WOODCREST ACADEMY SPORTS PROGRAM (WASP)

Basketball Academy
GENERAL INFORMATION

The purpose of the Woodcrest Basketball Academy is to strengthen both the individual athlete and basketball teams. The Academy is designed to make every individual a better athlete and in turn bring these improved skills to their teams.

The objective of the program is to create direct links with sporting clubs and associations that will help promote basketball at Woodcrest. WSC basketball athletes will feed into clubs and associations and where possible will also gain qualifications in officiating and coaching.

The programs’ aim is to develop selected players that can add to the dynamics of the teams at Woodcrest. These players will also represent Woodcrest at District, Regional, State and National level.

SCHOOL PROGRAM

The Basketball Academy provides students with the opportunity to gain practical experience in basketball and develop the fundamental skills of the game which can also translate into other similar sports. Students will have access to recognised accredited basketball coaches and teachers who will also provide feedback and insight to developing the ability of each and every participant.

The program itself will offer opportunity for students to:
- Participate in competitions throughout the local area and region.
- Students within the program will receive first choice in sporting teams playing in key competitions (such as the All Schools Basketball Competition and BBI Tournament)
- Be provided with opportunities to be scouted by basketball Queensland, regional and state representatives.

The Academy offers:
- Qualified Coaching Staff
- Brian Kerle Basketball Academy- specialising in elite player development
- Representative teams enter CBSQ & BBI competitions
- School based competitions (Yagera District)
- Nutrition and diet advice
ENTRY INTO THE PROGRAM

Students wishing to enter into the Basketball Academy must demonstrate the following:

- Be prepared to reach their full potential with dedication and hard work
- Indication of basketball skill and ability
- Ability to work with others in pursuit of basketball excellence
- Willingness to study other academic subjects within Woodcrest State College
- Proven exemplary record of attitude, industry and behavior within the school environment
- Demonstrate a desire to do well with their academic subjects

ATTITUDE IS EVERYTHING

We will celebrate victories, large or small, team or personal. Imparted with a positive, upbeat approach.

- Be someone fellow teammates like being around
- Players must believe that with hard work goals will be achieved
- There must be a dedication to the cause, a belief in the system and a commitment to the team
- There is pride in representing our school within the Basketball Academy.
- All students are expected to exhibit sportsmanship
- Respect of others and be of good character

SELECTION CRITERIA

Acceptance into the Woodcrests’ Basketball Academy program is dependent upon the student’s ability but also the willingness to participate within the program. The aim of the Basketball Academy is to provide a high standard of skill development to strengthen individual athletes and teams whilst maintaining Woodcrest State College as a force in Queensland school sport.

With our 2 indoor stadiums, the support from Basketball Queensland, Ipswich Basketball and Springfield Brumbies, Woodcrest State College provides students with overwhelming opportunities to succeed within the game of basketball.
FEES
While there is no direct cost for your son/daughter to take part in the program, there will be costs associated with the different competitions and tournaments held throughout the year. This will cover items such as nomination fees, insurance and transport.

APPLICATION PROCESS
Please complete an Expression of Interest for your son/daughter and return to Woodcrest State College Secondary Administration.

For further information please contact the Basketball Academy Coordinator on 3280 2444 or by email office@woodcrestsc.eq.edu.au

For further information regarding this program, other subjects and for further information about Woocrest State College please refer to our website www.woodcrestsc.eq.edu.au

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