

# nt institute of sport media release

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## **Territory netballers score spot in AIS National Junior Camp**

**Two Territory netballers have been selected to participate in the National Junior Camp at the Australian Institute of Sport, Canberra from the 16 – 20 July 2006.**

Kim Bruyn (defender) and Alyce Casilli (goalkeeper) have been selected to participate in the camp as a result of their excellent performances at the National 17 & under Championships held in Sydney in April.

Stacey West, Head NTIS Netball Coach said the camp will test the athletes both physically and mentally as they are pushed to improve their performances on court.

“The National Junior Camp is a significant achievement for both Kim and Alyce as they use this as a stepping stone in their netball development pathway.

“Both NTIS athletes impressed national selectors at the National 17 & under Championships and will be given the opportunity to train and play alongside Australia’s best netballers in this age group.”

“The National Junior Camp is a new initiative by Netball Australia and Kim and Alyce are the first Territory players to experience it.” said Ms West.

A total of 54 athletes will be attending the camp at the Australian Institute of Sport representing the best netballers in the country for the 17&under and the 19&under age groups.

The camp will run over five days and will develop individual and team based skills. Athletes will have up to six sessions per day, working with Australia’s elite coaches and players. Stacey West, NTIS Head Netball Coach will also be attending the camp.

### **Photo Opportunity:**

Wednesday 12 July 2006 between 5 – 6pm.

Gym session at the NTIS, Level 1, Arafura Stadium 40 Abala Road, Marrara.

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