



VICTORIAN
NETBALL
LEAGUE

A black and white photograph of two female netball players in mid-air, performing a celebratory embrace. They are wearing striped jerseys. The player on the right has the number 54 visible on her back. The background is a dark, textured surface.

VNL 2026 FIXTURE

ROUND 1

Wednesday 11 March

City West Falcons vs Hawks Netball
Melbourne University Lightning vs Geelong Cougars
Western Warriors vs North East Blaze

Saturday 14 March

Bendigo Strikers vs Boroondara Express
Red Energy Arena (Bendigo)

Sunday 15 March

Gippsland Stars vs Peninsula Waves
Casey Demons vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Gippsland Regional Indoor Sports Stadium (Traralgon)

ROUND 2

Wednesday 18 March

Gippsland Stars vs Western Warriors
Hawks Netball vs North East Blaze
Casey Demons vs Boroondara Express
Geelong Cougars vs City West Falcons

Sunday 22 March

Bendigo Strikers vs Melbourne University Lightning
Red Energy Arena (Bendigo)
Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Peninsula Waves
Bayside Community Sports Stadium (Sandringham)

ROUND 3

Wednesday 25 March

Geelong Cougars vs Peninsula Waves
Melbourne University Lightning vs Boroondara Express
North East Blaze vs City West Falcons

Sunday 29 March

Gippsland Stars vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Warragul Leisure Centre (Warragul)
Casey Stadium (Cranbourne East)
Western Warriors vs Bendigo Strikers
Cobblebank Stadium (Cobblebank)

ROUND 4

Monday 30 March

Boroondara Express vs North East Blaze
Boroondara Sports Complex (Balwyn North)

Wednesday 1 April

Bendigo Strikers vs City West Falcons
Peninsula Waves vs Hawks Netball
Western Warriors vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Melbourne University Lightning vs Casey Demons
Geelong Cougars vs Gippsland Stars

ROUND 5

Sunday 12 April

Melbourne University Lightning vs Western Warriors

Narrandjieri Stadium (Thornbury)

Wednesday 15 April

City West Falcons vs Casey Demons
Altona Sports Centre (Altona Meadows)

Sunday 19 April

Peninsula Waves vs Boroondara Express
Jubilee Park (Frankston)
Bendigo Strikers vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Mercy Junortoun Sporting Precinct, Junortoun
North East Blaze vs Gippsland Stars
Mullum Mullum Stadium (Donvale)
Hawks Netball vs Geelong Cougars
Stonnington Sports Centre (Malvern East)

ROUND 6

Wednesday 22 April

Hawks Netball vs Bendigo Strikers
Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs City West Falcons
Boroondara Express vs Geelong Cougars
Gippsland Stars vs Melbourne University Lightning
Peninsula Waves vs Western Warriors
North East Blaze vs Casey Demons

ROUND 7

Sunday 26 April

Casey Demons vs Peninsula Waves
Casey Stadium (Cranbourne East)

Wednesday 29 April

City West Falcons vs Gippsland Stars
Hawks Netball vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Geelong Cougars vs Bendigo Strikers
Melbourne University Lightning vs North East Blaze
Boroondara Express vs Western Warriors

ROUND 8

Wednesday 6 May

Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Boroondara Express
North East Blaze vs Geelong Cougars
Western Warriors vs City West Falcons
Gippsland Stars vs Hawks Netball
Melbourne University Lightning vs Peninsula Waves
Bendigo Strikers vs Casey Demons

ROUND 9

Wednesday 13 May

Peninsula Waves vs City West Falcons
Gippsland Stars vs Boroondara Express
Hawks Netball vs Western Warriors
Casey Demons vs Geelong Cougars
North East Blaze vs Bendigo Strikers
Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Melbourne University Lightning

ROUND 10

Wednesday 20 May

Bendigo Strikers vs Peninsula Waves
Boroondara Express vs Hawks Netball
Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs North East Blaze
City West Falcons vs Melbourne University Lightning
Casey Demons vs Gippsland Stars

Sunday 24 May

Western Warriors vs Geelong Cougars
Cobblebank Stadium (Cobblebank)

ROUND 11 - FIRST NATIONS ROUND

Wednesday 27 May

Western Warriors vs Casey Demons
Geelong Cougars vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Boroondara Express vs City West Falcons
Peninsula Waves vs North East Blaze
Gippsland Stars vs Bendigo Strikers
Hawks Netball vs Melbourne University Lightning

ROUND 12

Wednesday 3 June

Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Bendigo Strikers
North East Blaze vs Boroondara Express
City West Falcons vs Western Warriors
Geelong Cougars vs Hawks Netball
Melbourne University Lightning vs Gippsland Stars
Peninsula Waves vs Casey Demons
Jubilee Park (Frankston)

ROUND 13 - PRIDE ROUND

Wednesday 10 June

Casey Demons vs Western Warriors
Melbourne University Lightning vs Bendigo Strikers
Boroondara Express vs Gippsland Stars
Peninsula Waves vs Geelong Cougars
North East Blaze vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Hawks Netball vs City West Falcons

ROUND 14

Wednesday 17 June

City West Falcons vs Geelong Cougars
Boroondara Express vs Casey Demons
Western Warriors vs Gippsland Stars
Bendigo Strikers vs Peninsula Waves
Melbourne University Lightning vs North East Blaze

Friday 19 June

Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Hawks Netball
Bayside Community Sports Stadium (Sandringham)

ROUND 15

Friday 26 June

Peninsula Waves vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints
Jubilee Park (Frankston)

Sunday 28 June

Bendigo Strikers vs City West Falcons
Mercy Junortoun Sporting Precinct, Junortoun
Western Warriors vs Melbourne University Lightning
Geelong Cougars vs Boroondara Express
Selkirk Stadium (Ballarat)
North East Blaze vs Casey Demons
Community Bank Stadium (Diamond Creek)
Gippsland Stars vs Hawks Netball
Gippsland Regional Indoor Sports Stadium (Traralgon)

ROUND 16

Wednesday 1 July

Casey Demons vs Gippsland Stars
Casey Stadium (Cranbourne East)
Peninsula Waves vs Hawks Netball
Western Warriors vs North East Blaze
Geelong Cougars vs Bendigo Strikers
Boroondara Express vs Melbourne University Lightning
City West Falcons vs Wilson Storage Southern Saints

ROUND 17

Wednesday 8 July

City West Falcons vs Boroondara Express
Altona Sports Centre (Altona Meadows)
Hawks Netball vs North East Blaze
Waverley Netball Centre (Glen Waverley)
Melbourne University Lightning vs Peninsula Waves
Narrandjieri Stadium (Thornbury)

Friday 10 July

Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Gippsland Stars
Bayside Community Sports Stadium (Sandringham)

Sunday 12 July

Bendigo Strikers vs Casey Demons
Mercy Junortoun Sporting Precinct, Junortoun
Geelong Cougars vs Western Warriors
Wurdi Baierr Stadium (Torquay)

ROUND 18

Wednesday 15 July

City West Falcons vs Peninsula Waves
Wilson Storage Southern Saints vs Geelong Cougars
Boroondara Express vs Western Warriors
Casey Demons vs Melbourne University Lightning
Hawks Netball vs Bendigo Strikers
North East Blaze vs Gippsland Stars

FINALS

Wednesday 22 July

Qualifying Finals

Wednesday 29 July

Semi Finals

Wednesday 5 August

Preliminary Finals

Wednesday 12 August

Grand Finals