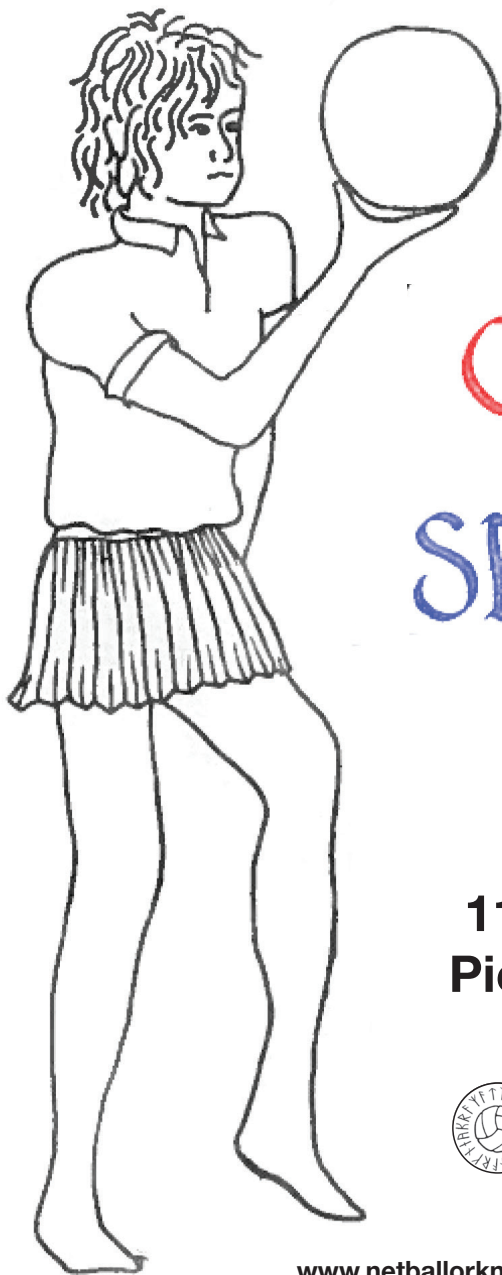


40th Annual Senior Inter-county Netball



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Schedule of Events

Welcome to the 40th Anniversary Senior Intercounty Netball Pickaquoy Centre, Kirkwall Saturday 11th March

9.15am Veterans warm-up • 10.00am Veterans match

Umpires: Christine Tulloch & Lauren Gilmour

11.15am 'B' match warm-up • 12.00pm 'B' match

1.30pm 'A' match warm-up • 2.15pm 'A' match

3.30pm Presentations

Inga Manson B' cup presented by Vaila Kay & Sarah Grogan

Ernie Donaldson A' cup presented by Pauline Cathro

Umpires: Rita Venermo & Chelsea Ewing

Compere: Caroline Kent

Scorers and Time keepers: Representatives from Netball Orkney

The Orkney squad have benefited from the generous support of local businesses and individual sponsorships. Team sponsors Northwards, R Clouston Ltd and Sutherlands Pharmacy, NorthLink Ferries for travel assistance, Cooke Aquaculture for their continued support during the Scottish Cup and Evelyn Beattie Quaich campaign, S R Paterson Ltd for players physio supplies, Orkney IFA have sponsored the match balls, Keith at James Wilson Wholesalers for providing water for both teams and The Pickaquoy Centre for sponsoring the arena for today's matches. We are extremely grateful for their contributions plus those who have donated raffle prizes.



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2023 FINAL SCORES	ORKNEY	SHETLAND
'B' Match		
'A' Match		

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Orkney Chair Report

On behalf of Netball Orkney, I would like to welcome you here today to the 40th Anniversary Senior Inter-county against our northern island neighbour's, Shetland. Thank you to Shetland for making the trip down for this fixture.

To celebrate the 40th Anniversary we see the return of some familiar faces in a veterans match. This will be followed by what I can only expect to be some fiercely fought A & B matches.

It has been an exciting season so far for Netball Orkney across all age groups. The 2022/2023 is the first year our Seniors have entered two teams into the Scottish Cup. Both teams met some well trained and prepared sides which resulted in both teams progressing into the Quaich.

As well as the senior players that you will see today, Netball Orkney have over 140 playing in the local league. Different from the usual set up, this season each player entered as an individual and Netball Orkney seeded the teams. The teams were named after the Orkney players from the first Senior Inter-county fixture.

Netball Orkney also provide primary children, U13s, U15s and U17s with the opportunity to play netball. The progress these girls are making is sure to benefit the Orkney senior side in years to come.

As mentioned today we have the honour of seeing some of our past senior players take the court in the 40th Anniversary veterans match. This game will see players step back on the court, who haven't played for many years. These women have given up their time to come together, train and jump back into the game they played and loved. I would like to wish both veteran sides the best of luck.

The 2023 A & B teams are quite consistent from last season with a couple of new caps. The squad have been training hard for this fixture and will be hoping to defend their wins.

Finally, myself along with Netball Orkney and all those involved would like to take this opportunity to thank those who support the game and the players. Those being, Catherine Johnson for her continued support and coaching, Bev Flett and Erica Tait for their time and commitment to the squad and Kirsty MacLeod for managing and supporting. And thank you to all the others who have work tirelessly behind the scenes enabling all this to go ahead.

I wish all teams playing today the best of luck.

Rebecca Scott
Chairperson, Netball Orkney

Shetland Chair Report

On behalf of Shetland Netball Association I would like to take thank Orkney for hosting the 40th Anniversary of Senior Inter-county. With a vets game added to the usual A and B game schedule, an extra thank you goes to those who have worked behind the scenes in both Orkney and Shetland to allow such an exciting calendar of anniversary events to take place.

This year there's been a real interest in players being apart of the squad. We've decided to take a squad of 20 players to travel to Orkney to play the two fixtures. The level of performance continues to grow on the island, which adds additional difficulty on coaches and selectors to make decisions on the squad. We're confident we've got a good mix of experience and youth this year, with players playing their 16th cap and others joining us from our junior county team. This year we also have a mother daughter duo taking the court this year making it an even more exciting year.

Inter-county is always a highlight in my netball calendar, and it's extra exciting to have the vets game playing this year too. I'd like to take this chance to thank my fellow coaches Emma Leask, Sanna Onhausz, Kirsti Leask and Maisie Unsworth with their help coaching to allow us to take part in another year of Inter-county. A big thanks also goes to Tony Johnston, a well experienced football coach, for putting us through our paces as we've thrown him into his first year coaching netball. Thanks to Leighanne Carracher for travelling to Shetland to offer a training camp weekend for the squad. Also, a thank you to Rhianne Colvin for her help organising Inter-county, for her fundraising efforts and for keeping the vets organised – a hardy task I'm sure! Lastly, a big thank you to all every member of the squad for always turning up to training with enthusiasm and motivation; to the match officials and to Netball Orkney for their hospitality and organising this years matches and events!

I'd like to wish all teams good luck and hope they enjoy their matches.

Claire Morris

Chairperson, Shetland Ladies Netball Association

Orkney Veterans



Back row, left to right: Michelle Clouston, Shona Marwick, Moira Nicolson, Amy Smith, Paula Spence, Fran Dearness, Shona Slater, Catherine Foubisiter, Jean Monkman, Julie Tait. **Second row:** Joanna Sinclair, Fiona Scott, Elaine Gray, Linda Ross, Leona Gordon, Barbara Copland, Morag Ewing, Lorraine Work. **Third row:** Kitty Work, Amy Houston, Emma McConnachie, Vicki Learmonth, Laura Leonard. **Front row:** Gwen Gilbert, Betty Stanger, Hazel Stephen, Deirdre Flett, Karen Groat, Joyce Gray.

Veteran Players

Helen Corsie
 Ruth Cursiter
 Fran Dearness
 Morag Ewing
 Catherine Foubister
 Elaine Gray
 Shona Gray
 Amy Houston
 Laura Leonard
 Vicki Learmonth
 Shona MacInnes
 Emma McConnachie
 Gina McMahon
 Moira Nicolson
 Pamela Robertson
 Fiona Scott
 Amy Smith
 Paula Spence
 Betty Stanger
 Joanna Sinclair
 Kitty Work

Coach: Linda Reeve

Veteran Non-Players

Karen Burns
 Michelle Clouston
 Heather Coltherd
 Barbara Copland
 Avril Cromarty
 Evie Donaldson
 Karen Dowell
 Deirdre Flett
 Gwen Gilbert
 Leona Gordon
 Karen Groat
 Catherine Johnson
 Lizzie Linklater
 Ann Oag
 Linda Ross
 Linda Shearer
 Kathryn Slater
 Shona Slater
 Hazel Stephen
 Julie Tait
 Lorraine Work

Shetland Veterans



Back from left: Sarah Grogan, Louise Moar, Vaila Hough, Vaila Kay, Ingrid Nicol, Morag Fox. **Front from left:** Heather Williamson, Dawn Manson, Hazel Johnson, Diane Thomson and Julie Kirkness. **Missing from photo:** Brenda Leask, Marie Clark, Marie Anderson, Louise Johnson.

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Orkney



Back row, left to right: Amy Houston, Amy Rendall, Rachel Mills, Zara Flett, Erin Scott, Kristi Rendall, Isla Bain, Leah Thomson, Alice Tait, Bev Flett. **Middle row:** Erica Tait, Rebecca Scott, Jess Ewing, Parys Hamilton, Erin Miller, Katrina Garson, Millie Flett, Kayleigh Scott, Leah Wood, Inga Kemp. **Front row:** Robin Gordon, Nessa Ferguson, Claire Coyle, Catherine Johnson, Kelsey Harvey, Emily Littlejohn, Abi Brass.

B Team and Sponsors

Millie Flett (N/C)	Rendall's Bakery
Robin Gordon (2)	Orkney Gin
Amy Houston (6)	Lows Orkney
Erin Miller (2)	S R Bain
Rachel Mills (2)	Alfred Flett Ltd
Amy Rendall (5) (VC)	Orkney Tatties
Erin Scott (2)	Lows Orkney
Kayleigh Scott (2)	Iain Laird Events & Security
Alice Tait 9 (2) (C)	Sinclair Massage Therapies
Leah Wood (N/C)	Sutherlands Pharmacy

A Team and Sponsors

Isla Bain (2)	Linklater Engineering
Bev Flett (3)	Lows Orkney
Zara Flett (2)	Williamsons Butcher
Katrina Garson (4)	Orkney Gin
Parys Hamilton (2)	Alison Moore
Inga Kemp (14) (C)	Northlight Apartments
Kristi Rendall (2)	Pipersquoy Cottage
Rebecca Scott (6)	Kirkness & Gorie
Erica Tait (8) (VC)	W Hourston Jeweller
Leah Thomson (6)	The Albert Hotel

Coach: Catherine Johnson

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Shetland



Back left to right: Ami Madison, Ashley Symington, Maisie Unsworth, Claire Johnston, Kim Johnson, Emma Leask, Kirsti Leask, Ava Johnston, Louise Malcolmson, Sanna Onhausz. **Front left to right:** Kaitlin Leslie, Jessica Turnbull, Rhianne Colvin, Claire Morris, Cameron Johnston, Cally Thomson, Emma Niven, Libby Fox, Aimee Budge. **Missing from photo:** Sadie Fox and Tahlia Leslie.

Team

Aimee Budge (1)	Kirsti Leask (16)
Rhianne Colvin (3)	Tahlia Leslie (N/C)
Libby Fox (1)	Ami Madison (N/C)
Sadie Fox (1)	Louise Malcolmson (4)
Kim Johnson (9)	Claire Morris (4)
Ava Johnston (8)	Emma Niven (N/C)
Cameron Johnston (N/C)	Sanna Onhausz (6)
Claire Johnston (1)	Ashley Symington (1)
Emma Leask (3)	Cally Thomson (N/C)
Kaitlin Leslie (1)	Maisie Unsworth (8)

Team Manager: Jessica Turnbull

Coaches: Tony Johnston, Emma Leask, Kirsti Leask, Claire Morris, Sanna Onhausz and Maisie Unsworth

History of Senior Inter-County

A brief history of the Senior Inter-county Netball fixture

The Orkney Netball Association was founded on the 11th January 1981. A friendly game was arranged between Orkney and Shetland played before the actual inter-county which took place in Shetland on Friday 13th November 1981. With six teams were entered into a winter league from where the first A & B teams were selected. The Orkney winter league is still going strong to this day. From small beginning a fantastic netball community began.

Founder members

Orkney: Linda Ross, Linda Reeve and Pauline Cathro

Shetland: Evelyn Rae, Audrey Thomson and Heather Hogg

How times have changed....

When the first netball inter-county games took place teams hosted each other, these days teams stay together.

Teams would travel on the Friday and play that evening traveling home on the Saturday, unless fog was present.

In 1981 the air fare called a 'firecracker' was £37 return.

Some Interesting Facts

- Most Goals scored in one match – 69. Orkney A team scored 69 goals against Shetland in 1991.
- Both teams have scored upwards of 60 goals in a match, Orkney A team as above in 1991 and Shetland A team in 2008 when they scored 68. Orkney B Team have scored upwards of 60 goals twice, with 62 goals in 1988 and 65 goals in 1990.
- Following this year's fixture the matches will have been played equally 20 times on both islands.
- There has only ever been one draw, in the B match of 1996 when the teams drew 30 – 30.
- For the first six years of the fixture, the A team lost at home!
- There has been no B match played on four separate occasions, although a friendly against Whalsay was played in 1999 instead.
- Orkney have won the A match 25 times with Shetland winning 13 of the contests.
- Orkney have won the B match 19 times, with Shetland winning 16. Shetland has won both fixtures in the same year on seven occasions whilst Orkney have won both fixtures on 13 of the meetings.

History of Results

	'A' Match	'B' Match
1981 played in Shetland	Orkney win 31 – 21	Shetland win 28 - 23
1982 played in Orkney	Shetland win 26 – 25	Orkney win 34 - 22
1983 played in Shetland	Orkney win 28 – 26	Shetland win 24 - 23
1984 played in Orkney	Shetland win 42 – 31	Orkney win 41 - 20
1985 played in Shetland	Orkney win 36 – 21	Orkney win 26 - 10
1986 played in Orkney	Shetland win 46 – 38	Orkney win 25 - 21
1987 played in Shetland	Shetland win 45 – 32	Shetland win 29 - 25
1988 played in Orkney	Orkney win 45 – 30	Orkney win 62 – 11
1989 played in Shetland	Orkney win 33 – 32	Orkney win 48 – 28
1990 played in Orkney	Orkney win 59 – 33	Orkney win 65 – 13
1991 played in Shetland	Orkney win 69 – 23	Orkney win 54 – 18
1992 played in Orkney	Orkney win 50 – 25	NO B MATCH PLAYED
1993 NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE
1994 played in Shetland	Orkney win 41 – 22	Shetland win 41 – 31
1995 played in Orkney	Orkney win 53 – 38	Orkney win 41 – 32
1996 played in Shetland	Orkney win 40 – 39	Draw 30 – 30
1997 played in Orkney	Orkney win 49 – 30	Orkney win 54 – 44
1998 played in Shetland	Orkney win 47 – 25	Shetland win 38 – 25
1999 played in Orkney	Orkney win 54 – 35	Friendly match-Orkney beat Whalsay 56 – 42
2000 played in Shetland	Orkney win 41 – 29	Orkney win 40 – 28
2001 played in Orkney	Orkney win 52 – 32	Orkney win 37 – 33
2002 played in Shetland	Orkney win 44 – 35	Shetland win 43 – 39
2003 played in Orkney	Orkney win 43 – 34	Orkney win 36 – 27
2004 played in Shetland	Orkney win 37 – 35	Orkney win 35 – 33
2005 played in Orkney	Shetland win 27 – 25	Orkney win 38 – 25
2006 played in Shetland	Shetland win 25 – 22	Orkney win 29 – 26
2007 played in Orkney	Orkney win 40 – 37	Orkney win 41 – 37
2008 played in Shetland	Shetland win 68 – 30	Shetland win 54 – 32
2009 played in Orkney	Orkney win 41 – 38	Shetland win 49 – 37
2010 played in Shetland	Shetland win 43 – 29	NO B MATCH PLAYED
2011 played in Orkney	Orkney win 44-38	Shetland win 52-25
2012 played in Shetland	Shetland win 45-43	Shetland win 36-32
2013 played in Orkney	Orkney win 57-37	Shetland win 39-26
2014 played in Shetland	Shetland win 39-32	Orkney win 29-28
2015 played in Orkney	Orkney win 49-42	Shetland win 47-28
2016 played in Shetland	Shetland win 58-46	Shetland win 38-37
2017 played in Orkney	Shetland win 52-25	Shetland win 52-25
2018 played in Shetland	Shetland win 56-36	Shetland win 32-23
2019 played in Orkney	Shetland win 43-39	Shetland won 44-28
2020 NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE
2021 NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE	NO FIXTURE
2022 played in Shetland	Orkney win 37-35	Orkney win 33-26
Totals	Orkney won 24 Shetland won 15	Orkney won 19 Shetland won 16 4 unplayed matches

Orkney Caps History

1981

Avril Cromarty (10)
 Elaine Kemp (Gray) (5)
 Ann Dag (9)
 Pauline Cathro (5)
 Betty Stanger (11)
 Linda Ross (14)
 Linda Reeve (8)
 Ann Muir (Sinclair) (2)
 Shirley Gorn (Henning) (4)
 Ruth Stephen (Cursiter) (3)
 Lizzie Linklater (9)
 Lesley Herdman (Mainland) (3)
 Wilma Hepburn (Peace) (8)
 Deirdre Byers (Flett) (10)
 Kitty Work (5)
 Janice Gray (Spence) (1)
 Margaret Robb (2)
 Gwen Gilbert (2)
 Shona Work (Slater) (25)
1982
 Moira Nicolson (9)
 Alison Johnston (3)
 Heather Murray (Coltherd) (9)
 Helen Notman (1)
1983
 Marina Poke (1)
1984
 Kathryn Slater (1)
 Barbara Copland (7)
 Joyce Campbell (Gray) (19)
 I Scott (1)
 Dawn Flett (5)
 Fran McLennan (Deerness) (15)
1985
 Linda Shearer (3)
 Jean Monkman (4)
 Sandra Shearer (Wylie) (2)
1986
 Paula Marwick (Spence) (14)
 Cynthia Gorn (1)
 Jill Kemp (Robb) (1)
 Lorraine Work (5)
 Sue Brook (1)
1987
 Karen Burghes (Burns) (17)
 Sheena Petrie (3)
 Fiona MacIver (2)

1988

Elinor Walls (1)
 Lorraine Robertson (1)
1989
 Catherine Johnson (16)
 Leona Sinclair (Gordon) (6)
1990
 Karen Oddie (Groat) (10)
1991
 Teresa Scott (3)
 Julie Millar (Tait) (10)
 Vanessa Robertson (1)
 Shona Croy (1)
 Ingrid Omand (1)
(No new caps in 1992)
(No fixture in 1993)
1994
 Michelle Robertson (Clouston) (17)
 Evie Donaldson (8)
1995
 Alison MacPhail (1)
 Joanna Sinclair (17)
1996
 Amy Gilbert (Smith) (6)
 Claire MacInnes (Sim) (4)
 Catherine Swanney (Foubister) (7)
1997
 Geira Bews (1)
 Vicki Copland (Learmonth) (9)
 Helen Cromarty (Corsi) (12)
 Shona Marwick (Gray) (9)
 Jane Fenton (1)
1998
 Laura Drever (Leonard) (5)
 Angela Shearer (Hancock) (2)
1999
 Vicki Gorn (1)
 Karen Harcus (Dowell) (4)
 Christine Kemp (3)
 Sandra Mainland (5)
 Lynn Waters (1)
2000
 Fiona Stanger (Scott) (11)
2001
 Kirsty Gilbert (8)
 Ruth Drever (Eunson) (8)
2002
 Claire Irvine (7)
 Kay Mowat (2)
 Caroline Pye (3)

2003

Morag Ewing (2)
2004
 Pamela Wilson (Robertson) (9)
 Emma Drever (McConnachie) (6)
 Amy Cromarty (Houston) (4)
2005
 Kirsty Balfour (1)
 Inga Burton (1)
 Lisa Johnston (Groundwater) (3)
2006
 Inga Kemp (13)
 Karen Wood (2)
 Caron Bews (8)
 Kari Taylor (Valentine) (5)
 Kirsten Learmonth (5)
2007
 Katrina Seatter (Garson) (3)
 Rachael Thomson (2)
 Julie Campbell (Pickles) (13)
 Kim Hamilton (1)
 Hannah Nixon (Cursiter) (8)
 Gina Tait (McMahon) (3)
 Senga Taylor (1)
 Claire Wilson (7)
2008
 Lisa Barnett (1)
 Kelly Robinson (1)
 Jennifer Scott (1)
2009
 Karoline Bain (2)
 Erica Tait (7)
2010
 Vikki Budge (9)
 Beverly Campbell (2)
2011
 Lauren Gilmour (6)
 Rebecca Scott (5)
 Leah Thomson (5)
 Fiona Wilson (1)
 Lara Hourie (4)
 Louisa Drever (1)
 Sarah King (1)
 Sheree Muir (1)
 Rachel Suttie (2)
 Catrin Sutherland (3)
 Alice Tait (1)
2012
 Hannah Johnston (Cromarty) (2)

2013

Jaimie Cooper (4)
2014
 Sarah Macphail (2)
 Aly Bain (1)
 Shannah Muir (2)
2015
 Tanya Leslie (1)
 Megan MacLeod (4)
 Jennie Pickles (1)
 Taylah Spence (2)
 Jenna Baillie (1)
 Katy Leslie (1)
 Shona MacInnes (1)
 Katell Roche (3)
 Britt Ward (1)
2016
 Kirsten Tait (1)
 Kayla Smith (2)
 Emma Work (1)
 Molly Anderson (4)
 Kirstie Burns (2)
 Megan Cumming (2)
 Anna Taylor (2)
2017
 Kirsty Drever (MacLeod) (4)
 Alice Scott (1)
 Ellis Kerr (3)
 Sasha Miller (1)
 Amy Rendall (4)
2018
 Bethin MacDonald (1)
 Karin Flett (1)
2019
 Freya Stevenson (1)
 Claire Coyle (1)
 Robin Gordon (1)
 (No fixture in 2020)
 (No fixture in 2021)
2022
 Zara Flett (1)
 Parys Hamilton (1)
 Kristi Rendall (1)
 Isla Bain (1)
 Jodie Brown (1)
 Erin Miller (1)
 Rachel Mills (1)
 Kayleigh Scott (1)
 Josie Groat (1)
 Kelsey Harvey (1)
 Erin Scott (1)

Number of caps for Orkney is shown in brackets against player's name.

Please note, the above information is correct as far as we are able to research using archive records and old programmes.

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