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30 January 2025

Q2 FY25 Quarterly Activities Report, Appendix 4C EBITDA positive ahead of schedule in H1 as business momentum accelerates

BlueBet Holdings Limited (ASX:BBT) (**BlueBet** or the **Group** or the **Company**) provides its Quarterly Activities Report and Quarterly Cash Flow Report (**Appendix 4C**) for the quarter ended 31 December 2024 (**Q2 FY25** or **Q2**).

BlueBet CEO, Andrew Menz, said: "We are pleased to have outperformed our profitability target, delivering normalised EBITDA positivity for the first half-year as a combined business.

"We reached this milestone ahead of schedule through strategic customer reactivation, product and platform delivering higher margins, a strong performance during the Spring Racing Carnival and the accelerated realisation of cost and revenue synergies.

"This momentum has continued into January, as we continue to focus on profitably scaling the business through organic and inorganic growth. Our market-leading product, experienced team, and ready-to-execute M&A playbook remain key strategic differentiators for us."

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About BlueBet (ASX:BBT)

BlueBet (ASX:BBT) is an online wagering provider listed on the Australian Securities Exchange, with operations in Australia. BlueBet is powered by a highly scalable proprietary cloud based technology platform that can also be delivered as a white-labelled technology solution for B2B partners. BlueBet's websites and apps have been developed using a mobile-first strategy, delivering a premium mobile user experience. On 1 July 2024, BlueBet merged with leading Australian online wagering company, betr, creating a major player in the Australian online wagering market. The company has a world-class board led by prominent Australian wagering industry figures Michael Sullivan and Matthew Tripp, and a highly experienced management team. From 14 August 2024, BlueBet adopted the betr brand for its Australian consumer facing operations.



Q2 FY25 Quarterly Activities Report & Appendix 4C

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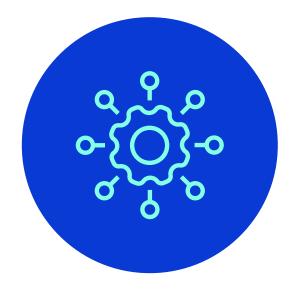
PROFIT OUTPERFORMANCE

Delivered EBITDA positive¹
half ahead of schedule
in 1H25 with accelerated
synergy gains and strong
trading performance



WINNING SPRING CARNIVAL

Trading capability and
efficient, targeted
promotions combine to
drive strong 11% Net Win
Margin



REVENUE SYNERGIES

Faster, better technology
platform and strategic
reactivation on key events
delivers significantly
improved Net Win % from
migrated betr customers



ONGOING MOMENTUM

Q2 trading momentum continues in Q3 YTD, continuing strong postmigration performance

A SUSTAINABLY PROFITABLE BUSINESS WITH ACCELERATING MOMENTUM

1H25 RECAP

Successful migration, and sustainable profitability ahead of schedule

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PREPARATION FOR MIGRATION

Legacy betr platform has ~3x higher promotional cost to reactivate than BlueBet platform

Deliberate strategy to limit inefficient spend to conserve cash

Prepare for customer migration including plan to reactivate large betr customer base with better unit economics

DRIVE INCREASED ENGAGEMENT AND MOMENTUM

Period of heavy investment to migrate betr customers to BlueBet platform and maintain strong BlueBet customer momentum

Targeted investment in retention and reactivation focused on key events in peak wagering period

Supported by highly targeted, digital-first, marketing campaign to grow awareness and protect market share

AFL & NRL FINALS SPRING RACING CARNIVAL THE EVEREST

Effective migration and stronger than expected Net Win Margin %



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EMERGING PROFITABILITY AT SCALE

Retaining valuable customers, with product enhancements and tokenisation to unlock spend efficiencies

Approaching normal run-rate marketing investment

Aggressively innovate with products customers love to increase retention

MELBOURNE CUP CARNIVAL

EBITDA positive since November and for 1H25¹



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KEY FOCUS AREAS

RESULTS

1. Including synergies, excluding one-off transaction and synergy realisation costs

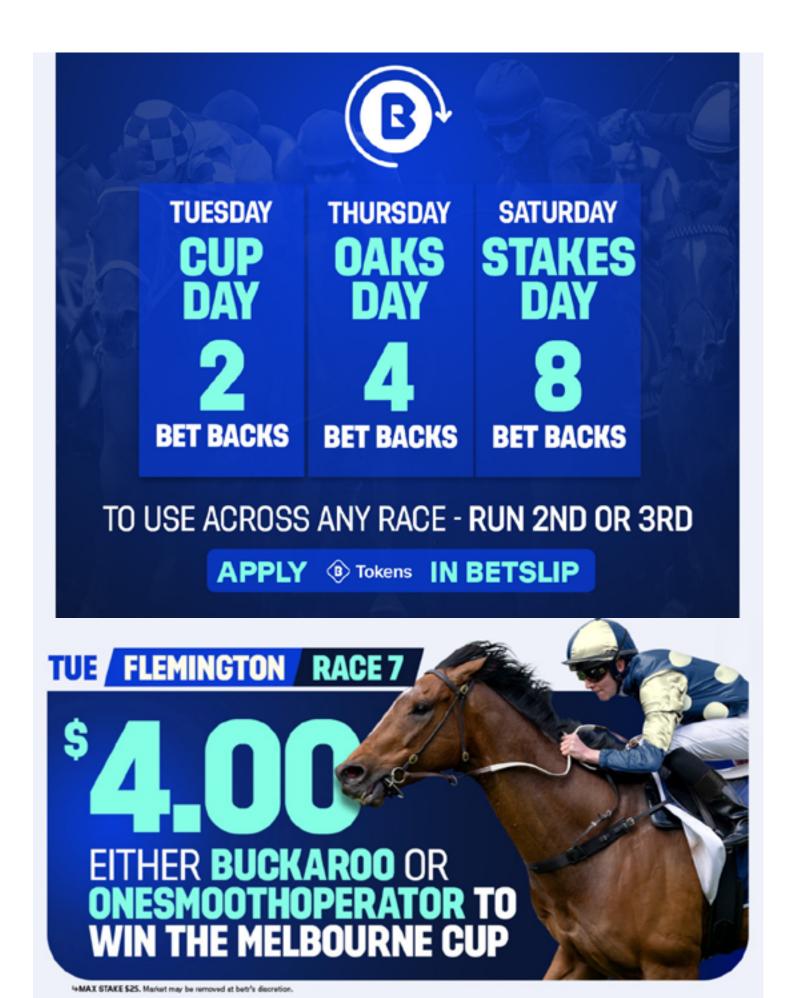
Disciplined approach delivered

improved Net Win Margin % and

improved cash position

SPRING RACING CARNIVAL

Outperformed market with strong trading performance and targeted promotions driving strong Net Win %





Melbourne Cup Carnival

16.8% Gross Win Margin (+4.6ppts above industry average¹)



Migrated betr customers in Q2²

+18.7% Net Win on Racing

+30.5% Net Win from Exotics & Multis

-14.2% promotion cost³



2. Individual customers' activity on the legacy betr platform in Q2 FY24 (October - December 2023) compared to the same customers' activity in Q2 FY25 (October - December 2024) on BlueBet technology and trading excluding outliers

3. Generosity cost as a percentage of Gross Win



FIRST FULL QUARTER ON NEW PLATFORM

Faster, better platform provides revenue synergies through enhanced sport product mix and promotional efficiency

CASE STUDY:

SPORT MULTIS AND SAME GAME MULTIS¹

+38%

Turnover per Active

BETTER PRODUCT, SPEED AND EASE OF USE



+8pp

Gross
Win margin

BETTER MARKETS,
PRICING AND TRADING



-43%

promotion cost²

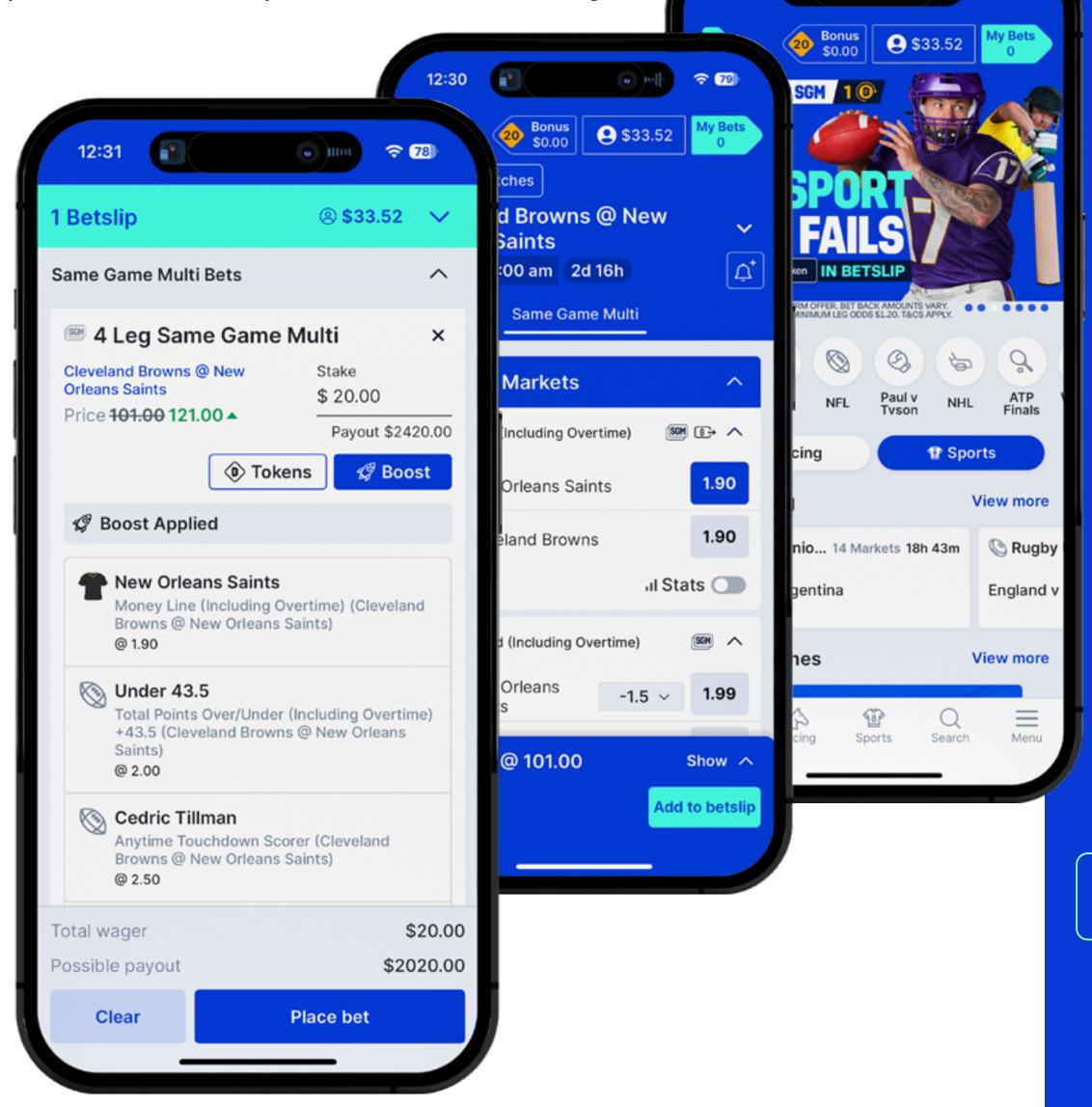
BETTER GENEROSITY
PERSONALISATION AND
DISTRIBUTION



= +271% NET WIN

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Q2 KEY METRICS AND FINANCIALS

KEY TRADING METRICS – Q2 FY25

EBITDA positive¹ half delivered ahead of schedule, driven by strong Gross Win Margin and efficient conversion to Net Win

	Q2 FY25	Q2 FY24	CHANGE
Turnover	\$357.0m	\$154.8m	131%
Gross Win Margin %	14.6%	13.7%	+1.1pp
Gross Win	\$52.2m	\$21.2m	146%
Net Win Margin %	11.0%	10.5%	+0.5pp
Net Win	\$39.2m	\$16.2m	142%

YTD FY25	YTD FY24	CHANGE
.	<u> </u>	
\$645.1m	\$298.7m	116%
14.2%	13.4%	+0.8pp
\$91.3m	\$40.0m	128%
10.4%	10.3%	+0.1pp
\$67.4m	\$30.7m	120%

- Record quarterly Gross Win Margin with favourable racing results complementing our structural margin advantages of product mix and trading capability
- Normalised EBITDA positive¹ for the half with the strategic reactivation of the betr database and personalised promotions contributing to an attractive normalised Net Win margin of 10.8%²
- 144,697 Cash Active³ clients
 (+20% vs previous quarter)
 affirms continued opportunity
 from ongoing Actives growth
 while preserving Net Win margin

^{1.} Including synergies, excluding one-off transaction and synergy realisation costs

^{2.} Excluding the Net Win impact (\$0.85m) of one-off, migration-related generosity

^{3.} Customers that have placed a cash bet in the 12 months to 31 December 2024. Note: betr customers that did not previously hold a BlueBet account are excluded unless they have placed a cash bet since 1 July 2024. This measure will therefore be a conservative indication of the Company's active customers until 30 June 2025

SUMMARY OF QUARTERLY CASH FLOWS

Cash position in line with expectations, on track to be cashflow positive from H2

Q2 CASH FLOW HIGHLIGHTS



- Closing Cash balance at the end of December 2024 was \$17.7m and includes
 Client balances of \$12.0m
- Net Cash used from Operating Activities for the Australian business (inclusive of Corporate) was \$0.5m with cash outflows in the US of \$1.5m
- Advertising and marketing for Australia was \$7.0 million, reflecting the peak acquisition period for the year
- Investments of \$0.7m reflects the final contract payments of acquired liabilities from betr
- Payments for intangibles of \$0.8m represents capitalised platform development
- Transaction costs of \$0.4m represents final fees paid to advisers and stamp duty

\$000's	Q2 FY25
Cash flows from operating activities	
Receipts from customers (Client deposits)	124,153.3
Payments to customers (Client withdrawals)	(86,819.7)
Payments to suppliers and employees (inclusive of GST)	(39,172.2)
	(1,837.6)
Interest received	13.7
Interest and other finance costs paid	(260.8)
Income taxes refunded / (paid)	_
Net cash from operating activities	(2,085.7)
Cash flows from investing activities	
Payments for property, plant and equipment	(32.7)
Investments	(743.6)
Payments for intangibles	(824.7)
Net cash used in investing activities	(1,601.00)
Cash flows from financing activities	
Transaction costs	(444.1)
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Net cash from/(used in) financing activities	(444.1)
Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents	(4,130.80)
Cash and cash equivalents at the beginning of the quarter	21,770.3
Effects of exchange rate changes on cash and cash equivalents	73.1
Cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter	17,712.6



IN CONCLUSION

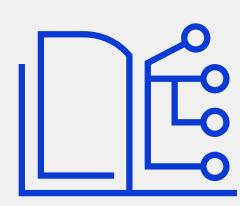
A much larger, profitable and Australia focused operator with a clear pathway to further scale



Tier 1 product

resonating with target customers and providing a platform for ongoing innovation

We provide brilliant customer experiences



Net Win optimised with market-leading data models, personalisation engine, CRM and account management

We grow value



Significant experience

in strategically activating the customer base for profitable growth

We know what works



Ready to go 'playbook'

to drive further consolidation in the fragmented wagering market

We can move fast



THESE DIFFERENTIATORS UNDERPIN OUR CONFIDENCE IN ACHIEVING 10%+ MARKET SHARE THROUGH ORGANIC AND INORGANIC GROWTH

Appendix

RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Payments of \$0.4m for Salaries and Wages (inclusive of Superannuation and applicable taxes withheld) of Executive and Non-Executive Director Fees on normal commercial terms





Appendix 4C

Quarterly cash flow report for entities subject to Listing Rule 4.7B

Name of entity

BlueBet Holdings Limited

ABN

Quarter ended ("current quarter")

19 647 124 641

31st December 2024

Con	solidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
1.	Cash flows from operating activities		
1.1	Receipts from customers ¹	124,153.3	218,727.7
1.2	Payments for		
	(a) research and development		
	(b) product manufacturing and operating costs ²	(19,753.6)	(30,356.0)
	(c) advertising and marketing	(7,028.7)	(9,885.5)
	(d) leased assets ³	(412.6)	(1,171.8)
	(e) staff costs	(5,868.8)	(11,213.0)
	(f) administration and corporate costs ⁴	(6,108.5)	(10,645.7)
1.3	Dividends received (see note 3)		
1.4	Interest received	13.7	111.3
1.5	Interest and other costs of finance paid ⁵	(260.8)	(743.1)
1.6	Income taxes paid		
1.7	Government grants and tax incentives		
1.8	Other – Payments to customers ⁶	(86,819.7)	(159,032.1)
1.9	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities	(2,085.7)	(4,208.2)

¹ Reflects customer deposits during the period.

² Reflects Cost of Sales.

Represents repayments of lease liabilities per AASB 16 "Leases" accounting standard..

⁴ Includes GST collected & paid relating to Australian Net Win.

⁵ Represents interest costs of lease liabilities per AASB 16 "Leases" accounting standard.

Reflects customer withdrawals during the period. Note Net Win is derived from 1.1 & 1.8, less changes in customer balances. Net Win is identified separately in the accompanying presentation.

Con	solidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
2.	Cash flows from investing activities		
2.1	Payments to acquire or for:		
	(a) entities		
	(b) businesses ⁷	(743.6)	1,168.9
	(c) property, plant and equipment	(32.7)	(36.8)
	(d) investments		
	(e) intellectual property ⁸	(824.7)	(2,665.2)
	(f) other non-current assets		
2.2	Proceeds from disposal of:		
	(a) entities		
	(b) businesses		
	(c) property, plant and equipment		
	(d) investments		
	(e) intellectual property		
	(f) other non-current assets		
2.3	Cash flows from loans to other entities		
2.4	Dividends received (see note 3)		
2.5	Other (provide details if material)		
2.6	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities	(1,601.0)	(1,533.1)

⁷ Includes \$11.7m of Client Balances of NTD Pty Ltd, as at 30 June 2024, transferred to BlueBet Pty Ltd.

⁸ Includes capitalised website & app development costs.

3.	Cash flows from financing activities	
3.1	Proceeds from issues of equity securities (excluding convertible debt securities)	
3.2	Proceeds from issue of convertible debt securities	
3.3	Proceeds from exercise of options	
3.4	Transaction costs related to issues of equity securities or convertible debt securities ⁹	(444.1)
3.5	Proceeds from borrowings	
3.6	Repayment of borrowings	

⁸ Relates to the purchase of Assets of NTD Pty Ltd on 1 July 2024

Cons	solidated statement of cash flows	Current quarter \$A'000	Year to date (6 months) \$A'000
3.7	Transaction costs related to loans and borrowings		
3.8	Dividends paid		
3.9	Other bonds paid for new office premises		
3.10	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities	(444.1)	(2,941.3)

4.	Net increase / (decrease) in cash and cash equivalents for the period		
4.1	Cash and cash equivalents at beginning of period	21,770.3	26,008.1
4.2	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9 above)	(2,085.7)	(4,208.2)
4.3	Net cash from / (used in) investing activities (item 2.6 above)	(1,601.0)	(1,533.1)
4.4	Net cash from / (used in) financing activities (item 3.10 above)	(444.1)	(2,941.3)
4.5	Effect of movement in exchange rates on cash held	73.1	387.1
4.6	Cash and cash equivalents at end of period	17,712.6	17,712.6

5.	Reconciliation of cash and cash equivalents at the end of the quarter (as shown in the consolidated statement of cash flows) to the related items in the accounts	Current quarter \$A'000	Previous quarter \$A'000
5.1	Bank balances	17,712.4	21,770.1
5.2	Call deposits		
5.3	Bank overdrafts		
5.4	Other (cash on hand)	0.2	0.2
5.5	Cash and cash equivalents at end of quarter (should equal item 4.6 above)	17,712.6	21,770.3

6.	Payments to related parties of the entity and their associates	Current quarter \$A'000
6.1	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 1	365.9
6.2	Aggregate amount of payments to related parties and their associates included in item 2	

Note: if any amounts are shown in items 6.1 or 6.2, your quarterly activity report must include a description of, and an explanation for, such payments.

During the quarter, the company made payments to Executive & Non-Executive Directors relating to Salaries & Wages (inclusive of superannuation and applicable taxes withheld) and Directors Fees on normal commercial terms.

7.	Financing facilities Note: the term "facility' includes all forms of financing arrangements available to the entity. Add notes as necessary for an understanding of the sources of finance available to the entity.	Total facility amount at quarter end \$A'000	Amount drawn at quarter end \$A'000
7.1	Loan facilities		
7.2	Credit standby arrangements	360.0	120.1
7.3	Other (please specify)		
7.4	Total financing facilities	360.0	120.1
7.5	Unused financing facilities available at qu	uarter end	239.9
7.6	Include in the box below a description of each facility above, including the lender, interest rate, maturity date and whether it is secured or unsecured. If any additional financing facilities have been entered into or are proposed to be entered into after quarter end, include a note providing details of those facilities as well.		
	NAB Corporate Credit Card Facilities \$110,000 Limit. Interest rate: 18.5% p.a.		
	American Express Corporate Charge Card \$250,000 Limit. Interest rate: 3% on any overdue amount		te: 3% on any

8.	Estimated cash available for future operating activities	\$A'000
8.1	Net cash from / (used in) operating activities (item 1.9)	(2,085.7)
8.2	Cash and cash equivalents at quarter end (item 4.6)	17,712.6
8.3	Unused finance facilities available at quarter end (item 7.5)	239.9
8.4	Total available funding (item 8.2 + item 8.3)	17,952.5
8.5	Estimated quarters of funding available (item 8.4 divided by item 8.1)	8.6

Note: if the entity has reported positive net operating cash flows in item 1.9, answer item 8.5 as "N/A". Otherwise, a figure for the estimated quarters of funding available must be included in item 8.5.

8.6 If item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters, please provide answers to the following questions:

8.6.1 Does the entity expect that it will continue to have the current level of net operating cash flows for the time being and, if not, why not?

Answer:	 	

8.6.2 Has the entity taken any steps, or does it propose to take any steps, to raise further cash to fund its operations and, if so, what are those steps and how likely does it believe that they will be successful?

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Answer:		

8.6.3 Does the entity expect to be able to continue its operations and to meet its business objectives and, if so, on what basis?

Answer:

Note: where item 8.5 is less than 2 quarters, all of questions 8.6.1, 8.6.2 and 8.6.3 above must be answered.

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- 2 This statement gives a true and fair view of the matters disclosed.

Date: 29/01/2025

Authorised by: Board of Directors

(Name of body or officer authorising release – see note 4)

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