



NETBALL TRIALS 2011

Welcome to the Ikaroa ki te Tonga (IKTT) trials for the 2011 teams.

All IKTT teams will participate in the Aotearoa Maori Netball Oranga Healthy Lifestyle tournament. The tournament will be held over the Easter Weekend, Friday 22 April – Monday 25 April 2011, hosted by Ikaroa ki te Raki, in Palmerston North.

There are 5 teams – Under 13s, Under 15s, Under 17s, Under 19s, and Premier. Players must be under their age group as at 1 January 2011 e.g. to be eligible to play Under 13's you must be **under 13** as at 1 January 2011. If you are already 13 years of age as at 1 January 2011, you must trial for the Under 15 team and so on through the age groups.

To be eligible to play and trial for an Ikaroa ki te Tonga team you must be able to:

- Whakapapa to an iwi Maori o Aotearoa
- Live in the Wairarapa, Otaki, Levin, Kapiti Coast, Porirua, Wellington, Hutt Valley area
- Attend at least 2 trials to be considered unless discussed with a Coach.
- No boys/tama are able to trial for these teams
- A player may only trial for one age grade. If a player chooses to trial in a higher age grade and is unsuccessful, the player may not 'retrial' for other grades.

TRIAL DATES

Sunday 10 October 2010
Kapi Mana Netball Centre, Mungavin
Avenue
10am – 12pm

Sunday 17 October 2010
Hutt Valley Netball Centre, Taine
Street
10am – 12pm

Sunday 31 October 2010
Kapiti Netball Centre, Percival Street
10am – 12pm

As part of being a member of an Ikaroa ki te Tonga Netball Team there is a **compulsory requirement** that you attend a noho. During the noho you will learn the kaupapa of AMNHOL and how Maori Netball became, history of Ikaroa ki te Tonga Maori Netball, tikanga/waiata, attend workshops (including presentations by special sports & health presenters), participate in netball



training skills/drills as well as getting to know other whanau making connections through Whakapapa.

Direct all trial questions or queries regarding the above information to Helen Ngataki, Umpire/Netball Coordinator. htngataki@gmail.com, or 0275552292.

Wanting to coach or manage one of our teams? We want to hear from you by Friday, 10 September.

Wanting to find out about the Premiere team?

Contact Marina Odering (Secretary) on 021 278 1226 or robandmarina@extra.co.nz for more information.