# **NETBALL**

## DISCOVER BRILLIANCE

### DIRECTOR OF NETBALL

### Jenna Adamson

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Jenna is a highly established coach who is the second person in England to attain a Level 3 coaching qualification alongside being an A Award Umpire. For the last five years, Jenna has been the National Assistant Coach for Wales most recently coaching at the 2022 Commonwealth Games and last season was the VNSL Assistant Coach for Celtic Dragons. Jenna also heads up the Team Bath Academy Development Centre held at Millfield.

### COACHES







Ayren Walker Netball Coach



Jemima Bugeja Netball Coach

## **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Regular representation at County, Regional and National Schools across all three age groups and multiple title winners
- U15 and U19 squads frequently feature in the top 4 for National Competitions in the Independent Schools Netball Competition (ISNC) and the Sisters in Sport Competitions, often making the finals
- A large proportion of athletes are selected each year into the County Academy and Team Bath Academy Development Centre
- Students are regularly selected to represent Team Bath at at Superleague and NPL age groups
- Two athletes have been selected into international squads for 2022/23, Ireland and the Isle of Man with both individuals competing at Netball Europe. Previous International representations include England, Wales, Scotland and Switzerland
- Two athletes gained international caps for their respective countries in 2022/23

## **SUCCESS STORIES**



Pamela Cookey

Ex-England Netball Captain and seven time Superleague Champion. Multiple Commonwealth and World Championship medalist.



Hannah Passmore

Previous England U21 and VNSL player for Team Bath. Also represented Team Bath NPL at U21 and U19 age groups.



Lois Jackson

Previous VNSL player for Team Bath winning the 2010 Championship title and former Team Bath Academy Manager and NPL coach.



Ella Porter

Wales U21 Captain and Team Bath performance athlete. Now studying and playing at Exeter University.

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### THE PROGRAMME

#### WHAT TO EXPECT

Performance Programme: Athletes on a performance pathway and/or scholarship from Year 9 upwards are able to access 1:1 weekly coaching. The Senior first team have their own programme and in addition to the weekly 1:1 court sessions, they can access 1:1 strength and conditioning sessions, video analysis, nutritional advice and physio support. This consists of being full-time for two terms and part-time in the summer.

Full time Programme: For those in Years 11 - Upper Sixth, netball is played across both the autumn and the spring term with a full programme of training, strength and conditioning provision and competitive fixtures. Year 10s that are in the performance pathway can also opt to do netball across two terms.

Part-time netballers: Those that compete in other sports can still access netball in club, squad and MAP sessions allowing them the flexibility to compete across an array of sports all year round.

**Game of the term:** The spring term is the busiest period with netball being played across all age groups and abilities. Each team has its own suitably experienced and qualified coach with regular training and weekly fixtures. Fixtures are matched according to the needs of the team and this includes an internal league, schools, clubs, colleges, franchises and universities.

#### WHO CAN DO IT?

Millfield netball has 11 teams in total and is accessible to all years at participation, competition, and performance levels. Netball is played all year round and therefore caters for everyone, including boys who can now participate in a netball MAP. The boys netball team train weekly and compete in the National England Mens and Mixed Netball Association (EMMNA) competition. We also run an internal league in term two as part of the netball programme which runs alongside external fixtures.

Teams enter county tournaments with the aim to progress through regional rounds to the National School Finals, plus the Independent Schools Netball Cup and the Sisters in Sport National Cup.

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