

NLBA Athlete, Coaches and Officials Clinics

Mr. Mike Mackay, Manager of Coaching Education for Canada Basketball will be travelling to St. John's on January 28-29th to conduct a series of basketball clinics for the NLBA's provincial programming and to hold a Technical Points of Reference session for coaches and officials. Many of the coaches in NL are very familiar with Mike Mackay's expertise in the field of coaching and are strongly urged to attend the coaching sessions. While all sessions are free coaches and officials MUST preregister by contacting Judy Byrne at the NLBA. All sessions are set for the Newfoundland and Labrador Sports Centre on Crosbie Road.

Saturday January 28th, 2012 -Crosbie Court

2013 Midget Boys Developmental Program-9:00am-11:00am- On court session with Midget Boys Developmental Group. Head coach Blair White and assistants on court. Athletes will be asked to wear their program jerseys and bring their basketball. Skills will entail-pivoting, shooting form, passing form, dribbling form, dynamic 1 on 1. Mike Mackay will run sessions with athletes while NL coaches will assist.

Coaches Clinic-(Sat. 1:00pm-4:00pm)

This is an interactive session with on court activity. Coaches will be performing on court activities under Mike Mackay guidance. The points of emphasis will be pivoting, shooting form, passing form, dribbling form and dynamic 1 on 1 play. This will be hands on session for coaches; who will be running through activities and learning teaching points to bring back to their teams. Come ready to work!!! Coaches attending this session must bring on court sneakers and be prepared for activity. Pre-registration is mandatory by contacting Judy at the NLBA office 576-3392 or by email at jbyrne@sportnl.ca There is no cost to attend this session.

Coaches and Referees Session (Sat. 8:00pm-10:00pm) The Technical Points of Emphasis (TPR) for 2012 include: - traveling, contact, and player coach relationship. Both coaches and referees are invited to attend this session. Mike Mackay will run through TPR this will be more of a teaching session than a hands on session. Pre-registration is mandatory by contacting Judy at the NLBA office 576-3392 or by email at jbyrne@sportnl.ca . There is no cost to attend this session.

Sunday January 29th, 2012 -Crosbie Court

2013 Midget Girls Developmental Program-9:00am-11:00am- On court session with Midget Girls Developmental Group. Head coach Robyn Constantine and assistants on court. Athletes will be asked to wear their program jerseys and bring their basketball. Skills will entail-pivoting, shooting form, passing form, dribbling form,

dynamic 1 on 1. Mike Mackay will run sessions with athletes while NL coaches will assist.

2013 Canada Games Boys Program-Sun 12:00pm-2:00pm- On court session with Canada Games Program. Head coach Erica Coultas-Kennedy and assistants on court. Skills will entail-pivoting, shooting form, passing form, dribbling form, dynamic 1 on 1. Mike Mackay will run sessions with athletes while NL coaches will assist.