To; All South Region Clubs

England Netball have conducted several surveys and consulted other sporting bodies and have now made some decisions regarding Premier League Netball and the next steps. (Please see England Netball information https://email.englandnetball.co.uk/4NYO-TV9C-3B1J37-NGYTV-1/c.aspx)

Following on from this, Netball South has discussed options and have made the following decisions for Netball South competitions in line with England Netball guidance.

**Open Leagues**

If it is safe and appropriate for netball activity to be resumed on or before 19th July?

If yes

All Open & U19 League positions will be determined by awarding teams their average league points for any unplayed games. Promotion and relegation will be determined by these final standings

South Region Playoffs for entry into Division 3 of the Open League will be played on 16th August to determine promotion relegation between Open League Division 3 and Counties

If no

All Open and U19 League positions will be determined by awarding teams their average league points for any unplayed games.

As it will not have been possible to play the Premier League Playoffs or South Region Playoffs there will be no movement between Premier League 3 & SR Open Division 1 and consequently there will be no movement in South Region Open or U19 Leagues
In order to enable the CTSG to make these decisions we would like you to complete the entry form for next seasons league competitions. This entry form will count as both your entry to any tournament that can be scheduled and to leagues if no tournament is possible.

We will not be asking for any entry fees at this stage.

Please complete your entry form by Saturday May 9th. Use the form attached to email or this link to complete online [FILL OUT IN GOOGLE FORMS](#). When all entries have been received, decisions regarding future competitions will be made.

Please note all the above decisions have been made with regard to the status of the country, the virus and netball at the current time. Should the situation change considerably, in the future we will look at these proposals again and revise if and when necessary.

We hope that you will all understand that these decisions have not been easy to make and that you will support us and work with us.

Hopefully next season will be able to start on time and complete as normal.

Thanks Jan

Jan Johnson

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