# Welcome to Runcorn Rockets 2024 - Season 1!

We're a not-for-profit club run entirely by volunteers. All the money we collect goes towards supporting your children's basketball activities. Below is some key information for all Rockets members.

#### **Game Times**

Throughout the season, game times and venues will be available via the:

- -Basketball Connect Website
- -Basketball Connect App (Download from the App Store or Google Play)

Login and search for 'Runcorn Rockets'. Then add your child's team number RRxxxxx

# **Training**

Training times will be communicated by Age Coordinators, Coaches or Managers and a timetable will become available on our website from mid January.

#### **WhatsApp**

All team communication will be done via your team's <u>WhatsApp</u> Group. An invite link will be sent to each team during the initial weeks of season. Please make sure all parents/guardians and players aged 13 and above have downloaded WhatsApp from App Store or Google Play.

#### **Score Bench Duty**

South West Metro requires that every team <u>must</u> have someone on the score bench during games. Managers will create a roster for your team so that each family will only need to do it twice per season. It's easy, fun and we'll always help where required. Teams may be penalised if no scorer is provided.

## **Season 1 2024**

Here's some important information for the start of the upcoming season:

- Trial Day is on Saturday 20th January at Runcorn High School
  - o The schedule for the day is:



- Teams, Coaches and Training Locations to be finalised
- Merchandise will be available on the day including Rockets Shorts (compulsory) and our NEW Training Shirt by New Balance
- Teams need to be submitted to SWM by 24<sup>th</sup> January
- Training starts the week of 29<sup>th</sup> January
- Games start on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> February
- There will be 4 trial/grading games where teams, players, and their respective divisions may be adjusted by the club and/or association.

#### **Emails**

To stay updated on important information and opportunities, please stay tuned to our emails. If you're not receiving them, please check your spam folder to ensure you don't miss out.

## **Social Media**

Follow us on <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Facebook</u> to see weekly images and keep up with other news. 'Rockets Report' Newsletters will be sent via email containing important information about the club. In case you miss one, you can find all of them on our website <u>Notice Board</u>.

#### **Volunteers Needed**

If you're interested in coaching, managing, fundraising, or sponsorship opportunities, we'd love your help! Being involved in your child's sport is a wonderful experience, and it brings joy to them. Contact us at <a href="mailto:info@rocketsbasketball.com.au">info@rocketsbasketball.com.au</a> to get involved.

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