

BROADMEADOWS BEAT

Broadmeadows Basketball Association Inc



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THERE were many fabulous matches at last Saturday's Domestic Grand Finals. But there were none better than that between Strathmore Unicorns and Greenvale U16s.

Greenvale won by just one point (congratulations) but it showed the great spirit that exists in our Association where Rep team members are opponents in Domestic and at the end of the match, win or lose, they are a happy combination of players - and friends.

And, more to the point, these boys are playing an Under-16 Grand Final and they are aged 12 and 13! **CONGRATULATIONS TO EVERY ONE OF YOU.**

DIARY

April 7-9
School holiday School Clinic
(Lanard Copeland)
April 12 & 19 (Easter)
School holidays. No Jun Domestic games
April 26
Junior Domestic Grading continues
May 4
Domestic Coaching Course
May 7
Aussie Hoops - Term 2
May 14 & 19 (7-9pm)
Senior Domestic Competition rego
May 17
Junior Domestic season begins
June 7
Queen's Birthday (no Jun Domestic games)
June 11 (Wed)
Men and Women's Domestic competition
June 16 (Mon)
Men's Domestic competition

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May 31-June 1



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Home games this weekend at
Broadmeadows Stadium

Saturday April 5 Tip off 7.00pm
HUME CITY BRONCOS MEN
v ELTHAM WILDCATS

Sunday April 6 Tip off 12 noon
LADY BRONCOS
DOUBLE HEADER

1. Youth League v Knox Raiders
2. Championship v McKinnon

ENTRY

Single match: Adults \$4, children \$2. Family \$10
Double header: Adults \$6, children \$3, Family \$15

BBA MANAGEMENT TEAM

*Of course we often judge our club by how well our on-court/field team is going. But behind every good club, win or lose, there has to be good management. Last issue you were introduced to our President, **Peter Jackson** and High Performance Manager, **Mark Landells**.*

*This issue, please let me introduce **Glen Milner**, our Vice-President ...*



Glen Milner

FOR those of you I haven't met, I am the Vice-President of the Association. I am also the only foundation member of the Association's Committee of Management, having commenced in the role of Assistant Secretary when the then Northern District Basketball Association (the forerunner of what is now BBA Inc.) was formed in 1978.

Apart from a three year stint during the early 2000s when I was President of Basketball Victoria and on the Board of Basketball Australia, I have occupied Executive roles with BBA since 1978, at various times leading the Association's business as President and also as Director of Basketball Operations.

A well-rounded capability set in both the domestic and elite basketball settings has included player, refereeing and coaching roles, although I am the first to concede that my coaching achievements far exceed any notable playing or refereeing milestones.

A swag of premierships at the junior and senior domestic levels in Broadmeadows and beyond has been complemented by the 1997 and 2001 VJBL Under-18 Women's Victorian State Championship titles. In addition, our Association has enjoyed a great deal of success in our representative women's program, achieving back-to-back titles in 2007 and 2008, and finishing runners up in the Australian Club Championships in 2007.

The hard working BBA Committees of the past have put a lot of effort into setting the Association up for a very promising future. A sound financial basis has enabled us to achieve expansion of the Dimboola Road stadium as well as a licensing agreement with the Hume City Council. With the new blood recruited on to the existing Committee of Management and a progressive staffing structure catering for the current and emerging needs of all sectors of our basketball community, we are very well placed to have Broadmeadows Basketball as:

- (Association of choice for competition and player, coach, referee and administrator development in this region;
- the leader in engagement initiatives that build better communities and
- the provider of career pathways in sports administration and player, referee and coaching excellence.

I also acknowledge the efforts of our Junior Domestic Sub-Committee in helping this arm of our operations become even more responsive to our Clubs' needs. The next challenge is to get our Junior Representative Sub-Committee established, so don't be surprised if I start tapping you on the shoulder to become involved!

Finally, what a fantastic and professionally conducted junior domestic final series we had, culminating in the carnival type atmosphere of Grand Final day. Congratulations go to Lisa Shennan, our Operations Manager, who led the organisational arrangements for the day, and to all the Clubs who participated with a strong sense of goodwill to provide very positive messages for our young participants. I also encourage you to come along and support our Hume City Big V senior representative teams – our men and women's teams have got off to great starts, while our development squads continue to give a good account of themselves.

See you around the corral, and happy Hoopin' – Glen



Glen, with his Under 16 girls



JUNIOR DOMESTIC CALENDAR

WINTER 2014

Date		Round
April 5	Grading	1
April 12	School Holidays	No Games
April 19	Easter Break	No Games
April 26	Grading	2
May 3	Grading	3
May 10	Grading	4
May 17	Season Begins	1
May 24	Regular Season	2
May 31	Regular Season	3
June 7	Queen's Birthday	No Games
June 14	Regular Season	4
June 21	Regular Season	5
June 28	Regular Season	6
July 5	School Holidays	No Games
July 12	Regular Season	7
July 19	Regular Season	8
July 26	Regular Season	9
August 2	Regular Season	10
August 9	Regular Season	11
August 16	Regular Season	12
August 23	Semi Final Day Summer Team Registration Due	1
August 30	Preliminary Final Day	2
September 6	Grand Final Day	3
September 13	Grading Summer Season Hard Copy of Team Registration Due	1
September 20	Grading Summer Season	2
September 27	School Holidays	No Games
October 4	Grading Summer Season Representative Try Outs Begin	3



Brian Ogilvie

Brian has played basketball for 25 years including SEABL level. His highlights include VBL Division 1 title in 1999. Broadmeadows Basketball Association Treasurer for past 10 month. He's coached for 6 years and is the current Broadmeadows Under-18 boys and Strathmore Under-14 girls coach. He follows the Boston Celtics in the NBA.

If 50% of the Australian basketball population is from Victoria, it's no surprise you want to take your Bball further. Representative "Rep" basketball is your step to stardom. **Rep Rap** is your regular update on the Broadmeadows Rep scene.

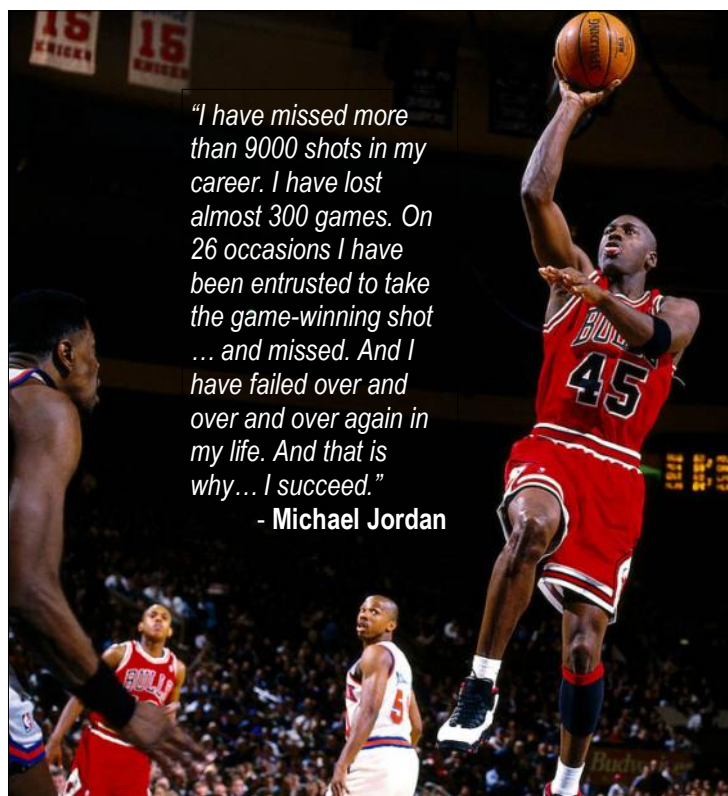
First things first. What constitutes Rep, I hear you ask?

There are 23 teams Representing Broadmeadows in the Victorian Junior Basketball League in 2014 from Under 12 to Under 20.

A further 4 teams Represent Broadmeadows in the Big V which is the Basketball Victoria Senior competition for both men and women. Big V also includes a Youth League competition for players under 23 years of age. The Big V is further split into Championship, Division 1 and Division 2 competitions with Broadmeadows excelling by having 3 teams in the elite "Championship division", the highest State competition. Something our neighbors desire but are unable to match.

So are the senior teams any good?

Would 5 titles in the past 10 years convince you?



The men won the Championship in 2004. The women completed a 3-peat in 2009 and just last year they again reigned supreme.

The 2014 season is only young, however the Senior teams are again in the mix. So get along with the crowd and check out the high flying action! You will be impressed by the atmosphere and the camaraderie.

I hear you want to know more about the juniors. Well with 13 boys and 10 girls teams competing with over 50 other associations we have some great battles ahead.

Stay tuned for the next edition of **Rep Rap** for a closer look at our littler Bronco champions.

BROADMEADOWS BASKETBALL CAMP

BROADMEADOWS BASKETBALL STADIUM
1 Tanderrum Way, Broadmeadows

3 DAYS

Directed by

Men's Hume City Broncos 2014 Coach

LANARD COPELAND

BOYS & GIRLS AGES 6-18



7 – 9 APRIL 2014 9AM-3PM

ALL CAMPERS RECEIVE :

1 SPALDING BASKETBALL



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2014 HOME GAME FIXTURE



Round	Division	Day	Date	Time	Opposition
4	SCM	Sat	05/04/14	7:00 PM	Eltham Wildcats
4	VYCW	Sun	06/04/14	12:00 PM	Knox Raiders
4	SCW	Sun	06/04/14	2:00 PM	McKinnon Cougars
5	VYCW	Sun	13/04/14	12:00 PM	Diamond Valley Eagles
5	YL1M	Sun	13/04/14	2:00 PM	Camberwell Dragons
6	YL1M	Sat	26/04/14	6:00 PM	Western Port Steelers
6	SCM	Sat	26/04/14	8:00 PM	Whittlesea Pacers
6	VYCW	Sun	27/04/14	1:00 PM	Ballarat Miners
7	SCM	Sat	03/05/14	7:00 PM	Ringwood Hawks
8	SCW	Sat	10/05/14	6:00 PM	Sherbrooke Suns
8	SCM	Sat	10/05/14	8:00 PM	Sherbrooke Suns
9	VYCW	Sat	17/05/14	7:00 PM	Bendigo Braves
10	SCW	Sat	24/05/14	6:00 PM	Waverley Falcons
10	SCM	Sat	24/05/14	8:00 PM	Waverley Falcons
11	SCW	Sat	31/05/14	6:00 PM	Eltham Wildcats
11	SCM	Sat	31/05/14	8:00 PM	Diamond Valley Eagles
11	VYCW	Sun	01/06/14	12:00 PM	Sandingham Sabres
11	YL1M	Sun	01/06/14	2:00 PM	Sunbury Jets
12	VYCW	Sun	15/06/14	12:00PM	Dandenong Rangers
12	SCM	Sun	15/06/14	2:00 PM	Werribee Devils
13	VYCW	Sat	21/06/14	6:00 PM	Frankston Blues
13	SCW	Sat	21/06/14	8:00 PM	Bulleen Boomers
13	YL1M	Sun	22/06/14	12:00 PM	Keilor Thunder
13	SCM	Sun	22/06/14	2:00 PM	Bulleen Boomers
14	VYCW	Sat	28/06/14	6:00 PM	Nunawading Spectres
14	SCW	Sat	28/06/14	8:00 PM	Warrandyte Venom
15	SCW	Sat	05/07/14	6:00 PM	Diamond Valley Eagles
15	SCM	Sat	05/07/14	8:00 PM	Melbourne Tigers
15	YL1M	Sun	06/07/14	1:00 PM	Bendigo Braves
16	YL1M	Sat	12/07/14	6:00 PM	Werribee Devils
16	SCW	Sat	12/07/14	8:00 PM	Melbourne Tigers
17	YL1M	Sat	19/07/14	6:00 PM	Altona Gators
17	SCM	Sat	19/07/2014	8:00 PM	Corio Bay Stingrays
17	VYCW	Sun	20/07/2014	1:00 PM	Bulleen Boomers
18	YL1M	Sat	26/07/2014	7:00 PM	Whittlesea Pacers
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Ladies (only) Night

Tuesday, May 27

This evening will be a forerunner to our **Pink Round** and is a special event for demonstrators and anyone who would like to sell and get a broad exposure for their products.

There will be raffles, sales and lots of fun.

For interest in having a stall please contact Effie - 0412.323.787

There will be a \$10 entry fee which includes a glass of champagne and nibbles. There will be an open bar and nibbles at standard association prices.

For further information please contact
Effie at Broadmeadows Basketball Association
Tel: 0412.323.787



- An entry level program for children aged 5-12
- An opportunity to develop new skills
- 8 week program

TERM 2 PROGRAM

Day: Wednesday
Time: 4:00 - 4:45pm
Dates: 7th May- 25th June 2014
Where: Broadmeadows Basketball Stadium
1 Tanderrum Way, Broadmeadows
Cost: \$65 (Includes Pack)

For more information:

Contact Robert Black
Ph: 0428 477 321

