

U11 Netball Qualifier, Felsted



Felsted



Monday 9th
February 2026



Welcome from Felsted School

Welcome to Felsted School. It is a privilege to host this 2026 U11 IAPS Netball Tournament, and we are delighted to welcome so many visiting schools and young athletes to Felsted.

Felsted has an enviable reputation both locally and nationally. Netball is a core sport for girls at Felsted, with a successful programme of training for all levels alongside excellent facilities, including indoor and outdoor courts for play in all weathers during the season. Felsted has strong links with Super League Clubs London Pulse and London Mavericks, helping to support the school's netball programme and to provide a superior pathway for talented pupils.

Our young Felstedians also benefit from the expert coaching of former England and Super League Player, Lindsay Keable, who provides invaluable support to the girls during training and tournaments as our Head of Netball.

Our aim is for all girls to enjoy physical activity and team play and for them to achieve the level of skill and commitment which best suits their ability. Felsted offers a fully supportive approach for talented netballers, and for those who have taken their sport to the next level there are a number of sports scholarships available each year.



Welcome from IAPS

First and foremost, sport is about participation and enjoyment. It plays a vital role in children's personal development, helping them build confidence, resilience and teamwork skills. IAPS (Independent Association of Prep Schools) is proud to host over 22,000 children in 190 events across 21 sports each year as part of the IAPS Sport and Pupil Experience programme.

Your Headteacher is a member of IAPS, giving your school access not only to these extracurricular opportunities, but also to professional development, training, advice, events, services, and peer networks that support the whole school community. Your school's membership reflects the all-round quality of education that its pupils receive.

Whether this is your first IAPS event or one of many, we hope you enjoy the competition and good luck!



Code of Conduct for Spectators

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

As a spectator/parent you have a responsibility to:

- Be a positive role model and lead by example. Children are involved in sport for their enjoyment and without undue spectator pressure.
- Encourage children to play by the rules and respect the officials.
- Always respect the officials and their decisions. Video evidence will not be accepted in any cases to dispute decisions.
- Always respect the coaches and their decisions. They give their time, energy and experience to coach the children.
- Refrain from any form of bad language or poor behaviour towards players, officials and fellow spectators.
- Be friendly and respectful to the opposition.
- Teach children that effort and teamwork are as important as victory so that the result of each game is accepted without undue disappointment.
- Turn defeat into victory by helping children work towards skill improvement and a positive sporting attitude.
- Be aware that IAPS events have comprehensive safeguarding policies and procedures, available on our website:
<https://iaps.uk/sports/useful-information/documents-links.html>
- 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

Safeguarding

IAPS believes that the welfare and wellbeing 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](#).

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 and anti-bullying policy. These are available to read and download from our [website](#).

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



Event Information

Parking

All minibuses to use far right row of LRH car park. We ask large coaches to leave and return for pick up where possible, from outside the chapel. Officials should park in the BKA carpark. Spectators are also welcome to park in any remaining spaces in the BKA car park or in the overflow parking on the grass behind the mini bus parking (weather permitting).

Registration and late arrivals

Registration will be open from 9.15 to 10am in the BKA which is located where the music school is labelled on the map, between the mini bus park and the officials car park. Late arrivals will still have access to the car parks, courts and facilities but will forfeit any missed games.

Tournament schedule

All courts will be available for warm ups from 9.30am. There will be a coach / umpire briefing at 10.15am, teams to register and arrive by this point please. Matches will start promptly at 10.30am. Prizegiving will commence at 1.35pm.

Umpires

Each team are to provide their own umpire and bring a match ball to all games. Nail checks to be done by the teams umpire prior to the start of the tournament.

Qualification process

There will be a cup, plate and bowl competition on the day. The team who win the cup final will be the only team to qualify for the finals. Medals will be awarded at the end of the tournament.

First aid

There will be a trained first aider on site to assist with any injuries throughout the day but we ask that teams bring their own first aid kit where possible.

Facilities

The BKA will be open for teams to use as a base throughout the day. There is a water fountain to along the path by the top astro for players to refill water bottles. Toilets for Students are inside the LRH and Toilets for Adults will be on the side of the BKA.

Refreshments

Snack boxes will be provided for each team - players and coaches. Refreshment will be available from the BKA for officials and parents and further refreshments will be able to buy from 'Barista Boy' from 11am. We ask that schools provide their own packed lunches for pupils.

Site Map

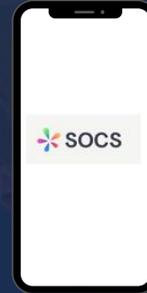
Minibus parking address:
Felsted School, Stebbing Road, Felsted,
Essex, CM6 3JD



Event Information

Results

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



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.



SPORTTAPE

IAPS has partnered with SPORTTAPE to offer all participants an exclusive 10% discount on SPORTTAPE products.

To receive your discount:

1. Use our affiliate link:

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2. Enter the code **STIAPS10** at checkout.

You may also visit the SPORTTAPE website directly – simply enter the code **STIAPS10** at checkout to receive your discount.



Photography advice

There is no professional photography at IAPS Sports 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 here: <https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/>

Running Order of the Day

- 09:20 am - Registration & BKA opens
- 09:30am - Courts open for warm-up
- 10:15am - Coach/umpire briefing on the courts
- 10:30am - Matches begin
- 12:40pm - Pool matches finish and bowl final begins
- 12:50pm - Knockout matches begin
- 13:20pm - Finals for cup, plate and bowl competitions
- 13:35pm - Medals and farewell presentations



Order of Play, Scoring, Rules & Regulations

Order of Play

- This qualifier consists of 2 pools of 7 teams.
- Matches will be 5 minutes each way with 1 minute for half time and 2 minutes between matches.
- The top 4 placed team in each pool will progress to the cup competition.
- The 5th and 6th placed team in each pool will progress to the plate competition.
- The 7th placed team in each pool will progress to the bowl competition.



Scoring

- 5 Points - Win
- 3 Points - Draw
- 1 Point - if losing team get 50% or more of opponents score
- 0 Points - if losing team get less than 50% of opponents score

In the event of a tie on points at the end of a section, goal difference will decide final placings, in the event that this is also tied it will go to goals scored.

At the end of the group stages the competition will split into cup, plate and bowl sections.

In the event of a draw during the final stages there will be extra time of two minutes each way followed by Golden Goal.

Rules and regulations:

All England Netball rules apply to matches.

In line with updated IAPS regulations, this competition will be a 7-a-side tournament and rotations will not be required. Games will be played with a full size post and size 5 balls.

Teachers/coaches are to stand at their teams starting defensive end for the duration of each match. Scorers are to stand together.

Parents and spectators should remain outside of the courts please.

Tactical Change

Request for a Tactical Change

- Each team may request one (1) tactical change per game.
- The request must be made via the umpire.

What Counts as a Tactical Change

A tactical change may include:

- Substitution: swapping an on-court player with a substitute player.
- Positional change: changing players' on-court positions.

How to Request a Tactical Change

Coach/teacher positioning:

- Teachers/coaches should be positioned on the goal line near their defensive end at the start of play.

Communication process:

- From this position, the teacher/coach may communicate with the GK/GS, who should then inform the umpire of the tactical change being requested.

Timing requirements:

- The umpire must be informed of the tactical change before the Centre Pass (C-Pass).
- Tactical changes may only be made before a C-Pass.

Speed of change:

- Changes must be made quickly to avoid delay.
- Please ensure any substitutes are ready to enter immediately, with bibs on and prepared to take the court.

Umpire Oversight

An umpire may refuse a tactical change if:

- The request is considered frivolous, or
- The request is made at a time that would disrupt or delay play.



Schools and Pools

Pool 1		Pool 2	
1	Felsted Preparatory School	A	Channing Junior School
2	Brentwood Preparatory School	B	Stephen Perse Foundation- Dame Bradbury's
3	Bancroft's Preparatory School	C	Chigwell School Prep and Pre-Prep
4	North London Collegiate Junior School	D	St Mary's School, Hampstead
5	Edge Grove	E	Bishop's Stortford College Prep School
6	St Albans High School Prep	F	St Faith's School
7	King's Ely	G	St Aubyn's School

Pool Matches

	Court 1	Court 2	Court 3	Court 4
10:30-10:40	A vs G	B vs F	C vs E	2 vs 4
10:42-10:52	1 vs 7	2 vs 6	3 vs 5	
10:54-11:04	A vs F	G vs E	D vs C	6 vs 7
11:06-11:16	1 vs 6	7 vs 5	4 vs 3	D vs E
11:18-11:28	A vs E	F vs D	B vs G	2 vs 3
11:30-11:40	1 vs 5	6 vs 4	2 vs 7	G vs F
11:42-11:52	A vs D	E vs B	C vs F	
11:52-12:02	1 vs 4	5 vs 2	3 vs 6	B vs D
12:04-12:14	A vs C	D vs G	E vs F	3 vs 7
12:16-12:26	1 vs 3	4 vs 7	5 vs 6	B vs C
12:28-12:38	A vs B	C vs G	1 vs 2	4 vs 5

Knockout Matches Schedule

Cup Competition

	QF 1 - Court 1	QF 2 - Court 2	QF 3 - Court 3	QF 4 - Court 4
12:50	1 st place of pool 1 v 4 th place pool 2	2 nd place of pool 2 v 3 rd place pool 1	1 st place of pool 2 v 4 th place pool 1	2 nd place of pool 1 v 3 rd place pool 2
13:05	SF 1 - Court 1		SF 2 - Court 2	
	winner of QF 1 v winner of QF 2		winner of QF 3 v winner of QF 4	
13:20	FINAL - Court 1		3RD & 4TH PLAY-OFF - Court 2	
	winner of SF 1 v winner of SF 2		2 nd place of SF1 v 2 nd place of SF 2	

Plate Competition

	SF 1 - Court 3	SF 2 - Court 4
13:05	5 th place pool 1 v 6 th place pool 2	5 th place pool 2 v 6 th place pool 1
13:20	FINAL - Court 3	3RD & 4TH PLAY-OFF - Court 4
	winner of SF 1 v winner of SF 2	2 nd place of SF1 v 2 nd place of SF 2

Bowl Competition

	FINAL - Court 4
12:40	7 th place pool 1 v 7 th place pool 2



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