



Jacqueline McConnell

Jacque has been involved in Brisbane Basketball for over 35 years, serving as Manager of Junior BBI Representative Teams , Club teams and QBL teams, as well as score table duties. She still continues with those duties.

She has been an asset to the overall team dynamics with her professional attitude and commitment to the young athletes.

She has always made herself available to attend team training and ensured that all preparation was done well in advance. She has always complied with the requests of the Coaching Staff with a smile and pleasant attitude.

Communication is one of Jacque's strengths keeping parents, players and coaching staff informed. Jacque is well liked and respected by all with whom she interacts. Her excellent organizational skills ensure that the management of the team runs like clockwork.

Jacque managed the Queensland Under 18 Womens Team in 2011 , which finished second to Victoria at the Nationals, and she was awarded the Mick McSween Manager of the year Award from Basketball Queensland.

In 2015 Jacque received the BBI Managers Award.

At present she is managing the Brisbane QSL Womens Youth League Team coached by her daughter Lauren.

In private life she is married to Russell, a top basketball player in his day, and have three children., Carla, Lauren and Ian. All three children played for Lang Park in BBI Junior Basketball Competitions with Jacque managing most of their teams.

She was a pioneer in the formation of the Queensland Occupational Therapist's Association of Queensland, working in hospitals, Independent living centres, and later in insurance assessment.

Some of Jacque's history as Manager of BBI and Qld teams:

1993	BBI Under 18 Girls Colts
1994	BBI Under 14 Boys Colts
2002-2003	BBI Under 18 Girls
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2011-2012	Queensland Under 18 Women.
2015	BBI Under 14 Girls Silver
2016	BBI Under 14 Girls Gold co-delivered team managers induction.
2017-2019	Supported Under 14 and 16 with team managers duties.
2019	BBI Under 12 Girls Gold
2019	BBI QBL Womens team
2020	QBL Womens Co-Manager
2023	BBI QSL Womens Youth League Team

Jacque has been doing score bench for 23 years and holds Level 3 accreditation.

Jacque's service to Brisbane Basketball Inc has been immense. She meets all of the requirements for Life Membership of BBI and she is a very deserving nomination.

Bestowing life membership to her is a fitting reward.

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