



Japan Women's National Hockey Team “Sakura Japan” New Zealand Expedition Team

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No	Position	Name	Affiliation	Remarks
1	Head Coach	Akira Takahashi	Japan Hockey Association	
2	Assistant Coach	Genki Mitani	Inoue Safe Sales Co.	
3	Analyst	Kodai Ishikawa	INSIGHT LAB Corporation	
4	Trainer	Kai Saito	T.C.PLACE Co., Ltd.	
5	Trainer	Genya Sasukawa	Yasukawa Osteopathic Clinic	

[Dispatch Players]

No	Player	Name	Teams	Age	Remarks
1	GK	Akio Tanaka	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	28	
2	GK	Yu Kudo	Glaxo Smith Kline Orange United	27	
3	DF	Emi Nishikiori	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	32	
4	DF	Miyu Suzuki	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	27	
5	DF	Ikumi Matsu	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	27	
6	DF	Junon Kawai	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	25	
7	DF	Mayuri Horikawa	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	23	
8	DF	Maho Ueno	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	23	
9	DF	Hanami Saito	Yamanashi Gakuin University	21	
10	MF	Amiru Shimada	GIFU ASAHI BLUE BEES (Affiliation:Hasetec Industries, Inc.)	27	
11	MF	Saki Tanaka	Glaxo Smith Kline Orange United	27	
12	MF	Nanako Tateiwa	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	26	
13	MF	Mei Matsunami	Yamanashi Gakuin University	22	
14	MF	Ai Hiramitsu	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	21	
15	FW	Mai Toriyama	GIFU ASAHI BLUE BEES (Affiliation:Tazawa Denzai,Co. Ltd.)	30	
16	FW	Rui Takashima	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	26	
17	FW	Shiho Kobayakawa	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	26	
18	FW	Akari Nakagomi	Coca-Cola Red Sparks	25	
19	FW	Miyu Hasegawa	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	24	
20	FW	Hiroka Murayama	Sony HC BRAVIA Ladies	22	