

OUR TEACHERS



Lachlan McDonnell
Director & Football Coach

AFC/FFA C Licence: Senior and Youth
Gold Coast United 12's SAP
Broadwater Futsal Coach
South Coast Football Team Manager



Alex McKean
Football Coach

AFC/FFA C Licence: Senior
Football Qld North U13 TSP Assistant
Coach (2019)
North Queensland Region Manager &
Coach (2012, 2013, 2018, 2019)



Ben Tindall
AFL Coach

Level 2 AFL Coach
Broadwater & South Coast AFL Coach
Life Member Broadbeach Cats Senior
AFL



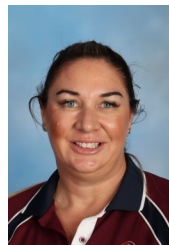
Matt Dwyer
AFL Coach

Level 2 AFL Coach
Broadwater AFL Coach
South Coast AFL Team Manager/
Assistant Coach



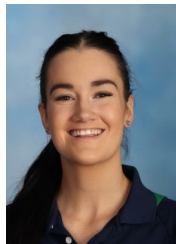
Selina Priest
AFL Coach

Level 1 Senior Coaching
Accreditation
Broadwater & South Coast
AFL Coach
AFLW Player (2017, 2020)



Jo Morgan
Netball Coach

Aust. Diamonds/u21- QLD, NSW, WA
Team Member
QLD 19 & 15 schoolgirls , South Coast
Schoolgirls Coach
QLD 19s, NSWIS assist Coach, QLD
selector and T.I.D



Briony Payne
Netball Coach

Foundation Coaching Accreditation
Netball Queensland
Broadwater Head Coach
Current HART Sapphire Netball Player



David Bimrose
HOD & Soccer Coach

Bachelor Applied Science (Human
Movement Studies)
Level 1 Football Coaching
Accreditation
Central Highlands District U19 Coach
(2004-2005)



YEAR 7 2021 ACADEMY PROGRAMS OF EXCELLENCE

JAPANESE | E4E | EXCITE | ARTS | SPORTS

SPORTS ACADEMY

THE SPORTS ACADEMY

Our Academy Programs of Excellence offer students a unique opportunity to pursue their passion in the areas of Soccer, AFL or Netball. As a member of the Helensvale Academy, students will engage in challenging learning experiences that foster elite skill development, critical and creative thinking, quality collaboration and effective communication skills. Our expert teaching team are committed to nurturing each and every student to realise their full potential and achieve success in their chosen field.



FOOTBALL PROGRAM



The Helensvale State High School Football Academy, proudly supported by A-League Club, the Brisbane Roar, supports students athletic development through exposure to high quality training and regular competition in both Football and Futsal tournaments. Our inclusion in the elite National Premier League (NPL) style, Schools Premier League (SPL), sets us apart from other schools across the region, providing regular, high level competition for both male and female students throughout the year. The program aims to develop players that are not only technically and tactically proficient, but are good decision-making players that have a highly developed knowledge of the game. Comprehension of the flexibilities of the game and the roles and responsibilities of individual positions within the game, will ensure our players have the ability to cope at the next level of Football. This approach has resulted in Helensvale State High School reaching the Queensland State Final in the coveted Bill Turner competition (Final 8 in Australia), winning multiple National & State Futsal Titles, ultimately establishing itself as a dominant footballing school in the South East Queensland Region.

AFL PROGRAM



Our AFL Academy Program aims to ensure that every student achieves high level of success whether that be at a state, regional or club level with the overall goal of getting students drafted or continue playing high level football once they have exited school. We recently celebrated previous students, boys and girls being drafted to the Gold Coast Suns. Our program priorities are; decision based training that forces training of skills under pressure, compulsory fitness testing regularly, regular strength and conditioning sessions, explicit training of game strategy sessions & high expectations with clear consequences for not meeting them. We stress that Helensvale AFL students are humble and respectful who strive to be good people at all times.

NETBALL PROGRAM



The Netball program offers athletes the opportunity to train under the guidance of professionals and develop in an environment that emulates the elite. Our programming is split over three days covering: Strength & Conditioning, Skills and Game Play with a theory lesson focusing on game tactics and body insurance. We uphold high expectations on the court and while ensuring our athletes are achieving on the academic stage as well. Our students take pride in all aspects of their schooling whilst upholding the school values; Respect, Responsibility and Resilience. Past students of our program include Reilley Batcheldor (Australian U/17, Elite Development Squad) Leah Pue (Queensland 17's & 19's) and Chanel Gomes (Australian Diamond).