



## **ASPENDALE ARROWS NETBALL CLUB WET WEATHER POLICY**

### **AUTHORISATION**

This policy was adopted by the Aspendale Arrows Netball Club (AANC) Committee of Management at its meeting during the year 2013.

### **SCOPE**

This Policy applies to the nominated committee member making a decision whether training proceeds due to extreme wet weather.

### **PURPOSE**

- To clearly outline the roles and responsibilities of the nominated Committee member regarding training in extreme wet weather.
- To clearly describe who will be responsible for contacting all Coaches and Team Managers if training is to be cancelled due to extreme wet weather.

### **DEFINITIONS**

**Nominated Committee Member-** person nominated by the current AANC Committee to make the decision to cancel training due to extreme Wet Weather.

### **BACKGROUND AND LEGISLATION**

Currently the AANC Coaches make a decision whether they want to train in extreme wet weather so Key Bearers still need to attend the courts even if their team is not training. This policy has been introduced to so to avoid key bearers unnecessary time to open the facilities when no teams are in attendance.

## **PROCEDURES**

\* The nominated Committee member will check the following Website; [www.weatherzone.com.au](http://www.weatherzone.com.au) by 2pm on the day of training, if the radar shows extreme wet weather or a chance of lightening then all training on Outdoor Courts will be Cancelled.

\*If the forecast is for light showers or light rain then training will proceed as scheduled.

\*The nominated Committee member will then send a group text to All Coaches and Team Managers that all training is cancelled and the Court facilities will not be opened for that night.

\*If a coach decides to proceed with their teams training they do so against club policy.

## **RESPONSIBILITIES AND AUTHORITIES**

- The AANC Committee of Management is responsible for the decisions made by the nominated committee member.
- The AANC Secretary is responsible for providing the nominated committee member with all contact details for Coaches and Team Managers.

## **EVALUATION**

The incoming Committee of Management shall review this policy each year.