

HOTSHOTS NEWSLETTER SEPTEMBER 2018

The new 2018/19 Netball season is about to start, so here is all the information you and your family will hopefully need.

Training starts on Thursday 6th September, because of an England Netball directive Hotshots will be introducing a training session for KS1 age players, which will be before the usual U11's training, places for this age group have to be book and confirmed with the U7's Coach. Half-term is on 1st November, and the last training session for this term will be on 6th December, a total of 13.

Can you remember: your kit, good quality trainers, a water bottle, no phones (or be ready to hand them in at the start) short nails, no jewellery, no earrings (not even taped – a new England netball safety rule), no piercings.

Inhalers and other medication - if you have an inhaler you **MUST** bring it – named – to every training session.

Players Registration, you will need this site to register. Until you are registered Hotshots can't invoice and affiliate you, therefore you won't be able to train or play at CVL. **Hotshots have held the subs paid for the third consecutive year.**

Forms, (hopefully you will have registered with Hotshots online) so on this first session there will be the necessary forms to fill out. **Your parent will need to come with you to the Sports Hall**, please can you allow a little extra time for this . The affiliation form makes sure you are insured to train and play in the leagues. Read and sign the parent/player code of conducts. For the first time you will be asked to sign a **Social Media Policy**, the full copy of this is available to view on the Hotshots website.

Our website www.hotshotsnc.co.cuk has all our club information on, it has recently been updated for the new season, this is the place to check if you are unsure of anything.

Join our Facebook page [Hotshots Netball Club South Shropshire](#) to get every update. Players under 13 – get your parents to join – in fact we recommend all parents join so that you get the latest information – for example if a match is cancelled on the morning of play due to bad weather, Facebook is how we will let you know.

Hotshots will be entering CVL at Telford, CVL (Proposed) Fixture Dates are:

There will be no qualifying tournament.

23rd September 2018 - Division 1 U14's and U16's only

7th, 14th October 2018

4th, 18th November 2018

2nd December 2018

27th January 2019

3rd, 10th February 2019

17th, 24th March 2019

7th April 2019

Can you make a note of them and keep them free, the club will confirm ASAP.

Fixtures, depending on your age group, you could have weekly fixtures, your age group coach will tell you their preferred method of communicating the team. But as always prompt replies are needed.

Hotshots are again entering a team in the Hereford Adult League and hopefully two teams into the Ludlow League, both leagues play on a Tuesday evening. This is so all the older players can gain game time, experience and aim to raise the standard of their play.

Merchandise will be on sale on the first training session, in addition to the clubs hoodies and polo shirts (hoodies £15-20, polos £10-12). [The new 'skins' are here, Hotshots are subsidising them for this season only and they will retail to you at £10.](#) We will be running this sale as a **cash only sale**, so please can you come prepared. We are also considering selling a training top essentially for CVL, depending on price/interest these would be retailed on a pre-order basis, we hope to have a sample to be viewed.

Safeguarding – Hotshots Safeguarding Officer is Jo Haycock, her email address is safeguarding.hotshots@outlook.com if you have any concerns. Hotshots is also required to have a Junior Committee Member, this is Tegan Pinches who is Yr11, Tegan will also hopefully be helping with the younger groups training.

Hotshots NC Photography Policy. Hotshots bought a digital camera last season, so that coaches can take photographs for use on the clubs website/Facebook (this is a closed site) and publicity posters, any images taken by Coaches will only be taken using this club camera.

All parents/people around the players need to aware if they wish to take any photographs, other than of their own child, they need to have consent to do so. Parents/players are advised not to take photographs on personal devices, and in this digital age, those pictures should not be posted on any social media site. ***The entire Photography Policy is available on the Hotshots website.***

Below you will find a contacts sheet for all of the Hotshots Committee and Coaches. Also there is a full list of the training dates for the whole of the 2018-19 Season and a list of the teams, their training times and the name of the Coaches taking each session.

We look forward to seeing you.

Best Wishes,

Hotshots Committee and Coaches

HOTSHOTS COMMITTEE

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VOLUNTEERS

U16	Tessa Pinches	tessapinches@hotmail.com	07794 319589	01694 781317
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HOTSHOTS TRAINING DATES 2018-19 SEASON:

06/09/2018 13/09/2018 20/09/2018 27/09/2018 04/10/2018
11/10/2018 18/10/2018 25/10/2018

Autumn Half-term 1/11/2018

08/11/2018 15/11/2018 22/11/2018 29/11/2018

06/12/2018 - Last training before Christmas (13 Sessions)

13/12/2018 20/12/2018 *no training*

2019

10/01/2019 17/01/2019 24/01/2019 31/01/2019 07/02/2019
14/02/2019

Spring Half-term 21/02/2019

28/02/2019 07/03/2019 14/03/2019 21/03/2019 28/03/2019
04/04/2019 11/04/2019 (13 Sessions)

HOTSHOTS TEAMS AND TRAINING TIMES:

Under 7's 4.45 to 5.30 Lead Coach Becky Evans, assisted by Emma Hughes.
Places for this age group are Pre-booked with confirmation from Coach on place.

U11's Minishots 5.30 to 6.30 Lead Coach Becky Evans, assisted by Parent
Helpers.

U12's Flyers 6.00 to 7.00 Lead Coach Karen Bowen, assisted by Emma
Hughes,

U14's Mightyshots/Supershots 7.00 to 8.00 Lead Coach Karen Bowen,
assisted by Emma Hughes, Charlotte Gwilliam and Tracy Yarranton

U16's Megashots/Hotshots 8.00 to 9.00 Lead Coach Charlotte Gwilliam,
assisted by Tracy Yarranton

Tuesday League Coaches

Ludlow – Tessa Pinches and Karen Bowen

Hereford – Tracy Yarranton

