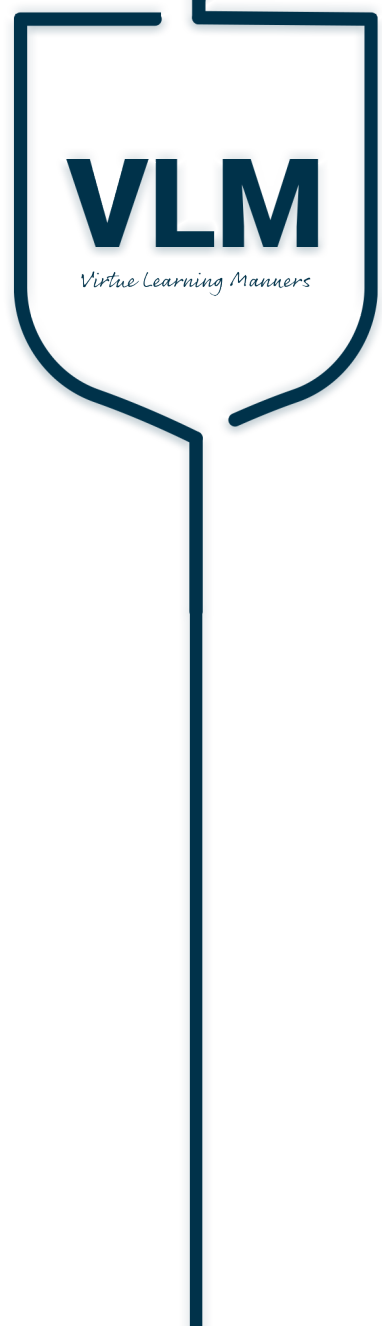
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