

Allsop chases Aussie title

HOCKEY

BUSSELTON student Keeley Allsop, 16, will be representing WA for the third time when she takes to the field at the Australian under-18 women's hockey championship.

Allsop, with fellow SWAS player Leah Hetherington, will be crossing sticks with some of the best and brightest junior hockey talents in the country when she competes for national title honours.

She said she was looking forward to learning more skills as she competed for the State and believed the cham-

pionships would provide a good opportunity to "experience how other States play".

Allsop, a striker, had previously played at the 2008 Australian under-15 championships where the team brought home gold, and also played on the under-18 team at the 2010 championship at Port Lincoln.

SWAS head hockey coach Matt Mellor congratulated Allsop on her selection and described her as a standout performer in the SWAS hockey program.

The annual contest will be held in Brisbane from April 12 to 23.