

International basketball here

Korean tourists to tackle AIS tomorrow night

BASKETBALL By RICKY TOZER

The Goulburn Basketball Stadium will receive a touch of international flavour tomorrow night when the AIS men's team take on the Korean SBS Stars, who are currently touring the nation.

The tip-off will be at 6pm and local basketball fans are urged to make the trek out to the Stadium to watch some top quality athletes. Three players in the AIS squad have recently returned from the under-21 World Championships, where they won a gold medal.

"We should go alright, we have three new scholarship holders playing on Saturday. We have a few injuries and have only had around five or six players at practice, but it will be good to see where the new guys are up to," AIS assistant coach Paul Goriss said.

"All of the players are pretty young, but Sam

Harris, who is seven foot three, has been around for a few years. Three of the guys have just returned from the under-21 World Championships, where they won gold."

Currently the AIS are in their off season and the clash with the SBS Stars will be treated as a trial match. Players are currently working on their strength and building up their skills.

"We have been practicing twice a week and doing individual work three times. The players are just coming off the season and the World Championships," Goriss said.

The AIS players or management are yet to see the SBS Stars in action and won't be able to get a chance before the match tomorrow, as it will be their first in the country.

"I think it will be a strong game, you can't really say any game will be easy. They are on tour and they will want to put their best foot forward," he

said. "They play a drive game and will be looking to penetrate the basket. They have some good three point shooters so we will have to cut down their passes and compete one on one with them. Our key is to run against them and our younger and fitter players should be able to get some easy baskets on the transaction."

The game will tip-off at 6pm, with the doors to the Goulburn Basketball Stadium opening at 5pm. Tickets will be \$2 a head or \$5 for a family. Full canteen facilities will be operating and after the game drinks will be had at the Goulburn Soldiers Club.

Korean SBS Stars

No	Name	Position
1	Jun BS	forward
2	Sin DH	forward
3	Cho SH	guard
4	Ledaryl Billingsley	forward
5	Park SW	guard
6	Rah CH	guard

8	Kim HS	guard
10	Kim BH	forward
11	Yun HS	forward
12	Yang HS	forward
14	Song TY	forward
15	Anthony Glover	forward
23	Yun HP	centre
32	Kim TH	centre
	Jung DH	coach
	Lee SB	Ass/coach

AIS Men's Basketball

5	Carlin Hughes	Guard
9	Lucas Walker	Guard/Forward
10	Jeff Dowdell	Forward
11	Bronson Kies	Guard
12	Brad Newley	Guard
13	Anthony Labka	Forward
14	Sam Harris	Centre
15	Ben Allen	Forward
	Head Coach:	Marty Clarke
	Asst Coach:	Paul Goriss