



2025

MEDIA GUIDE







JESS ANTISS (CAPTAIN)

DOB: 20/11/1996 • **Place of Birth:** Perth, Western Australia
Height: 175cm • **Positions:** WD, C
National League Games: 117 • **National League Debut Year:** 2017
First Junior Club: Lightning Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Teaching

*West Coast Fever captain **Jess Antiss** is a West Australian Pathway product who has been with the Club since her League debut in 2017. The relentless midcourter was part of the Club's Maiden Premiership side in 2022 and was elected captain by her peers in 2024.*



RUTH ARYANG

DOB: 14/01/2004 • **Place of Birth:** Nedlands, Western Australia
Height: 184cm • **Positions:** GD, GK
National League Games: 2 • **National League Debut Year:** 2024
First Junior Club: Illusions Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Disability Support Worker

***Ruth Aryang** was named the Club's inaugural 11th player in 2024 and was elevated for the 2025 season as part of the contracted 10. Ruth has worked her way through the Netball WA pathway, including being named the 2021 Jill McIntosh Medallist for the best and fairest in the Gold Industry Group WA Netball League. She was more recently included in the Australian Under 21 squad who are preparing for the upcoming Netball World Youth Cup.*



SUNDAY ARYANG

DOB: 25/12/2000 • **Place of Birth:** Ethiopia
Height: 184cm • **Positions:** GD, WD, GK • **Test Caps:** 34 (AUS)
National League Games: 78 • **National League Debut Year:** 2019
First Junior Club: Illusions Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Aged Care

***Sunday Aryang** is West Coast Fever's sole current Origin Australian Diamond with 34 Test Caps and a gold medal for Australia. She moved through the GIG WANL pathway to become a West Coast Fever training partner in 2019 and has been a contracted player since 2020. Sunday was a dominant player in Fever's 2022 premiership side and was named the Club's Emerging Leader in 2024.*



SHANICE BECKFORD

DOB: 16/04/1995 • **Place of Birth:** Jamaica
Height: 175cm • **Positions:** GA, GS • **Test Caps:** 82 (JAMAICA)
National League Games: 16 • **National League Debut Year:** 2024
First Junior Club: Walgrovians
Occupation/Field of Study: Business Management/Operation Specialist

***Shanice Beckford** made the move to Western Australia in 2024 for her Suncorp Super Netball debut season. Beckford joined Jamaican International teammates Kadie-Ann Dehaney and Jhaniele Fowler-Nembhard at Fever with the trio sharing a special bond on and off the court. Beckford is a versatile shooter who can transition to a fast defensive player across the goal third and mid-court.*



JORDAN CRANSBERG

DOB: 26/11/1999 • **Place of Birth:** Melbourne, Victoria
Height: 176cm • **Positions:** C, WA, WD
National League Games: 14 • **National League Debut Year:** 2023
First Junior Club: Aberfeldie Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Studying Medicine

Jordan Cransberg enters her second year as a contracted player for West Coast Fever after being elevated in 2024, balancing her playing career with studying medicine. Jordan moved from Victoria to become a training partner in 2023, joining her sister Zoe in the environment. Her speed in the mid-court makes her an exciting asset to the squad.



ZOE CRANSBERG

DOB: 26/11/1999 • **Place of Birth:** Melbourne, Victoria
Height: 178cm • **Positions:** C, WA, WD
National League Games: 5 • **National League Debut Year:** 2022
First Junior Club: Aberfeldie Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Studying Physiotherapy

Zoe Cransberg has been elevated in 2025 from a training partner to the West Coast Fever's contracted 11th player. She entered the Fever environment in 2022 and has played five matches in her training partner role. She was a pivotal part of the 2024 West Coast Fever Reserves squad who won five of six matches.



KADIE-ANN DEHANEY

DOB: 04/09/1996 • **Place of Birth:** Kingston, Jamaica
Height: 192cm • **Positions:** GK, GD • **Test Caps:** 42 (JAMAICA)
National League Games: 87 • **National League Debut Year:** 2017
First Junior Club: Molynes United Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Geographical and Environmental Science

Kadie-Ann Dehaney moved West in 2024 from the Sunshine Coast following two years with the Lightning. Nicknamed "De-gainey" by the Club, Dehaney found her stride in the Fever environment and became a pivotal part of the squad's defensive capabilities. Dehaney is also experienced in International Netball with 42 Test Caps for the Jamaican Sunshine Girls.

Previously played at:
Sunshine Coast Lightning, 2022-2023
Melbourne Vixens, 2017-2021



JHANIELE FOWLER-NEMBHARD

DOB: 21/07/1989 • **Place of Birth:** Montego Bay, Jamaica
Height: 198cm • **Positions:** GS • **Test Caps:** 101 (JAMAICA)
National League Games: 166 • **National League Debut Year:** 2013
First Junior Club: Pacesetter
Occupation/Field of Study: Guidance and Counselling

One of the most recognisable faces in the Netball world, Jhaniele Fowler-Nembhard continues to set and break records. After joining the Club in 2018, Fowler-Nembhard has broken her own goal scoring record, goals in a season record, was integral to the Club's highest score ever, won the 2022 Fever premiership and was named the Club's vice-captain in 2024. Fowler-Nembhard has also been awarded the SSN Player of the Year five times throughout her career.

Previously played at:
Southern Steel, 2013-2017



MWAI KUMWENDA

DOB: 27/09/1989 • **Place of Birth:** Mzimba, Malawi
Height: 183cm • **Positions:** GS, GA • **Test Caps:** 89 (MALAWI)
National League Games: 135 • **National League Debut Year:** 2014
First Junior Club: Escom Sisters
Occupation/Field of Study: Design

Mwai Kumwenda was signed as a Permanent Replacement Player for Fever in 2025, following a year off from the game after the birth of her first child. Kumwenda, known as "MJ", has more than a decade of experience in Australian Netball across the Trans-Tasman and SSN League. Kumwenda was named the 2020 grand final MVP for the Melbourne Vixens who she was a player for from 2017-2024.

Previously played at:

Melbourne Vixens, 2017-2024
Mainland Tactix, 2014-2016



ALICE TEAGUE-NEELD

DOB: 02/03/1996 • **Place of Birth:** Melbourne, Victoria
Height: 181cm • **Positions:** WA, GA
National League Games: 120 • **National League Debut Year:** 2015
First Junior Club: Ocean Grove Football and Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Physiotherapist

A staple in the Fever environment, **Alice Teague-Neeld** is one of the four remaining athletes from the 2022 Premiership squad. Teague-Neeld is a leader in the League for both assists and feeds, known for her ability to control the mid-court. She has taken on the role of vice-captain after being voted by the team in 2024.

Previously played at:

Collingwood Magpies, 2017-2018,
Melbourne Vixens, 2015-2016



OLIVIA WILKINSON

DOB: 5/2/2004 • **Place of Birth:** Mornington Peninsula, Victoria
Height: 190cm • **Positions:** GA, GS
National League Games: 12 • **National League Debut Year:** 2024
First Junior Club: Chelt North Devils
Occupation/Field of Study: Studying Personal Training

No longer a rookie, **Olivia Wilkinson** will be looking to utilise her experience in 2024 on court to convert into a breakout season in goals. Wilkinson has put time into both her Goal Attack and Goal Shooter positions in the pre-season, making her a versatile asset in the circle. She has also been named in the Australian Under 21 squad ahead of the Netball World Youth Cup.

Previously played at:

Collingwood Magpies, 2023
Training Partner



FRAN WILLIAMS

DOB: 23/12/1997 • **Place of Birth:** London, United Kingdom
Height: 184cm • **Positions:** GD, GK • **Test Caps:** 52 (ENGLAND)
National League Games: 16 • **Debut Year:** 2024
First Junior Club: Woodley Netball Club
Occupation/Field of Study: Economics Degree

Fran Williams made the transition from the UK's Netball Super League to SSN for the 2024 season and was an integral part of Fever's solid defence. Williams is the captain of the English Roses, bringing her experience of elite netball and leadership to the side. In her debut season in SSN, Williams was second in the League for defensive rebounds.

Previously played at:

Loughborough Lightning, 2022-2023
Wasps Netball, 2017-2021
Surrey Storm, 2016-2017

COACHES

DAN RYAN HEAD COACH

Dan Ryan has been at the helm of the West Coast Fever since 2022. In that time, he has taken the Club to two preliminary finals and their maiden premiership. Ryan represented Australia between 2003 and 2013 as Kelpie Number 70 and has been coaching both in Suncorp Super Netball and the UK Super League since 2012.



SARA FRANCIS-BAYMAN ASSISTANT COACH

A former England International, **Sara Francis-Bayman** joined West Coast Fever as Assistant Coach leading into the 2024 Suncorp Super Netball season. Francis-Bayman was head coach of the Loughborough Lightning in the Netball Super League between 2019 and 2021 and has been involved in Netball WA's pathway program since 2023.



TRAINING PARTNERS

KELSEY BROWNE



SLOAN BURTON



CAITLYN BROWN



2025 SEASON

HOME

AWAY



ROUND 1 SWIFTS

SUN 6 APR
2:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



ROUND 2 FIREBIRDS

SAT 12 APR
3:00PM WST
NISSAN ARENA



ROUND 3 VIXENS

SUN 27 APR
12:00PM WST
JOHN CAIN ARENA



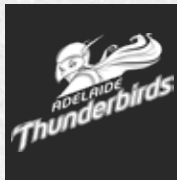
ROUND 4 LIGHTNING

SAT 3 MAY
5:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



ROUND 5 MAVERICKS

SAT 10 MAY
5:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



ROUND 6 THUNDERBIRDS

SAT 17 MAY
5:00PM WST
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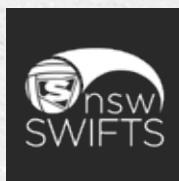
ROUND 7 GIANTS

SAT 24 MAY
5:00PM WST
KEN ROSEWALL ARENA



ROUND 8 FIREBIRDS

SUN 1 JUN
2:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



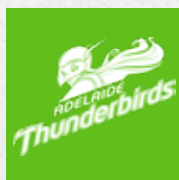
ROUND 9 SWIFTS

SAT 7 JUN
5:00PM WST
KEN ROSEWALL ARENA



ROUND 10 MAVERICKS

SAT 14 JUN
3:00PM WST
JOHN CAIN ARENA



ROUND 11 THUNDERBIRDS

FRI 20 JUN
6:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



ROUND 12 LIGHTNING

SAT 28 JUN
3:00PM WST
UNISC ARENA



ROUND 13 GIANTS

SUN 6 JUL
2:00PM WST
RAC ARENA



ROUND 14 VIXENS

SUN 13 JUL
2:00PM WST
RAC ARENA

SEMI FINALS

SATURDAY 19 & SUNDAY 20 JULY

PRELIMINARY FINAL

SATURDAY 26 JULY

GRAND FINAL

SATURDAY 2 AUGUST



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