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A slam dunk of basketball talent on display at the Brisbane Showgrounds

Some of the best basketball players from across Australia and overseas will shoot for the stars at the Brisbane Showgrounds from this Friday at the PLAYGRND Showdown FIBA 3x3 Quest Final.

The three-day (September 20-22) event will take place in Sideshow Alley, with up to 50 teams from as far as India hitting the court across several categories including 3x3 Men's, Women's, Junior, Wheelchair and Masters.

With more than \$20,000 in prizes up for grabs, there will be plenty of talent on display including NBL1 players and Australia's best dunker Brodie Stephens.

A highlight will be the intense FIBA 3x3 Quest Final, where the winning men's team will qualify for the Macau Masters World Tour in China in October.

More than 500 spectators are expected to attend the high energy event each day, which will also feature dunk and shooting competitions, e-games, boxfit, live DJs, food trucks, a barber shop and more.

Brisbane Showgrounds General Manager of Venue Sales and Marketing Jago Coyle said they were looking forward to hosting the event for the first time.

"With the annual event a pathway to the Brisbane 2032 Olympics and Paralympic Games, it's exciting to see basketball talent of this calibre competing at our venue this weekend," Mr Coyle said.

The event will take place from 10am to 6pm daily from this Friday to Sunday, and entry is free via registration.

The Brisbane Showgrounds precinct is located 1.5km from Brisbane's CBD and is Queensland's largest indoor/outdoor events site. Visit www.brisbaneshowgrounds.com.au

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