



# ANNUAL REPORT

2020 / 21

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## CHAIR FOREWORD

The global COVID-19 pandemic has continued to darken the door of the wonderful sport of netball for a second season. We collectively send our deepest condolences to all that have suffered loss in our netball family during this truly awful time.

Welsh Netball has battled with reduced funding caused by the impact of the pandemic which led to the reduction of our staffing levels and it was with a very heavy heart that we had to lose colleagues from the National Governing Body at this incredibly difficult time. Elsewhere, our international squads have been starved of competition. Our athletes and management teams are working hard to ensure that we maintain our World Ranking position for the forthcoming Commonwealth Games qualification deadline, and are ready for the World Netball Cup qualifiers thereafter. The Superleague has been a challenging time for the Celtic Dragons who have fought hard this season and left everything out there on the court. I would like to say a big thank you to Tania Hoffman who returns home to New Zealand at the end of the season. Wales' elite umpires have also done a fantastic job on the Superleague court, showing what they can offer, with great strength and depth now coming through in their ranks.

We are slowly emerging out of the darkness of COVID-19 and the community game is ready to bounce back. We must continue to support netball in all our regions to ensure that the facilities that we fought so hard to retain are kept and developed further. COVID-19 is a huge threat to netball in Wales as participation in sport is impacted by this global health crisis and women have felt the impact significantly. It will be for Welsh Netball, led by our CEO Sarah Jones, to work together to survive this crisis and help the game emerge into a prosperous future.

Finally, I would like to wish a heartfelt thank you to everyone in the netball family in Wales from our Board of Directors through to the grassroots volunteers keeping our wonderful game going in such difficult times.



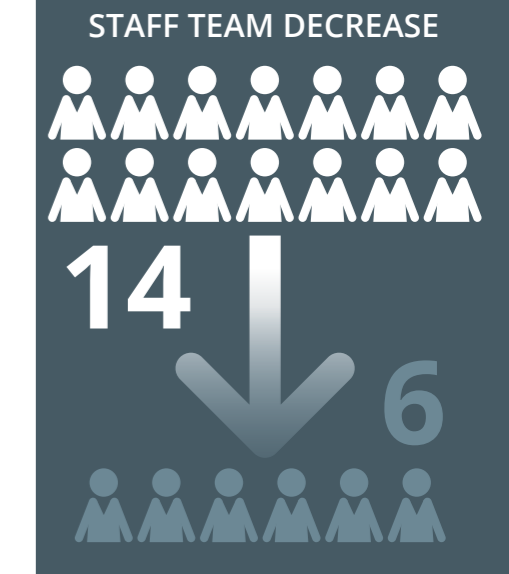
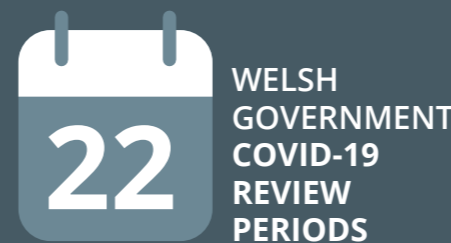
Catherine Lewis,  
Chair Welsh Netball

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## WELSH NETBALL BOARD 2020/21

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Appointed Director (Legal)	Vacant
Appointed Director (IT & Digital)	Vacant
Appointed Director (Communications & Marketing)	Lowri Williams

## COVID-19 IMPACT



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## CEO SUMMARY

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Welsh Netball has seen its share of highs and lows in its 76-year history, but this year has been one like no other. What began as a news story about a new virus confined to one corner of China quickly developed into one of this century's most significant and impactful events. The global Coronavirus pandemic has touched all of our lives and had an impact on every facet of our society. Netball has been no exception and the economic, social and technological consequences of the pandemic will continue to be felt by our sport in years to come. For now, it is time to reflect on the year past and celebrate our sport's resilience in the face of a true existential threat. The story of the pandemic's effect on netball has not yet been fully told, but we can certainly reflect on its opening chapters.

I would like to begin by paying tribute to those who have helped our sport survive this testing year. First of all, I would like to extend my thanks to the netball community. The last year has seen us miss out on opportunities to be with our loved ones and to enjoy our team sport, which thrives on us being together. The netball community has made great use of technology to keep connected and has been hugely patient as we have adapted to ever-changing rules to get back on court. We are also grateful for club engagement with our Return to Play processes and the mass adoption of our #NetsGetReady accreditation. This has allowed our sport to return in as safe a way as possible. Secondly, I would like to pay tribute to the work of our dedicated athletes and coaches

over the last year. Despite not always having access to their elite training environments, they have nevertheless maintained the highest standards and remained dedicated to the pursuit of netball excellence. Finally, I would like to thank the Welsh Netball staff and Board team. The work of our people has placed netball in an excellent position to emerge all the stronger from the pandemic. Our small team has adapted well to changing circumstances and has used the pandemic to innovate and develop opportunities for growth. As an organisation, we will be in a better place to serve our members and grow our sport than ever before as we look to live by our new values of 'inspire, aspire, respect and connect.' These values will underpin our new strategic direction when it is launched.

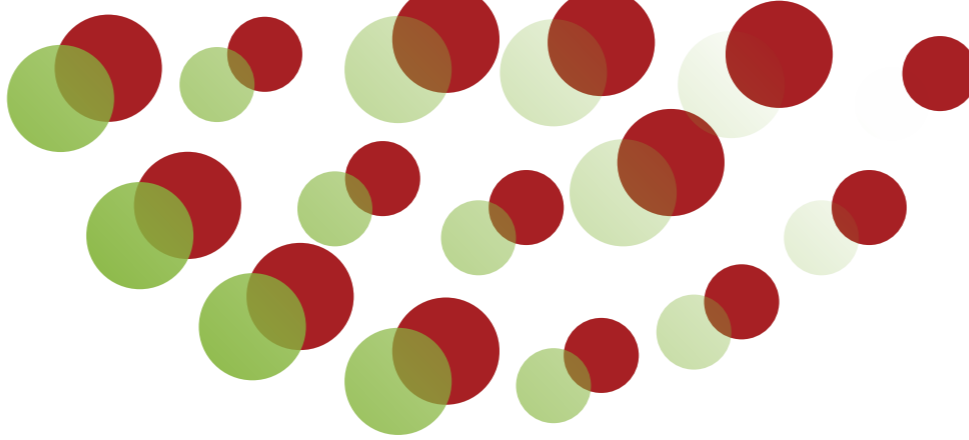
Before providing an overview of our activity over the last year, it is important that I detail the impact that COVID-19 has had on our sport. Our community game has been severely affected and with the exception of some limited netball last summer, it has only been the last few months that have seen netball clubs return to court once again. The same goes for our international teams who have missed out on opportunities for elite competition. As a result, our membership numbers for the last twelve months have seen a substantial decrease, with 5,117 members being affiliated to Welsh Netball this year. This marks a 45.7% decrease on our numbers from 2019/20. This, along with reduced commercial opportunities has meant that our organisation

has had to absorb a significant financial cost over the last year. Being unable to play the sport we love has been a challenge for us all, and so the focus of our year centred around 'protect, prepare and prevail', ensuring that we stay safe, follow the guidelines and come out of the pandemic in a strong place, ready to take the sport forward as restrictions are lifted.

The restrictions in our sport resulted in significant losses in revenue with income from membership alone reducing by 65%. Commercial revenue streams were ceased and commercial contracts have been renegotiated significantly impacting our self-generated income streams. As an organisation we took bold steps to try to absorb as much as we could and to mitigate risk and reduce our operating costs, and we achieved this by reducing these costs to the bare minimum and through utilising the government's Job Retention Scheme. We wanted to ensure when we asked for additional support, we were only asking for what was absolutely necessary. Through the help of Sport Wales and Welsh Government, additional funding was received via the Sport Resilience Fund, Sport and Leisure Recovery Fund and the Winter Spectator Sports Fund which in conjunction with our own mitigations, covered our financial losses and protected our reserves as much as possible. We have also been able to carry forward the funding of our performance programme so that we can immediately resume our programmes as soon as we are able.

We have had to review and consider changing government guidelines, analyse medical data, engage with the wider sport sector and ensure robust and transparent practices and risk mitigations over the last year. We have also undertaken extensive training with our members to ensure knowledge and support was provided to all that needed it. The challenge of doing this in a very uncertain environment was real, but every decision we made was with the best interests of our participants at heart. This has remained at the core thread of our decision-making as we navigated our way through the pandemic.

Understandably, our number of affiliated members has been reduced this year, but we are extremely grateful to those who have continued with their membership of Welsh Netball during the pandemic. Our 'Membership Matters' and UK-wide #TogetherWeAreNetball campaigns were integral to this as we sought to showcase how our members help netball to grow, thrive and touch the lives of women and girls across the country. I also am proud to say that Welsh Netball has used the profile and power of our sport to support important social campaigns over the last year, including Black History Month. It is important we play a prominent role in social campaigns as we look to represent the entirety of our netball community.



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We have worked hard to serve the netball community through the pandemic. Much of this work has been keeping the community informed about frequent changes to government regulations and developing our Return to Play infographics. However, we have also been busy hosting a number of digital engagement sessions for members of all ages. We have also adapted our workforce opportunities to offer online and blended courses. Additionally, we have started to introduce a number of digital transformations to our organisation, including the launch of a new digital safeguarding system, MyConcern. We look forward to delivering several further digital growth projects and innovations as we progress through 2021.

We have seen a number of changes to the staffing team at Welsh Netball over the last year. The Job Retention Scheme allowed us to secure some roles, but unfortunately some redundancies were unavoidable. Subsequently, the organisation has had to evolve to deliver on the 'new normal' of post-pandemic netball. A significant number of structural changes have been put in place this year which are set to commence early in our 2021/22 reporting year. These will allow us to serve our members better than ever before. Already we have had a fantastic response from the community so far as we look to work in close partnership with those who deliver netball on the ground in Wales. This has included strong attendances at our area

association and league meetings, which have evolved into our regular Club Forums. In addition to these structural changes, we have also moved a more agile mode of operating, with staff able to work remotely wherever they are in Wales.

Although most of our high-performance activity has been suspended over the last year, it has been fantastic to see Celtic Dragons back on court in the Vitality Netball Superleague. Thirteen Welsh international squad members have been involved with Dragons and other Superleague franchises in the behind-closed-doors league in the 2021 season, with all games broadcast/streamed via Sky Sports. We have continued to receive strong support from our Celtic Dragons sponsors and we formally welcomed the Prince's Trust Cymru as official charity partners this year, which is a huge honour and provides a powerful platform for our netball franchise.

Our senior and age group international teams will be coming together as the year progresses and restrictions continue to be eased and it will be great to see them return to court. We are now just one year away from the prospective 2022 Commonwealth Games right on our doorstep in Birmingham and our full attention will be on securing qualification for that prestigious tournament next year. This is all the more important after the recent disappointment of the cancellation of the 2021 Netball World Youth Cup in Fiji. Wales U21 had worked very hard towards that tournament and were understandably

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disappointed upon learning it will not be taking place. However, with a fantastic group of voluntary coaches behind them, we are confident that our youth team will bounce back and along with our Under 17s cohort be keen to return to international competition as soon as we are able.

Elsewhere, the pandemic has given us the opportunity to reflect on our existing programmes and methods of delivery for high performance netball. The backbone of elite Welsh netball is our performance pathway and we have taken a close look at the different stages of the pathway and will be sharing some exciting updates regarding this in coming months.

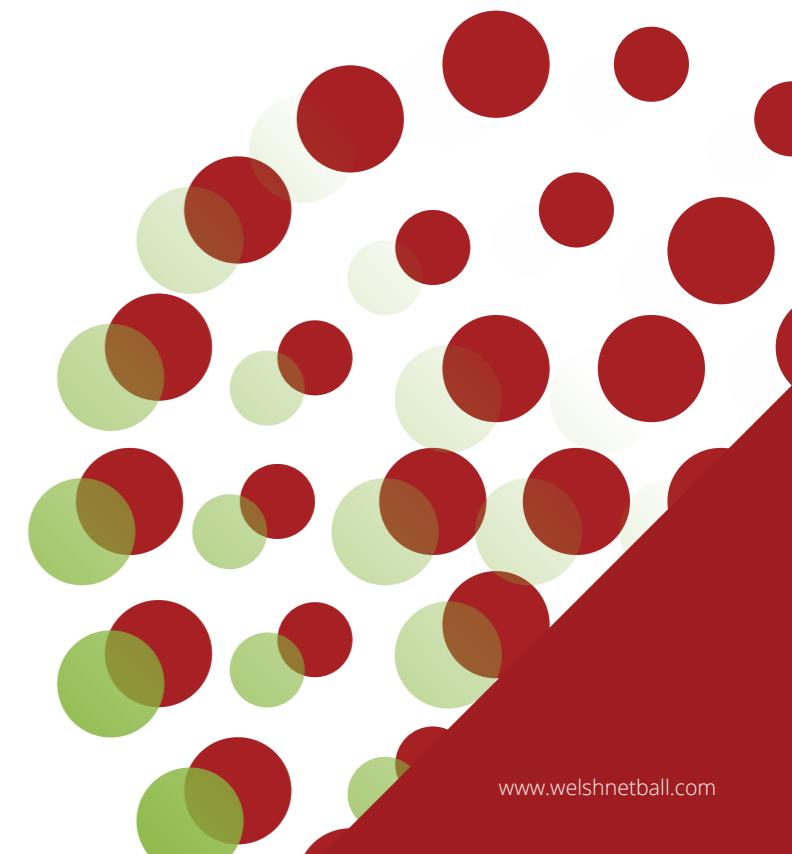
As tough as the last year has been, I remain optimistic about the future of our sport. We have used the pandemic to embrace change and to evaluate how we work to grow the game and inspire success. International collaboration has been taken to the next level over the last year, and I wish to thank colleagues from England Netball, Netball Scotland and Netball Northern Ireland for coming together under the united banner of #TogetherWeAreNetball. Without the Home Nations working together and supporting each other, the netball landscape would have looked a little different.

There are still significant challenges ahead as we move into 2021/22. However, I am confident that with the strong networks of people and partners we have, we will come through these, and we will

go on to flourish. In closing, our particular thanks go to, Sport Wales, the Welsh Sports Association, Welsh Government and all of our commercial partners who have been by our side throughout this eventful year.

Best wishes,

Sarah Jones  
CEO Welsh Netball





The past twelve months have seen netball in Wales grow in a different way to what we had hoped for. After surpassing the 10,000 figure of affiliated members in the 2018/19 membership season and reaching 9,417 in 2019/20 (partially impacted by the Coronavirus pandemic from March 2020) our number of affiliated members has fallen this season. This is not surprising considering how government restrictions have affected our sport. Nevertheless, we have not stopped working on behalf of the netball family during the entire pandemic, prioritising member queries above all else as we look to work more closely to our members than ever before.

We are incredibly grateful to the 74 clubs who encouraged their members to affiliate early in the season and completed the #NetsGetReady checklist. Over the last year, when we have not been in lockdown, we have seen some fantastic examples of clubs embracing the challenge of providing netball sessions outdoors and adapting to changing regulations. This has seen an inflow of affiliations in recent months as restrictions continue to be eased.

The time off court, whilst incredibly difficult, has also brought with it glimmers of joy. Welsh Netball was part of a virtual awards ceremony with South Wales Police where last year's Unity Shield tournament picked up a special recognition award for its impact in bringing together netballers from all walks of life. We look forward to building on the success of the 2019 event when restrictions are eased.

We have also forged a wonderful partnership with Swiss Netball during lockdown where we trained a number of their members as netball leaders via our online course. We look forward to providing more training courses and development exchanges very soon.

Lockdown also allowed us the opportunity to use technology to reach members in new ways. The 'Netball Nights In' programme proved extremely popular and over 1,000 of you came to our yoga, bingo, 'Nettyflix,' and workout sessions. From the success of this virtual campaign we have introduced regular online Club Forums which mean that every club in Wales can come to a forum 5 times a year and hear the latest developments that affect them.

Over the coming months we are looking forward to seeing the continued growth of Netball Tots and Walking Netball programmes within affiliated clubs. Both are a wonderful way to grow club membership, provide an additional source of income and reach out to new parts of the netball community.

The next year promises to be a time of renewed hope for our netball community as the vaccination programme continues and restrictions are eased further. We will continue to work hand-in-hand with our members to support the return of our sport and to provide netballers with ever increasing opportunities for participation and enjoyment.

2019/20

**9,417**  
Total members

**192**  
Affiliated clubs

2020/21  
to 31 May 2021

**5,117**  
Total members

**96**  
Affiliated clubs



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## WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Despite the impact of the pandemic, we have been able to use the opportunity provided by the 'new normal' to develop and innovate our Workforce Development opportunities.

Our 'Minimum Standards of Deployment for Coaches' was reviewed and changed in order to support clubs with the deployment of their workforce. Previously all coaches were required to hold a UKCC Level 2 qualification in order to lead sessions. The new minimum standards enable experienced and knowledgeable UKCC Level 1 coaches and Netball Leaders to deliver a range of specified sessions. This will help build capacity in clubs and help cater for the ever-increasing demand for our sport. We will be supporting these new coaches with accessible learning content on the eCoach online platform with two modules: Essential Rules and Essential Skills.

Welsh Netball is currently reviewing how its netball workforce operates, this includes our umpires. As a result, we have launched our **Umpire Steering Group**. The group has representation from leagues across Wales to help shape our Umpire Pathway. Thus far, it has focused on:

- How we develop and deliver a clear umpire workforce pathway.
- Training and up-skilling opportunities for our umpires to progress through qualifications.
- Providing key support for all umpires within clubs and leagues.
- Providing advice and assistance to umpires adapting to the new modified rules and regulations.

In addition to this, we have provided the opportunity for our representatives to attend a free mentoring workshop to assist them with the mentoring development of new umpires within their leagues. These pilot sessions were delivered with the view to more being available to all members across Wales in the future.

Another development has been the introduction of online delivery for both the Netball Leaders and Introduction to Umpiring courses. Online delivery has given new coaches and umpires the opportunity to mixing with others from across Wales and to share ideas from their clubs and schools. Similarly, we will also be using virtual platforms to provide 'blended learning' opportunities for our UKCC Level 1 and 2 coaching courses. This will enable more learners to access the courses due to breaking down geographical and time barriers. June 2021 will see the introduction of this new course format.

Finally, we have been developing a new schools resource pack. These will be designed to support teachers with engaging and fun netball lessons. These packs will be made available to schools later in the year.

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NETBALL LEADERS

167  
ATTENDEES

INTRODUCTION TO UMPIRE

72  
ATTENDEES

## PERFORMANCE SUMMARY

Collaboration has been a key aspect of our work over the last year. While the pandemic has restricted our on-court activity, we have used the opportunity to stand shoulder to shoulder with our partners, stakeholders and competitors – facing the challenges of the pandemic together, recognising our strength and power as a united force.

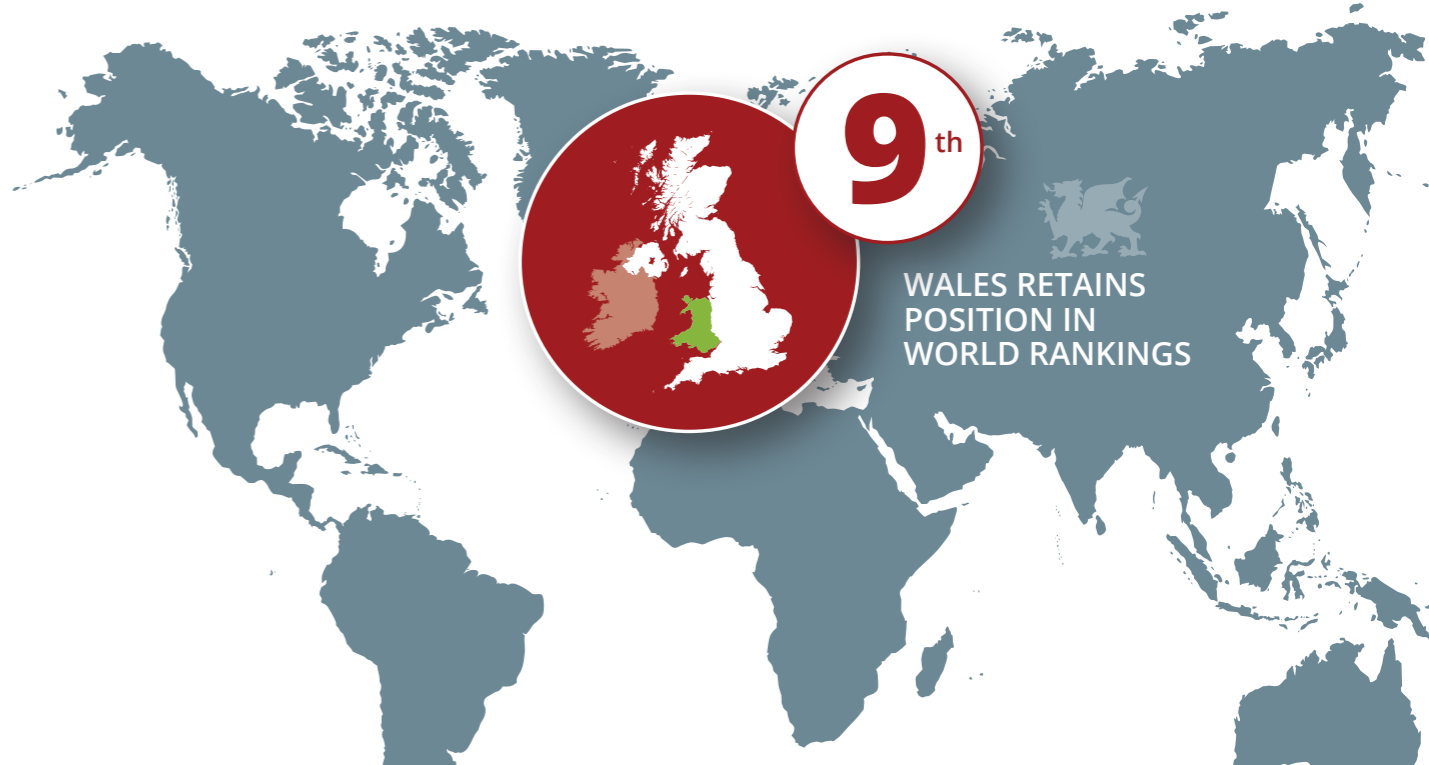
Our involvement in the sector-wide Elite Sport Group helped us to shape our elite sport return to play protocols. The Elite Sport Group gave us an opportunity to work alongside other National Governing Bodies, Welsh Sport Association, Sport Wales and Welsh Government where we shared best practice and for peer-review of protocols and procedures. Working with the Elite Sport Group and our Chief Medical Officer, we worked to secure elite status for our athletes and developed procedures that allowed our elite athletes to return to sport in a safe manner, mitigating as much risk as possible.

Using the pandemic as opportunity to reflect and refocus, we looked to extend continual professional development (CPD) opportunities to our workforce. We have a large contingent of talented volunteers who lead, support and manage our performance squads. Being able to offer CPD opportunities to our dedicated and committed workforce is one way we can show our gratitude and appreciation for their efforts.

Some highlights have included:

- Q&A with coaches and players from the ANZ Premiership season
- Access to the UK Sport High Performance conference
- Welsh Sports Association Team Manager training – the only recognised training course from sports Team Managers in Wales and has been developed in partnership with the Commonwealth Games Federation.
- Team Manager training on the MyConcern safeguarding platform
- Mental Health Awareness for Sport and Physical Activity eLearning courses
- 'Non-Perfect Parent and 'Coach' online workshop series

We continue to refine and build on our good governance. Our selection policy has been updated, we have reviewed our National Performance Pathway from top to bottom and continue to ensure our pathway is built to prepare an oversupply of future international athletes.



**30 NOV 2021**

NEW QUALIFICATION DATE FOR 2022 COMMONWEALTH GAMES

**13**

SUPERLEAGUE / NPL ATHLETES



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## WALES SENIORS

Securing Commonwealth Games qualification remains a short-term priority for us. Working with the International Netball Federation (ii) and in particular our Home Nation counterparts was a key strategy in trying to secure guidance on the World Rankings. This was because netball in some nations around the globe had resumed for some, barely interrupted. For others, like us, the impact of the pandemic was felt from grassroots through to our elite national senior squad.

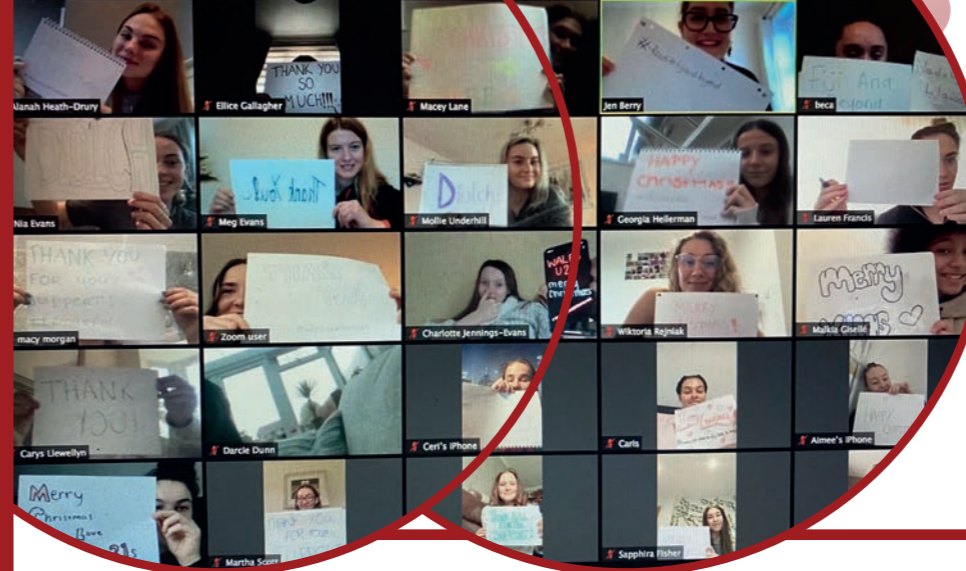
We remained engaged and proactive throughout the summer, adapting to online analysis, meetings and sessions. We took a natural break in our programme for early autumn before some athletes returned to their Superleague franchise environments. We have 13 senior athletes playing at the highest level in the UK in either VNSL or NPL. This is fantastic for Wales and essential to underpin our success moving forwards. It is another improvement from last season where we only had six athletes at this level.

We are developing some exciting future plans to give our senior Wales squad an identity that they have directly helped shape and develop. The athletes' direct involvement from all ages has given our identity a personal and passionate feel and we look forward to being able to bring this to life.

INF Board decided to defer the World Rankings Annual Update from July 2021 until after the qualification date for the Birmingham 2022 Commonwealth Games. The INF and Commonwealth Games Federation (CGF) agreed to delay the qualification date from 30th November 2021 by two months to include all eligible fixtures until 31st January 2022. These decisions have been made to protect the integrity of the rankings for the benefit of all netball nations and provide additional time for fixtures to be played before the 2022 domestic netball season begins.

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## AGE GROUPS



Our Wales age groups have shown extraordinary resilience throughout 2020 and have continued to train and connect with one another through digital methods. Over the course of the last 12 months, our Under 21 squad stayed connected and engaged through technical, strength and conditioning, and positional sessions. This was in addition to team quizzes and tasks such as video analysis. As well as coach delivered content, the girls also got together independently for virtual yoga, training and some fun quizzes at Christmas. They also worked incredibly hard to raise funds for the Netball World Youth Cup (NWYC) however sadly the tournament was cancelled. The INF announced its decision to cancel the 2021 NWYC which was scheduled to take place from 2 to 11 December in Suva, Fiji. This decision was made by the INF Board at their meeting on 12 March 2021 after taking into consideration all the risks related to hosting the event during the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic with the safety and wellbeing of participants, and the Fijian population at the heart of the decision.

The U21 management team welcomed a new recruit by the appointment of Jen Berry as U21 Assistant Coach. Jen has a wealth of experience from working in England, having coached for the last ten years at a range of levels. Most recently she was involved with Team Bath as the franchise's Under 21's assistant coach at their Bristol Hub.

This year we also saw us collaborate with Cricket Wales, Welsh Athletics, Welsh Gymnastics and Hockey Wales to deliver 6 parent and 3 coach virtual webinars to support parents and coaches who are involved in our national pathway. These free webinars were led by Richard Shorter to provide support, advice, share best practice and guidance for parents with athletes in a national pathway. The 'Non-Perfect Parent' workshop series provided an opportunity for performance pathway parents to ask questions and be in a like-minded forum, independent of the National Governing Body. These multi-sport sessions allowed parents and coaches to gain insight and understanding of other environments so that they could contextualise their children's experiences.

All athletes in our performance programme have coped incredibly well and consistently impressed our management teams with their positive, focused and determined mindsets – as well as being supportive of each other. We would like to take this opportunity to thank them for the patience, dedication and commitment to their training during these difficult times. Like you, we are excited to bring our age groups and senior athletes back to court! Finally, we would also like to thank our volunteer management teams for all their hard work over the last year, supporting our athletes. Your effort and dedication makes high-performance netball in Wales possible.

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## CELTIC DRAGONS



### ON COURT

With the postponement of the 2020 season after three games the 2020 Celtic Dragons squad continued training and meeting online until the eventual cancellation.

The ensuing months were dedicated to preparing documentation for the return to elite training during the pandemic with a proposed start date in October. There were numerous meetings with the Vitality Netball Superleague (VNSL) to ensure that our athletes and management would be safe once the 2021 competition was announced. Risk mitigation procedures were also required by our training providers, Cardiff Metropolitan University and Sport Wales. Prior to the season commencing all players and management had to undergo medical assessments and attend several medical briefings.

This meant that we were unable to meet as a team until November with the delay due to differing England/Wales COVID-19 regulations. Our first import player to arrive was Rebekah Robinson of Jamaica, who had to quarantine for 2 weeks before training with the team. She was later joined by Annika Lee-Jones of Australia. As the team had limited training opportunities, it was important to source pre-season games. Prior to the Christmas break the team played preseason fixtures against Wasps, London Pulse and Manchester Thunder.

It has been a very challenging season with Celtic Dragons currently bottom of the table. COVID-19 was disruptive to our ability to prepare for the league and there has been turnover in the squad from 2020.

Despite a very steep learning curve, it has been pleasing to see the improvement and gains we have made in the second round, especially our first win against Surrey Storm. We hope to finish the season strongly and are thrilled to see the return of fans for the latter stages of the season.

We would like to pay tribute to our voluntary coaches and team management, as well as the fantastic high-performance support we receive from Cardiff Metropolitan University.



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### OFF COURT

In 2021, it has been great to have every game covered by Sky Sports via livestream and/or linear broadcast. Not only has this allowed fans to follow us more closely, but it has also added a huge level of value for our partners. Our sponsors now have increased visibility through LED ad presentation, interview backdrops and our match day dresses. We were also very proud to welcome the Prince's Trust Cymru as official charity partners holding pride of place in the centre of our dresses.

Community delivery from the franchise has been challenging due to the pandemic. However, we were able to resume camps from Easer 2021 and have further camps on offer for summer half-term and the long simmer break. We also delivered a first community meet and greet day for some time in May. The free-of-charge event was well-attended and received by Dragons fans.

The Celtic Dragons age group squads were kept busy during the lockdown period with their coaches running online sessions and setting challenges. As of April 2021, the squads are back training together as per Welsh Netball guidelines. We would like to thank all of our voluntary coaches and team managers for their continued hard work and support.

Finally, during the initial period of lockdown, we were able to utilise contacts at Netball New Zealand and arrange access to ANZ franchise coaches and players for coach development for Celtic Dragons, Wales and Talent Centre coaches. This was a fantastic experience and valuable CPD for our people. Thank you to the coaches and players from New Zealand who supported this initiative.



## 16,000

Average streaming audience for Celtic Dragons in 2021



## Prince's Trust

Biggest charity partner in the Superleague

It has been a busy and challenging year in managing Welsh Netball's communications. The pandemic has highlighted the need for clear and consistent communications, particularly with ever-changing rules and regulations to keep the community aware of.

Communicating **Welsh Netball's Return to Play** information has been a high priority over the last twelve months. Working with Treganna Design, we have had to issue numerous updates and condense detailed information for our members using informative and concise infographics. We have also sought to support the community throughout the pandemic and this has meant publicising and marketing our 'netball from home' initiatives as well as our latest workforce development opportunities.

We were also proud to launch a **'Membership Matters'** campaign last year in support of encouraging affiliations to the National Governing Body. To be able to retain nearly half of our affiliated members despite restrictions is testament to the emotional impact of this campaign and of the UK-wide **#TogetherWeAreNetball** initiative.



Elsewhere, it has been heartening to witness the return of the **Vitality Netball Superleague**.

Moreover, having every VNSL match televised and/or streamed has been a huge boost to netball's accessibility and profile. Coverage of

our sport has never been better and we hope that this will continue as we move out of the pandemic. Another effect of the pandemic has been the continued growth of social media and this is evidenced by the continual growth in our numbers of followers.

Another recent development has been the growth of campaigns within sport relating to wider societal issues. One such highlight was the 'social media blackout' of May 2021 whereby sporting organisations held a 72-hour boycott of social media to protest the inaction of large media/technology corporations against online abuse, hatred, harassment and racism. We were proud to play a role in making this important statement, for all that we do rely on the use of our social media platforms to grow the game and inspire success. The addition of a new Equality Diversity and Inclusion board director will aid us in harnessing the power of our sport in support of future social campaigns.

Looking ahead to the coming year, there are several exciting communications projects that we will hope to unveil shortly. These have taken many hours of work and consultation and we are excited to go live with them in due course. Furthermore, the 2022 Commonwealth Games are on the horizon and we will be looking to raise the profile of our national netball team like never before as we countdown to this showpiece tournament!



PLATFORM	MAY 2020	MAY 2021	% GROWTH
Welsh Netball Twitter	11,254	11,293	0.3
Welsh Netball Facebook	4,858	5,137	5.7
Welsh Netball Instagram	3,972	4,381	10.3
Celtic Dragons Twitter	9,261	9,584	3.4
Celtic Dragons Facebook	1,255	1,664	32.5
Celtic Dragons Instagram	3,602	4,139	14.9



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- Iolis
- National Federation of Women's Institutes Cymru
- Neon Arena Services
- Netball Europe
- Netball Show
- Newfields Law
- NPTC Group
- O'Neills
- Orthotix
- Physique Management
- South Wales Police
- Sport Wales
- The Prince's Trust Cymru
- University of South Wales
- Welsh Government
- Welsh Sports Association
- World Netball



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