



Maddison Schussig and Khiana Shervey. Picture: CHRIS HIGGINS

Duo display fancy footwork

PENINSULA school girls Maddison Schussig and Khiana Shervey headed to the United States on July 11 to compete at the US National Futsal Championships in San Jose.

Queensland coach Tim Clark said both girls were “very attacking players” and would “definitely hold their own on the international stage”.

“We get the ball to them and they finish the job for us,” Clark, also head of futsal at Southern Cross, said.

Shervey, an “exceptional”

FAST FACTS

- Maddison Schussig, 16, is in Year 12 at Southern Cross Catholic College and lives at Burpengary
- Khiana Shervey, 16, is in Year 12 at Clontarf Beach State High School and lives at Mango Hill
- The duo was selected for Australian Futsal Association’s under-18 women’s tour during school national championships in September

player, said she was excited to play.

“I am really hoping for some fast-paced, competitive games ... I hope the girls are more competitive than in Australia and we can match up to them,” she said.

Shussig said it was a good opportunity to improve.

While in the US the girls will also compete in a tournament at Burlingamer Futsal Club in San Francisco, and will watch a Pacific Cup match.