



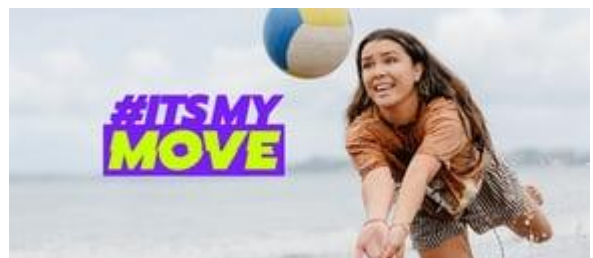
Sport NZ #itsmymove

Sport NZ has launched its new campaign #itsmymove to encourage teenage women in sport and recreation to celebrate the way they move.

Sport NZ is on the lookout for teenage women aged 14 -17 to share their story on their move, and why they love it!

If you or a teenage women aged 14 - 17 you know in the volleyball world would like to have the opportunity to share their story through the social media campaign, please complete the attached form and return to Katie np@volleyballnz.org.nz.

For more information on the campaign and access to an amazing tool kit for you to continue to support your young women to move, check out this link: <https://sportnz.org.nz/itsmymove/its-my-move-toolkit-signup/>



Dynasty Next Gen

Formally VNZ's "Youth" programme, Dynasty Next Gen is delivered in four regions across Aotearoa, before a national camp 3 months later where all athletes from across the country will come together.

Dynasty Next Gen camps are open invitation, and VNZ encourages all athletes to come experience a quality development programme that focuses on the first stage of the performance pathway.

VNZ see that is the introduction and connection to the national programme and systems, preparation for Junior Teams, and a safe and inclusive space for athletes to extend their volleyball development.

Following this year's Dynasty Next Gen Camps, VNZ will be holding National Junior Indoor Team Trials – September/October 2022, where all Dynasty Next Gen Athletes are encouraged to put their hands up for. Teams will be selected to participate in Australian Junior Champs in July 2023

VNZ is working with top coaches from across the country, with all camps led by VNZ Game Development Manager Johann Timmer. VNZ is committed to providing development opportunities for coaches also, and Johann will lead the team of Next Gen coaches of Luis, Paulo, Ben Laing, Brienna Booth and Geodele Van Cauteren as head coaches while also engaging with coaches from our regions, and National Junior Coaches to support the delivery where possible.

Cost: \$180

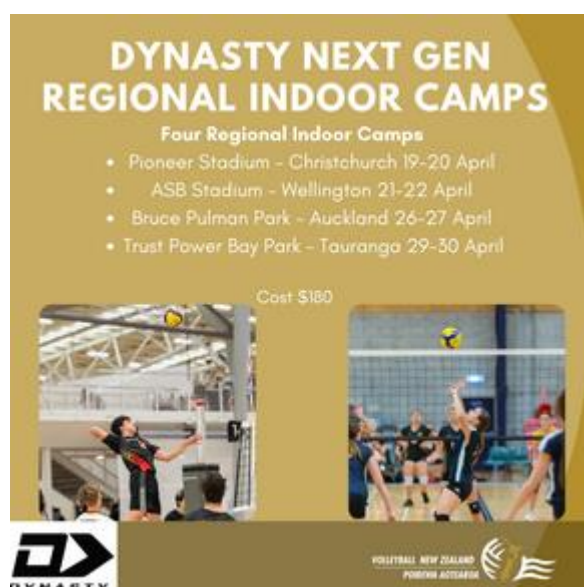
Age Criteria: Boys born 2005/2006, Girls born 2006/2007

Registration/Information: All information and registrations can be found here:

<https://www.volleyballnz.org.nz/development/next-gen/indoor>

VNZ encourages all Regional Associations to share this opportunity to all athletes.

If you would like to discuss these opportunities further, please contact Johann gdm@volleyballnz.org.nz



Play it Safe...Test before events

VNZ want to support you all to continue playing Volleyball, and the NZ Government has created a site for you all to gain access to FREE Rapid Antigen Test.

We encourage you to consider testing before participating in your volleyball events to ensure your wellbeing and the wellbeing of others is protected against the virus. Follow the below link, and complete the questions, you will be directed to a collection point nearby

<https://requestrats.covid19.health.nz>



Future Communication

VNZ will be moving all forms of group communications to be delivered through our Friendly Manager platform.

If you currently have a Friendly Manager membership with VNZ, there is nothing for you to do, we will move you into the correct groups to continue to receive all the latest information and updates in a timely manner.

If you do not currently have a Friendly Manager membership, we encourage you to register as soon as possible.

Friendly Manager is not just about communication it is also where you will be able to gain access to VNZ National Coach and Referee Development online resources and courses.

If you need to register, please do so by **14th April 2022** to ensure that you don't miss out on any future updates.

Follow this link to register:

<https://www.volleyballnz.org.nz/membership/become-a-member>



Scholarship Athletes

Do you have athletes from your region on Scholarship?

If so VNZ would like to know, please send through the below information to admin@volleyballnz.org.nz

- Athletes Name
- School they are attending
- The studies they are completing
- What year they started.

