

## MEMORANDUM

To	All Association Presidents, Primary Contacts & Gold Industry Group WANL Clubs Presidents & Coordinators, Goldfields Netball Club Contacts
From	Simon Taylor – Netball WA CEO
Re.	COVID-19 Update
Date	6 <sup>th</sup> May 2020

### A Letter from the CEO

*Dear Netball WA Members,*

*I hope you and your family are safe and well.*

*When I last wrote to you in March, we were experiencing a period of extreme uncertainty. I know we are all sharing a sense of relief now that we are starting to turn a corner. This has been largely made possible by the efforts of our community who have bound together and the work of our national and state Governments.*

*As Government restrictions begin to lift in Western Australia, Netball WA is focused on gearing up for the 2020 Winter Netball season with an announcement due in the coming weeks.*

*We've been overwhelmed by the engagement and support of the netball community during this unprecedented time and this has been our motivation to continue to Advance Netball and Advance Communities.*

*The #sharethenettylove campaign has highlighted that the passion and support for netball is as strong as ever with almost 1,000 members of our community interacting with the campaign and sharing their happy memories of netball across social media.*

*A big thanks also to everyone who has submitted a video as part of the Netball at Home series which has helped others stay active and connected with netball during this time. Please stay connected with us on [Facebook](#) to engage in this great community generated content.*

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*With outdoor gatherings now being allowed of up to 10 people, whilst still abiding by the 1.5m social distancing rule and sporting equipment restrictions, teams can now start to undertake fitness sessions only in either a park, oval or beach. To avoid any doubt, no courts are to be used for fitness or any other type of training until further notice.*

*We can assure you that we're committed to delivering a Winter Netball season and are working hard with our Associations around what measures can be put in place to achieve this whilst maintaining the safety of our members. We are hopeful of further restrictions being lifted this Friday following a meeting of the National Cabinet, and will work with our Associations on how the changes will affect our sport.*

*We appreciate the ongoing support, understanding and patience you have shown through these uncertain times and encourage you to consider downloading the Australian Government [COVIDSafe App](#) so we can get netball back to normal as soon as possible.*

*For all Netball WA COVID-19 communication, please refer to the Netball WA COVID-19 portal on our website, [found here](#).*

*Once again, thank you for your optimism and passion. We'll get through this together.*

Regards,

**Simon Taylor**  
**Netball WA CEO**

