**NEW NETBALL RULES SEPTEMBER, 2016**

**PLAYERS**, **COACHES** and **UMPIRES**, new netball rules come into effect on 1st September, 2016. You can find these new rules and umpire protocols on the England Netball or INF websites so you might like to read them before the forum and bring any questions with you.

It is recommended that all **regional league teams** send at least 2 representatives eg a player and a coach to a forum. Any **division 2 & 3 regional** **league umpire** should also attend a forum.

**You are all invited to attend a new rules forum on any of the following dates and times:**

Saturday 21st May 9.00am – 12.00pm

Saturday 11th June 9.00am -12.00pm

Monday 13th June 7.00pm – 10.00pm

Saturday 17th September 9.00am – 12.00pm

All sessions will be held at John A Stephens, Castle Meadow Road, Nottingham NG2 1AG. Please note that **there will not be any other forums this season so don’t miss out!!**

Attendance at a forum is **COMPULSORY** for all **umpires** who want to officiate any Notts league games in the 2016 -17 season.

New rules books will available **for umpires only** to purchase at the forum at a discounted rate of £4.00 each. **PLEASE BRING THE CORRECT MONEY AS NO CHANGE WILL BE GIVEN.**

Any coach or player wishing to purchase a copy will find them on the EN website at full price.

For health & safety reasons, **numbers are limited to 50 people per forum** so replies are required by **indicating your first and second choices on the attached slip**. Confirmation of your place on a forum will be sent via email or text.

**NEW RULES FORUM 2016 REPLY SLIP**

Please complete and return to pamweatherby@virginmedia.com

You will receive confirmation of your allocated forum by email

If you do not have an email address, please provide a mobile number and confirmation will be sent via text

NAME :

CLUB :

Are you an umpire, coach or player? :

First choice date and time :

Second choice date and time :

Email address for confirmation :

Mobile number for confirmation text :