NDO Dorset – report June 2023

Festivals

October 22 - NSW WN festival with over 80+ participants (2 x WI teams from Dorset attended)

February 23 - Vets Tournament with over 80 participants from Dorset. Case study provided to England Netball and this has led to Netball SW regional Vets tournament for 2023/24.

Netball Youth Camps

July 22 – Poole, 9-11 years, Oct 22 – Dorchester, 11-14 years, Feb 23 – Dorchester, 11-14 years, Apr 23 – Dorchester, 11-14 years, June 23 – Dorchester, 11-14 years

• Young Role Models

Through Netball Dorset, Netball SW and BBC Solent looking for opportunities to promote young female role models to our Netball Dorset community:

Ella Williams (U19 Roses Academy), Alice Clark (U19 Team Bath), Carina Rowe (Team Bath ADC and U15), Ashley Browne (U17/U19 Team Bath)

Membership

Written help sheets, email help and phone call help provided to clubs across Dorset for 2022/23 membership renewal. This level of support will continue for 2023/24.

Membership of Netball Dorset was over 2000 (an increase on 2021/22).

Participation

Back to Netball – Bournemouth and Budmouth

Walking Netball – Bridport, Sherbourne, Sturminster Newton, Wimborne, Child Okeford, Swanage, Ashley Heath, West Lulworth, Budmouth

• Lower, Social and Economic Groups (LSEG) Participation

Support given to Atlantic Academy, Portland, to encourage school netball club participation with the aim of the school entering year 7 and year 8 teams into the Area Schools tournament. The school had not entered a team for many years and it was great to finally change this.