

WILLETTON TIGERS NBL1

# Zambrero

### ZAMBRERO WILLETTON TIGERS FINALS WEEK 2

Men's Semi-Final v Perth @ Willetton

7pm Friday 27 August 2021 Women's Preliminary Final @ Willetton

5pm Saturday 28 August 2021

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#### **COLES EXPRESS NBL1 WEST FINALS**

Friday 3 September - Women's Grand Final at Bendat Saturday 3 September - Men's Grand Final at Bendat

### WILLETTON'S POSITION

The **Women**, who finished minor premiers, won their Qualification Final against the fourth placed East Perth Eagles last Saturday night. Consequently they have moved straight through to the Preliminary Final to be played on Saturday 28 August at 5pm at Willetton against the winner of the Semi-Final between Perth and Cockburn.

The **Men**, who finished third, lost their Qualification Final against the second placed Lakeside at Lakeside last Friday night. They now play the Semi-Final at home on Friday 27 August against the seventh placed Perth Redbacks at 7pm. The winner of this semi-final will move through to the Preliminary Final on Saturday night against Minor Premiers Perry Lakes at Bendat at 7pm.

#### THE WEEK 1 FINALS RESULTS

#### Women's Elimination Finals

Cockburn (7th) 81 d Rockingham (6th) 75 Warwick (5th) 97 d Mandurah (8th) 64

#### **Men's Elimination Finals**

Mandurah (5th) 63 d Cockburn (8th) 62 Perth (7th) 111 d Warwick (6th) 88

#### Women's Qualification Finals

Willetton (1st) 74 d East Perth (4th) 73 Joondalup (2nd) 90 d Perth (3rd) 48

#### **Men's Qualification Finals**

Perry Lakes (1st) 90 d Rockingham (4th) 75 Lakeside (2nd) 95 d Willetton (3rd) 92

#### **AUSTRALIAN UNDER 16 CHAMPIONSHIPS**

The Australian Under 16 Championships will be held in Darwin between 26 September and 3 October 2021. Congratulations to the following Willetton representatives:

#### Under 16 Metro Girls Team:

Eva Cooke Jasmin Clark Taylah Haboldt Kiara Waite Monique Williams

<u>Under 16 Country Boys Team:</u> Elijah Huddlestone

<u>Statistician Co-ordinator</u> Marcus Langshaw Robyn Winter - Head Coach Michael Winter - Assistant Coach Nathan van Tilburg - Assistant Coach

### **COLES EXPRESS NBL1 WEST AWARDS**

The following Willetton people received these awards at the Coles Express NBL1 West Awards Night. Congratulations to all.

#### NBL1 West Club of the Year

Willetton Basketball Association

NBL1 West Women's Most Valuable Player

Alex Sharp (Willetton Tigers)

John Gardiner NBL1 West Men's Coach of the Year

Adam Nener (Willetton Tigers)

NBL1 West Women's Defensive Player of the Year

Emma Gandini (Willetton Tigers)

NBL1 West Women's Leading Scorer

Samantha Lubcke (Willetton Tigers)

All-NBL1 West Women's 1st Team

Samantha Lubcke (Willetton Tigers) and Alex Sharp (Willetton Tigers)

Fueling Champions Healthy Basketball Association of the Year

Willetton Basketball Association

NBL1 West Scoretable Official of the Year

Trudi Chesterton representing Willetton Tigers and Lakeside Lightning

#### **NBL1 Referees Service Awards**

Peter Houghton 30 years and Daniel Coffey 10 years

#### PERTH LYNX SEASON MEMBERSHIPS ON SALE NOW

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### COLES EXPRESS NBL1 WEST ZAMBRERO WILLETTON TIGERS THANK YOU'S

The Zambrero Willetton Tigers would like to thank all the helpers and volunteers who have helped in any capacity in 2021, the inaugural year of the Coles Express NBL1 West.

It has taken a lot of effort to meet the requirements of the NBL1 as well as hosting home games all season and to everyone who has contributed, we would like to thank you for all your hard work and assistance. We want to thank especially those who aren't recognised on a weekly basis in the program.

Retriever Sounds who provide DJ services - Dyson and Paula Peppin

Announcer - Chris Mawer

**Events and Volunteers Working Group:** Chair – Hayley Wright; Game Day Entertainment Co-ordinator - Noah Heldt; Volunteer Coordinator - Genevieve Adams; NBL1 Events – Carolyn Alexander

WABL parents and players – Floor Wipers, Door Helpers and various other tasks Live Stream Videographer - Alex Foot

Willetton Special Comments for all live streamed games from Willetton - Matt Ticehurst Technical Officials – Scorers and Statisticians:

Kathy Banister-Jones, Amali Chesterton, Trudi Chesterton, Jeremy Ciccarelli, Marina Ciccarelli, Paul Ciccarelli, Sarah Ciccarelli, Michelle Cook, Marcus Langshaw, Jasmine Long, Tammy Ong, Nola Priestly, Kathleen Scott, Janet Seth., Tanya Steers and Andy Steers

Games Commissioner - Emil Nedved

Front of Office - Emma Nedved and Erik Nedved

Game Night support - Melos Nedved

Photographers – June Halliday and Jordyn Montague

Preparation of Home game program - Jenny Clarke

Men's team support Manager - Brock Halliday

Studio 24 – Melinda Sweeney and your dance troupes who set the professional tone always.

*Class Act Performers* – Andrea Colcott for organising and supplying your wonderful singers

Court 1 Barman - Neville Rutter

To *Willetton Basketball Association CEO, Mark Winnett* for his tireless efforts on behalf of the program which always goes that step further than required.

To *Elena Estaban*, Hospitality Coordinator, it has been wonderful having you on board this year. Thank you for your tireless work.

To our **other staff members** who have contributed at various times – Maria McAdam, Olivia Raision, Jo Kempton, Jeff Anderson and Luke Sunderland, Meleka Newey and Hea**ther Bewsher** a big thank you for your support.

Thanks everyone. I've loved working with you all and best of luck for the future. I'll continue to see everyone around at the Scorebench!

Pam Langshaw, Outgoing Zambrero Willetton Tigers NBL1 West Administrator



### Willetton Tigers Zambrero NBL1 West Men



5. Roosevelt Williams Jnr



7. Andrew Black



8. Damien Scott



9. Connor Mincherton



10. Travis Fee



11. Dylan Hampson



12. Thomas Musumeci



13. Thomas Gerovich



14. Michael Collins



21. Michael Garbellini



23. Lachlan Evans



25. Michael Vigor



35. Hunter Clarke



45. Brent Hank

#### From the Zambrero Willetton Tigers Men's NBL1 Coach, Adam Nener

Welcome to tonight's match up vs the Perth Redbacks where the winner will take on Perry Lakes tomorrow night and the losing team will have their season ended.

The Redbacks are led by Joel Wagner at the point guard position along with Timms, Gattorna, Jackson and Nelson. All these guys can turn a game in a few plays and we will be ready for the match ups!

Last week we lost to Lakeside by 3 points in which was a great game but a few hiccups saw us go down. As a group we have looked at some areas where we can improve and hopefully we can learn from these things.

I just want to take some time to thank Mark, Luke, Cam and the Board for their ongoing support throughout the season this year

Pam Langshaw for all her hard work behind the scenes getting both teams organised and ready for the season.

To all the scorebench, volunteers and of course the sponsors and supporters for everything you guys do, it's great looking up at the stands and seeing passionate people like yourselves cheering the teams on!! We look forward to a great game tonight!

### Willetton's Men's NBL1 Coaching Staff



Head Coach Adam Nener



Assistant Coach Wayne Biddle



Assistant Coach Brad Ramsay



Team Manager Karen Fido



Sports Trainer Amy Rawlings





### Zambrero Willetton Tigers

### **NBL1 West Men**

No	Name	Position	Height	Age	Junior Club
5	Roosevelt Williams	Guard	183	18	Willetton
7	Andrew Black (C)	Guard	180	27	Willetton
8	Damien Scott (VC)	Guard	195	28	Cockburn
9	Connor Mincherton	Guard	186	19	Willetton
10	Travis Fee	Forward	192	20	Willetton
11	Dylan Hampson	Guard/Forward	195	19	Willetton
12	Thomas Musumeci	Forward	190	17	Willetton
13	Thomas Gerovich	Forward	195	17	Willetton
14	Michael Collins	Centre	206	23	Willetton
21	Michael Garbellini	Forward	189	22	Willetton
23	Lachlan Evans	Guard	186	23	Willetton
25	Michael Vigor	Forward/Centre	206	30	Perth Redbacks
35	Hunter Clarke	Guard	195	19	Canberra
45	Brent Hank	Centre	207	23	South Australia

Head Coach	Adam Nener
Assistant Coaches	Wayne Biddle and Brad Ramsay
Team Manager	Karyn Fido
Sports Trainer	Amy Rawlings
Physiotherapist	Attadale Physiotherapy
SBL Administrator	Pam Langshaw
Games Commissioner	Emil Nedved
Statisticians	Jeremy Ciccarelli and Tammy Ong
Scorebench	Kathy Banister-Jones, Amali Chesterton, Trudi Chesterton, Jasmine Long and Nola Priestly



### ADCO Perth Redbacks NBL1 West Men

No.	Name	Date of Birth	Height	Position	Junior Club
4	Matt Giorgi	11/08/1998	180	Guard	Perth
5	Derek Igbenoda	25/04/2001	201	Forward	Cockburn
6	Denzel Jackson	13/12/2000	197	Guard	Perry Lakes
10	Joel Wagner (C)	19/12/1987	181	Guard	Perth
11	Isaac Gattorna	08/05/1999	203	Fwd/Centre	Perry Lakes
13	Kyden Edman	27/10/2000	195	Guard/Fwd	East Perth
15	Louis Timms	12/10/1991	206	Centre	Kalamunda
20	Marshall Nelson	31/01/1994	185	Guard	Kalamunda
21	Tevin Jackson	13/08/1994	200	Guard/Fwd	Willetton
23	Jordan Herbert	14/04/2000	199	Forward	Perth
24	Lachlan Bertram	24/07/2001	185	Guard	Perth
33	David Swaby	28/11/1983	198	Forward	USA

Head Coach	Craig Jackson
Assistant Coaches	Mark Edman and Emily Rose
Team Manager	Cate Bertram
Physio	Ashley Flynn
Strength & Conditioning	James Kandiah
Chaplain	Trevor Touzel



Peter Houghton
ravis Stewart and Adrian Dizonza
Rod Hislop

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### Willetton Tigers Zambrero NBL1 West Women



4. Emma Gandini





6. Sophie Doran



8. Taryn Priestly



9. Desiree Kelley



10. Sophie Maines



11. Alex Sharp



21. Caitlin Lord



12. Hayley Winter



14. Samantha Lubcke



24. Kaya Wardle



23. Talicia Hansen

#### **Simon Says**

From the Zambrero Willetton Tigers Women's NBL1 Coach, Simon Parker

It preliminary finals time and prior to writing this article our opponent tonight will be either Cockburn Cougars or the Perth Redbacks who went at it last night in a semi final! With the current finals format the games are getting harder and we need to be ready from the opening tip to have a chance of winning tonight and to move on to the Championship game next week.

We didn't get off to a great start in the qualifying final last weekend. At half time we were down 18 points and the coaches were really impressed on how the players didn't give up and we won the game in the end by four points.

A good start and a better finish is what we want. We had a great week at training by fine tuning our stuff. Our offences are good, we have multiple scoring areas from multiple players. Defensively we showed in the third quarter how good we can be against good sides by keeping the Eagles to 4 points which was a brilliant effort and that effort will be on show tonight!

Our starters have been doing a great job in all areas and our supporting players have been playing great roles in backing up the starting 5 and we need that to continue moving forward.

The players are ready and we looking forward to how far we can take this. We need to make sure we leave nothing out on the court and get the job done!

Tonight we also celebrate a huge milestone for Taryn Priestly who is playing her 300th game. It such a fantastic achievement for Taz who has been an outstanding player in the league. Congratulations Taz and I'm happy you reached this as a Tiger and with our current playing group.

Its been a fantastic inaugural NBL1 season and the players are greatly appreciative of the support they have been given by the fans. It's been amazing playing in front of you all at what would be the best home court in the league!

To all the staff, volunteers and score bench who make game night spectacular, we wouldn't be able to play without all the things you do to get the players on the court each home game. We can't thank you enough for your time and the efforts you put in to make it such a successful night for everybody.

Finally to Pam, Luke, Mark and the board, thank you for your continued support for both the men's and women's program and the work you have put it to make this such a great year for the club! Go Tigers.

#### Alex Sharp and Sami Whitcomb

Current Willetton player and reigning MVP of our competition, Alex Sharp, has been selected in the Australian Opals Squad for next month's Asia Cup, as has ex Willetton player Sami Whitcomb. Congratulation to both players.



### Zambrero Willetton Tigers NBL1 West Women

No	Name	Age	Height	Position	Junior Club
4	Emma Gandini (V Capt)	27	170	Guard	Willetton
5	Grace Foster	15	176	Guard	Willetton
6	Sophie Doran	19	166	Guard	Willetton
8	Taryn Priestly	31	168	Guard	Willetton
9	Desiree Kelley (Capt)	26	175	Grd/Fwd	Willetton
10	Sophie Maines	21	181	Forward	Willetton
11	Alexandra Sharp (R)	24	185	Guard	Vic
12	Hayley Winter	23	165	Guard	Willetton
14	Samantha Lubcke	25	188	Forward	SA
21	Caitlin Lord	16	187	Forward	Willetton
23	Talicia Hansen	17	175	Guard	Willetton
24	Kaya Wardle	18	181	Forward	Willetton

Head Coach	Simon Parker
Assistant Coaches	Peter Cook, Michael Winter and Melissa Marsh
Team Managers	Carolyn Alexander and Sarah Waite
Sports Trainer	Amy Rawlings
Physiotherapist	Attadale Physiotherapy
SBL Administrator	Pam Langshaw
Games Commissioner	Emil Nedved
Statisticians	Paul Ciccarelli and Sarah Ciccarelli
Scorebench	Kathy Banister-Jones, Nola Priestly, Janet Seth, Andy Steers and Tanya Steers



### ADCO Perth Redbacks NBL1 West Women

No.	Name	Date of Birth	Height	Position	Junior Club
0	Makailah Dyer	22/06/1994	174	Guard	USA
4	Sarah Allen	14/5/2002	175	Guard	Willetton
6	Ella Thornton-Elliott	22/09/2003	174	Guard	Kalamunda
7	Shenae Hartree	23/10/2003	184	Guard/Fwd	Willetton
8	Mya Dimanlig	07/04/2002	173	Guard/Fwd	East Perth
10	Jessica Jakens (C)	27/10/1994	181	Forward	Perth
11	Denielle Ashworth	04/08/1988	182	Guard/Fwd	Cairns
12	Ella Dimanlig	26/10/2000	173	Guard/Fwd	East Perth
20	Raya Thompson	03/04/1998	173	Guard	South West
21	Nakia Bowen	06/01/2003	175	Guard	Perry Lake
24	Brianna Bailey	23/01/1998	168	Guard	Gladstone
25	Maddison Allen	03/0/1993	191	Centre	Newcastle
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Team Managers	Jane Jakens and Geoff Stewart
Physio	Rebecca Alle - Allen's Physiotherapy
Strength & Conditioning	Leanne Snyder
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Referee Crew Chief Umpire Umpire Nicolle Diconza Paul Throns Clayton Bird



### Dentistry Plus Cockburn Cougars NBL1 West Women

No	Name	Age	Height	Position	Junior Club
0	Molly Matthews	26	183	Grd/Fwd	Ballarat
2	Tia Morgan	19	175	Guard	Cockburn
3	Jessica Hickey	16	178	Grd/Fwd	Cockburn
5	Haylee De Sousa	27	172	Guard	Cockburn
6	Jesni Cooper	20	175	Guard	Rockingham
7	Taylah Simmons	24	185	Grd/Fwd	Nunawading
9	Nicole Roberts	32	163	Guard	Cockburn
10	Ruby Benn	22	172	Guard	Cockburn
12	Kahlia Morgan	21	174	Guard	Cockburn
13	Jessie Edwards	26	193	Centre	Kalamunda
14	Emma Burke	21	183	Forward	Geraldton
15	Kiera Dunhill	20	170	Guard	Cockburn
17	Olivia Bassett-Scarfe	20	180	Grd/Fwd	Mandurah
21	Jodee Sontay	36	178	Forward	Joondalup
22	Akim Lual	22	181	Forward	Warwick
	Mackenzie Stewart	22	168	Guard	Cockburn
	Alex McCaughan	16	168	Guard	Cockburn
	Head Coach		Tyrone Thwai	tes	

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Assistant Coaches	Chelsea Evans, Alistair Monson & Peta Small
Team Managers	Vanessa Chamberlain/Ray Chamberlain
Head Trainer	Duncan Glogowski-Watson
Marketing/Social Media	Kathleen Madden



Referee Crew Chief Umpire

Umpire

Paul Throns Clayton Bird

#### Zambrero Willetton Tigers *Qualification Final: Willetton 77 d East Perth 73*

















#### Zambrero Willetton Tigers *Qualification Final: Lakeside 95 d Willetton 92*













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