



Important Update – 2024 Fees and PlayHQ Enhancements

Please see below some important information and updates regarding:

Basketball Australia Participant Fee (Game Development Levy)

From January 1, 2024, an annual Basketball Australia Game Development levy of \$5.00 (+GST) per competition player will be introduced nationwide. The levy will be collected by Basketball Australia and the additional revenue generated will play a pivotal role in sustaining the growth of basketball for generations to come.

This levy will be applicable to all players participating in regular season competitions, excluding coaches, officials, volunteers, and administrators (unless they are also registered as basketball players). Regardless of how frequently a player participates in the sport each week, the levy will only be due on an annual basis (similar to the Basketball Victoria licence).

The introduction of this levy will enable Basketball Australia to expand opportunities within the basketball community, providing enhanced services and support across Australia, expediting their priority areas.

In 2024 additional revenue generated by the levy will be allocated towards:

- enhancing coach development opportunities and the supporting pathways
- enhancing the development and pathways for officials
- building behaviour management campaigns to address abuse towards officials
- driving digital transformation across the sport.

You can find more information about the levy, along with frequently asked questions on the [Basketball Australia website](#).

Note: the \$5 (plus GST) BA fee will be paid when a player next registers to a competition season (for existing players this may or may not coincide with the Basketball Victoria licence depending on anniversary dates).

No increase to Basketball Victoria participant licence in 2024

At the 2022 Basketball Victoria State Conference – a \$3 increase to the annual Basketball Victoria participant licence was approved by association members to go from \$29 (per player 17 and under) to \$32, and from \$43 (per player 18 and up) to \$46 in 2024.

The decision has been made to freeze the 2023 licence fee to allow for the Basketball Australia fee to be introduced and relieve any initial financial burden for participants. Therefore, the BV Participant Licence will remain at \$29 and \$43 respectively in 2024.