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Gothenburg Netball Club
Est. 2019
Fun, fitness and friendship!

Who are we?

We are a group of people, who simply love to get together regularly to play amateur netball, and sometimes to enjoy a fika / pint!
Most of us have moved to Sweden from abroad, but everyone is welcome, whether you know netball or not!

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When is the next session?

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Playing dates and location

What is netball?

Don't know what netball is?
Don't worry, check out our basic guide to the game!
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How do I join in?
What to bring and cost

What to bring and cost. We welcome anyone age 18 or over regardless of your level of fitness or knowledge of netball.
- Indoor trainers
- Bottle of water
- Comfortable clothes for training

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Netball was originally introduced to female students at a London college by Swedish-born (link) Martina Bergman-Östergman.
By the early 1900's was also being played in New Zealand, Australia and Jamaica.

Worried that you don't know what netball is, or can't remember the rules on footwork? With thanks to Wikipedia and [simplenetball.co.uk](#), we've put together a brief guide to get you started. We always make sure to help each other out during our sessions, so don't worry if you still have questions before

- The objective of the game is to simply score more goals than the other team by throwing the ball into the hoop in your end of the court!
- 14 players on the court: two teams of 7.
- The court is split into thirds and each player has a designated zone they can enter, depending on their position.
- Footwork:
 - a player cannot run or move whilst the ball is in their possession.
 - a player can receive the ball with both feet in the air, or jump and land equally on both feet. They can then chose ONE foot to move, and pivot on this foot.
 - if a player catches the ball and lands on one foot, that landing foot cannot move, and cannot be lifted again until the ball has been released.
- Obstruction:
 - a player attempting to intercept or defend the ball must be at least 3ft from the player with the ball.

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The players

Centre (C)
Goal Attack (GA)
Goal Defence (GD)
Wing Defence (WD)
Wing Attack (WA)
Goal Keeper (GK)

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Got questions, or just fancy a chat? Send us a message here or email us at gothenburgnetball@gmail.com

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Send us a message and we will get back to you as soon as we can :)
Email: gothenburgnetball@gmail.com
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Meet our lovely committee!

Mark Darcy (NZ flag), Chairman
Hi! I moved to Gothenburg in 2008: I had never played netball before joining the club, but the more I play the more I love it! We're always looking for volunteers to help run the club, including umpiring and coaching: if you're interested, please get in touch!

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Bridget Jones (EN flag), Vice Chairman
I have played netball since I was in primary school, so was very excited when I found this club on Facebook and could refresh my skills!

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Daniel Cleaver (US flag), Secretary
Hi! I am originally from Chicago and moved to Sweden in 2019. I had never really heard of netball, but wanted to learn a new sport and I'm glad I did! I need to learn on my footwork though, as I sometimes forget you can't move with the ball!

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Helen Fielding (SW flag), Treasurer
With two small children, I originally joined the club to meet new people and get out of the house - an added bonus though has been my improved fitness!

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your shoes worn
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