WHO WANTS TO PLAY COMPETITION BASKETBALL?

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Lilydale West Primary School has had a successful partnership with the SEBC Saints Basketball Club for 6 years, as an alternative to the school participating in the After School Basketball Competition. In 2015 we expanded our recruiting drive to include the Mt Lilydale Basketball Club, (Lakers) which also proved to be very successful, with a number of children joining the club.

The SEBC Saints are the biggest club in the Kilsyth & Mountain District Basketball Association. They offer a range of additional opportunities, including ‘get to know basketball’ programs for young children. A large number of Lilydale West students, of all ages, already play for the club.

http://www.sebcsaints.com.au

The Mt Lilydale Basketball Club (Lakers) are a fast growing club based in the local area. All training sessions are held at Mt Lilydale Mercy College. A number of children at Lilydale West have recently joined the club.

http://www.mlbc-lakers.com.au

The aim of these recruiting drives is to increase the chances of children from the school joining a sporting club at the same time. It is hoped that a system such as this will help to give children the courage to become involved in an ‘out of school’ activity, and at the same time create links within LWPS families. Both clubs will make an effort to place students from Lilydale West into the same teams.

COMPETITION BASKETBALL DETAILS:

- Summer Season: Beginning Term 4
- Age Groups – Miniball (Under 7s & 8s), Under 9s, 10s, 11s, 12s, 13s
- 1 x Game per week at a local basketball stadium – i.e. Lilydale Stadium, Kilsyth Stadium, Oxley Stadium.
- Girls Games – Tuesday or Wednesday after school. Boys – Saturday
- 1 x Training Session per week at a local venue (after school)

For information, including costs that would be associated with your child’s involvement, visit the clubs websites listed above.

HOW THE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM WILL WORK:

STEP 1.

If you are keen for your child to participate, you will return the slip on the opposite side to this page, to me by FRIDAY 5TH AUGUST. If you miss this date, please contact the clubs directly.

STEP 2.

You will be contacted by a representative from the club you have indicated as your preference on the return slip, who will talk to you about what will happen next.

Scott Clarke
Physical Education Co-ordinator
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RETURN SLIP
Due to Mr Clarke by Friday 5\textsuperscript{th} August, 2016

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Which club would you like to be contacted by?  
SEBC SAINTS  □
MT LILYDALE LAKERS  □

Would you still like your child to play basketball for the SEBC Saints or Mt Lilydale Lakers even if there is the potential that no other Lilydale West students will be in their team?  
YES □  NO □