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## AUSTRALIA NATIONAL YOUTH TEAM – 2011

### From the Office of the Team Coach

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Dear Players

This is a letter to inform you that the Australian Under 18 National Youth Team will be hosting 2011 open team tryouts on the 9<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> of October 2010. The team selected from these sessions will be representing Australia at the World U/18 Championships to be held in Taipei City, Chinese Taipei from the 11<sup>th</sup> of April until the 17<sup>th</sup> of April 2011.

Players born 1993 to 1995 are entitled to try out for the team.

The dates for the Tryout Sessions are as follows:

**Note:** You are only required to attend one session closest to your residence

October 9<sup>th</sup> – Melbourne (Docklands Ice Arena)

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| • 1:30pm          | Registration                   |
| • 2:00pm-3:30pm   | Off Ice Evaluation and Testing |
| • 4:00pm-6:00pm   | On Ice Evaluation              |
| • 6:15pm-Complete | Parents/Players Meeting        |

October 10<sup>th</sup> - Sydney (Canterbury Ice Arena)

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| • 7:30am           | Registration +Testing   |
| • 8:00am-10:00am   | On-Ice Evaluation       |
| • 10:30am-12:00pm  | Off-Ice Evaluation      |
| • 12:00pm-Complete | Parents/Players Meeting |

October 16<sup>th</sup> – Perth (Perth Ice Arena)

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|-------------------|--------------------------------|
| • 1:30pm          | Registration                   |
| • 2:00pm-3:30pm   | Off-Ice Evaluation and Testing |
| • 4:00pm-6:00pm   | On Ice Evaluation              |
| • 6:15pm-Complete | Parents/Players Meeting        |

**Note:** SA and QLD and ACT players are entitled to attend any tryout of their choice at their own travel expense.

The cost for the session will be at \$175.

This will include the following:

- 120 minute on-ice Evaluation
- 90 minute off-ice Evaluation
- Player/Parent meeting



### **On-Ice Requirements:**

- Hockey Equipment
  - a. Mouth Guards and Neck Guards are mandatory, players without them will not be allowed onto the ice surface
  - b. All players must have their names on their helmet
  - c. Water Bottle

### **Off-Ice Requirements:**

- Off Ice Training Gear
  - a. Jeans and or similar pants are not acceptable
  - b. Players must have running shoes. They will be needed for pre tournament training and thus must be worn at the tryouts

### **Players/Parents Meeting:**

The Players/Parents meeting will consist of an information session on the tryout selection format as well as the tournament and its costs. We will also be there to answer any questions that the parents might have in regards to the team/selection/camp/travelling etc. This is an opportunity for not only us to introduce ourselves to both the players and parents, but also for the parents to ask any questions that they might have.

### **Team Announcement:**

Post Selection tryouts, the team will be announced within 2 weeks of the last tryout. All players will receive a letter in the mail informing them of the selection results. Players not selected to the team will be placed on the reserves list in non-preferential order. Any player may be called up to the team at any time.

The 2011 National Youth team will consist of 18 players and 2 Goalies. Cost to this trip is to be finalised closer to the tryouts and information will be made available then. We expect a cost of approximately \$6,500 AUD however this is to be confirmed in the near future.

### **Tryout Attendance:**

Attached is the form that you will be required to fill in, before being allowed to tryout; please have these filled in before arrival at tryouts. This will allow a faster processing of all players attending the session.

All players will be required to bring the following items with them to tryouts:

- Paperwork
  - a. A current and valid copy of a passport (Photocopy Acceptable)
  - b. Current Height, Weight and Clothes sizing information

**Please advise your attendance of the tryouts by:**

**Email: [pdjohn1@tpg.com.au](mailto:pdjohn1@tpg.com.au)**

**If you are paying by cheque, please address all cheques to:**

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Cash will also be accepted at the tryouts. We do ask that you bring the exact amount.

We hope to see you at the tryouts,

Pier Martin  
Head Coach  
Australian National Youth Team



## 2011 NYT Player Tryout Form

Family Name ..... Given Names .....

Middle Name ..... Preferred Name.....

Date of Birth ..... Place of Birth .....

Citizenship..... Additional Citizenship.....

Address .....

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Phone number (Home) ..... Mobile .....

Email ..... (Player must have access to this email)

Height ..... Weight .....

Position ..... Shoot L/R Goalie: Catch L/R

Current Club: ..... Preferred Jersey #..... (1-24)

Any known medical conditions? Yes or No IF YES what?

Asthma: YES NO

### Parent/Custodian contact details

Father

Mother

Guardian

Name .....

Citizenship .....

Mobile .....

Email .....

