

# macquarie football

2 August 2010

Dear Secretary,

Thank you for your support for the Identification and development Clinic held in the last week of the July School holidays. Players identified in the under 8's and under 9's will be sent letters in a couple of weeks to invite them to our trials for their relevant age groups held in September for our teams for next year.

Players that have already been identified by us and some clubs, will also receive letters. I have established a list of these players from information that has been sent by some clubs. It would be great if all clubs could send me current U8's, U9's, U10's and U11's names who you feel would make our Development squad for next year. Please send me by email, or Fax the Macquarie office players from your club you feel are of the standard required. This needs to be done as soon as possible.

Following are dates for the Development and SYL trials in both boys and girls for the season 2011. Could you please pass on this information to the relevant age groups so every player has the chance to be part of the Macquarie Football Academy in 2011? There may be some players that will have to be replaced in the SYL due to possible selection into the Institute of Sport and the Emerging Athletes program. These selections will be made immediately after the National titles held in the last week of the October School holidays. SYL trials will take place in the very next week giving players who are not already in the system the opportunity to join this elite pathway. All clubs will be asked to hold their trials for these age groups after the completion of SYL trials.

**NOTE: Due to the expected large numbers for the Boys 9's age group we will be running a two-tier selection process. Boys that receive a letter of invitation will only need to attend the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> selection night. All other players will need to attend on the first night; players that come through this repechage will be notified by letter if they are required to attend the two remaining trials. All trials will take place at:**

**Macquarie Football Complex  
Park Street  
Speers Point (adjacent to Speers Point swimming pool)**

Dates are as follows:

**U9's for 2011:**

Open trials      Monday 13th of September      5:30-7pm

Those receiving letters:

Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

**U10's for 2011:**

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

**U11's Boys for 2011:**

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> of September      5:30-7pm

**U12's Boys for 2011:**

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> of October      10-11:30am

**U13's SYL for 2011:**

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

**U14's SYL for 2011:**

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

**U15's SYL for 2011:**

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

**U12's Girls Development for 2011:**

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

**U14's Girls Development for 2011:**

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

**U16's Girls SYL for 2011:**

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> of October      5:30-7pm

Thank you for your support.

Yours in Sport

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