GIRLS BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The photos on these pages were taken in late March when fourteen girls' basketball teams from eleven towns in New South Wales took part in a weekend competition in Sydney to select a N.S.W. team to participate in the national championships held in Melbourne at Easter.

The teams that took part in the N.S.W. competition came from Kempsey, Narrabri, Walgett, Armidale (2 teams), Newcastle (2), Balranald, Cowra, Nowra (2), Brewarrina-Bourke, Moree, and Sydney. Sydney played Moree in the final match.

From the players who participated fourteen were chosen to represent N.S.W. in the national championships: A. Weldon, C. Pryor, I. Coe, S. Donnelly, A. Coorey, L. Coe (all from Sydney), J. Coe, B. Coe, E. Ingram (Cowra), R. Roberts, L. Boney, B. Briggs (Moree), A. Tailor (Balranald), and F. Crawford (Brewarrina).

At the Australian finals in Melbourne, N.S.W. played Darwin in the final. Four N.S.W. players were chosen in the national team: Anne Weldon (Sydney), Stephanie Donnelly (Sydney), Barbara Briggs (Moree), and Cilla Pryor (Sydney). Stephanie Donnelly won the award for best and fairest player.

The national team will tour overseas later in the year.