

CHELSEA GULLS BASKETBALL



To the CADBA community,

Welcome back!

We are excited to recommence basketball after a long period of shutdown in 2020.

The Committee would like to congratulate Director of Coaching, Corey Standerfer for his outstanding effort in preparing for and carrying out the VJBL tryouts. Corey has the full support of the Committee in his decision making and his professional approach holds the club in good standing for a very successful season ahead.

The Committee is otherwise aware that some members of the CADBA community have raised questions regarding our coaching policy. For many years the Club has had a policy in place for coaches and their terms of tenure. Under our coaching policy, we aim to ensure that teams have an opportunity to engage with a new coach every two years. This is to ensure the growth and development of players through exposure to different coaching styles.

The CADBA Committee is mindful of the huge contribution made by our volunteer coaches and the value of experienced coaches to the CADBA Community. Accordingly, whilst it is not always possible, we do our best to ensure that coaches are offered a new team at the end of each two-year period of tenure. We thank Corey Standerfer and the Women's team import, Shaniqua Nilles for doing a wonderful job in managing the logistics of the team selection process.

Both Corey and Shaniqua are delighted with the talent that they have seen from players and in the coaches that have been engaged for the upcoming season. The Club is excited for what the season brings and the future of our great Club.

**GO GULLS,
Chelsea & District Basketball Association Committee**

