

## SCOTT FENTON Class of 1982

Scott Fenton (1964-1989) was a National Basketball player with Perth Wildcats, who played 140 games of NBL, 37 of which were for Perth.

Scott attended the Australian Institute of Sport, having joined the NBL in 1982 with the Bankstown Bruins. He returned to the Bruins in 1984 and then for two years played with the Sydney Supersonics. When the Supersonics merged to form the Sydney Kings, Scott transferred to become a member of the Perth Wildcats where he remained until his untimely death on 21 August 1989.

With the Wildcats he averaged 16 minutes, 4.5 points and two assists per game.

A popular player in that team, Scott and his fiancée, Tina Christie, also a national basketballer with the WAIS Breakers were the innocent victims of a tragic car smash in Perth in August 1989. His No 14 jersey was officially retired and now hangs in the Perth Arena. Two streets in the Perth suburb of Hillarys are named after him.

As a junior, Scott was successful in gaining School and Regional Blues in Basketball. The STHS 1st Grade Basketball Trophy for MVP is named in his memory.