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2021 AUSTRALIAN UNDER-18 CHAMPIONSHIPS TO BE STREAMED LIVE

Basketball Australia (BA) is delighted to announce that all games of the 2021 Australian Under-18 Championships will be streamed live and free across Australia thanks to Foxtel and Kayo Freebies.

To be contested from April 10 – 17 at Eagle Stadium in Werribee (Victoria), the 2021 championships will feature 26 teams chockful of the best young men's and women's basketball talent from across the nation vying for the title of Australian champion.

In partnership with Australia's leading sports streaming service, Kayo Sports, 26 of the games played on the Show Court (Court 1) including the Finals will be streamed live and free on Kayo Freebies featuring multi cameras with expert commentary.

The remaining 80 games of the 2021 championships will be streamed live without commentary and accessible via the Basketball Australia YouTube account.

BA Executive General Manager Basketball Paul Maley said this was an exciting step forward for the championships which draw attention of basketball enthusiasts both here in Australia and abroad.

"To have all games of this year's Australian Under-18 Championships streamed live and free across the nation is a first for the event and we would like to thank Kayo Sports for their continued support of the Australian basketball elite pathway.

"Many of Australia's leading basketballers have played in the Australian Under-18 Championships and the event is regarded as one of the world's leading junior tournaments, attracting the attention of clubs and scouts from near and far.

"Whether streaming via your smart TV, desktop or mobile device there is no excuse to miss a minute of this year's championships with every game available via Kayo Freebies or Basketball Australia's YouTube account."

Kayo Sports Director of Marketing, Kim McConnie, said: *"Basketball is one of the highest participation sports in Australia, with thousands of young players taking part in the national age group championships each year. We're thrilled to be able to bring the Australian Under-18 Championships to audiences around Australia through Kayo Freebies and help showcase the talent of the next generation of Aussie basketball stars."*

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Kayo Freebies
Access Kayo Freebies by downloading the Kayo Sports app or visiting www.kayosports.com.au/freebies and registering for a Freebies account. Kayo Freebies are free, and no credit card details are required to register and start streaming.

For event information including the Fixture including court details click here.

Games that will be available on Kayo Freebies
All times are AEST
"C" = Country
"M" = Metro

Saturday 10 April	**1**	1:15pm	CRT 1	Women Pool B	NSW C	v	ACT
Sunday 11 April	**2**	10:45am	CRT 1	Women Pool A	WA M	v	SA C
	3	12:45pm	CRT 1	Men Pool A	SA C	v	NSW M
	4	2:45pm	CRT 1	Men Pool A	QLD N	v	WA C
	5	6:45pm	CRT 1	Men Pool A	VIC M	v	ACT
Monday 12 April	**6**	12:45pm	CRT 1	Men Pool B	WA M	v	NSW C
	7	4:45pm	CRT 1	Women Pool B	SA M	v	VIC C
	8	6:45pm	CRT 1	Women Pool A	VIC M	v	NSW M
Tuesday 13 April	**9**	2:45pm	CRT 1	Men Pool B	QLD S	v	TAS
	10	4:45pm	CRT 1	Women Pool A	VIC M	v	TAS
	11	6:45pm	CRT 1	Women Pool A	QLD N	v	NT
Wednesday 14 April	**12**	11:15am	CRT 1	Men Pool A	WA C	v	NT
	13	1:15pm	CRT 1	Women Pool B	QLD S	v	WA C
	14	3:15pm	CRT 1	Men Pool B	VIC C	v	SA M
Thursday 15 April	**15**	1:00pm	Crt 1	Mens QF #2	TBC	v	TBC
QUARTER FINALS	**16**	3:00pm	Crt 1	Womens QF #2	TBC	v	TBC
	17	5:00pm	Crt 1	Mens QF #1	TBC	v	TBC
	18	7:00pm	Crt 1	Womens QF #1	TBC	v	TBC
Friday 16 April	**19**	1:00pm	Crt 1	Womens SF#2	TBC	v	TBC
SEMI FINALS	**20**	3:00pm	Crt 1	Mens SF #2	TBC	v	TBC
	21	5:00pm	Crt 1	Womens SF #1	TBC	v	TBC
	22	7:00pm	Crt 1	Mens SF#1	TBC	v	TBC
Saturday 17 April	**23**	1:00pm	Crt 1	Women - Bronze	TBC	v	TBC
MEDAL GAMES	**24**	3:00pm	Crt 1	Men - Bronze	TBC	v	TBC
	25	5:30pm	Crt 1	Women - Gold	TBC	v	TBC
	26	7:30pm	Crt 1	Men - Gold	TBC	v	TBC

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