



WYVERN SPORT TERM 3 – Week 3, 2017

Round 10 Saturday Winter Sport (Final Round) – Saturday 5 August, 2017

The winter sport fixtures for 2017 are available on Newington Spaces.

Please remember that on occasions these fixtures are subject to change, so always refer to the weekly sports draw to get the most up-to-date details regarding the weekends round of matches.

2017 Newington Prep Inter-House Athletics Carnival Report

Wednesday 26th July saw 487 Prep boys from Lindfield and Wyvern descend on Sydney Olympic Park Athletics Centre prepared for a day of fierce competition! With bright blue skies and a handy tail wind blowing through the 100m straight it was perfect conditions to race, jump and throw! The earliest arrivals were the 800m runners who were warmed up and ready to earn the first points of the day. It was clear from the outset that it was going to be a day of brilliant individual efforts and tight house competition.

The Junior 800m event saw Sam Chittendon take home the first points of the morning for Coates. He was closely followed by Chris Munckton – 2nd and Bowen Keegan – 3rd. Next up was the 11 years 800m where Finn Wicks blitzed the field winning by almost 10 seconds with a time of 2:34:96. Arlo Merewether was next across the line in 2nd, setting up a brilliant rivalry for age champion that was carried throughout the carnival. Edward Wadland crossed just before twin Harrison to take out 3rd place. Charlie Burt continued his 800m form from 2016 in the 12 years 800m finishing 1st. The battle for second looked as if it was settled at the 700m mark before Finn Dundon came flying up the straight to steal 2nd place with 10m to go, placing Matthew Torrible 3rd. With the first 3 wins going to 3 different houses, the competitive spirit of many of the boys was well and truly alight.

All of the boys were then taken onto the track as the shotput, discus, long jump, 100m & 200m sprint events occurred on a rotational basis to ensure that each boy got a chance to compete in each event. The 100m and 200m events were compulsory and each boy was given two chances in each field event before finalists received a third attempt. The boys moved around in House groups with boys from Lindfield and Wyvern spending the day grouped together to form friendships and experience a sense of inter-school competition.

Shot Put – The 8/9 Years Shot Put was won with a monster, record breaking throw from Hamish Johnston landing the shot at 7.19m! In further demonstrations of strength from the youngest competitors of the day Jed Robertson -2nd and Rushabh Gandhi 3rd filled the podium. The Under 10 Boys continued the theme of huge throws with Daniel Muir narrowly beating Joshua Elghitany by 9cm to take first place with a 8.46m throw. Mika Koskela and Finn Dauphinee both threw 6.73m to share 3rd place. The 11 years event saw the jump from a 2kg to the 3kg shot but the distances continued to be extended with James Fergusson winning with a 8.51m throw. Arlo Merewether - 2nd and Jake Ryan – 3rd both cleared 8m easily also. The 12 Years Shot Put was the closest age group with only 4cm separating 1st and 2nd place! In huge displays of strength and determination, Xavier Borralho inched past Lipina Ata with the boys throwing 9.68m and 9.64m respectively. Oscar Martins scored third place in an all Wyvern Podium!

Discus – Following his outstanding shot put efforts, Hamish Johnston shone again winning the 8/9 Years Discus with a brilliant throw of 19.27m, almost 4 metres ahead of Patrick Jones 2nd and Henry Bruhn 3rd. Samuel Walker's throw was the first of the day to clear 20 meters with a 20.56m throw to win the 10 Years event. James Rodgers and Benjamin Burshtein were just short of the 20m mark placing 2nd and 3rd. The under 11's event was won by Charlie Roberts throwing the 750g discus 18.79m, 2nd place went to Arlo Merewether and 3rd to Hugo Ryan. Xavier Borralho also continued his brilliant throwing form from shot put, sending the discus flying 22.54m to win the 12 years event with Eric Carney and Charlie Foster throwing just past the 20m line for second and third places.

Long Jump – Liam Casey demonstrated his speed on the runway to the pit before launching himself 3.72m to win the 8/9 years long jump. Maks Saravanja and Conor Roche both sailed through the air to take the second and third place points home for Kingswood. In the Under 10's, speed was once again the driving force for a brilliant take off from Sam Chittendon to jump 3.86m for a convincing 30cm win with Toby Cameron-Tavendale and Jasen Begetis taking out second and third. The 11 Years event saw Finn Wicks jump 3.85m for first place, with second going to Arlo Merewether and Harrison Wadland in third. The under 12's event was a super close affair with only 3cm separating 1st and 2nd, and 8cm between second and third. Finn Dundon snuck just ahead of Hugo McGann to steal 1st place with a 4.10m jump, Hugo second and Oscar Burshtein in third.



High Jump – The High Jump Finals were completed at school in the lead up to the carnival.

Congratulations to the following boys who placed in age group.

9 Years – 1st Maks Saravanja (1.20m), 2nd Lachlan Sutton, 3rd James Hoskins

10 Years – 1st Jack Mannix (1.17m), 2nd Jason Begetis, 3rd Christopher Munckton

11 Years – 1st Matias Barrington-Higgs (1.35m), 2nd Finn Wicks, 3rd Charlie Roberts

12 Years – 1st Matthew Torrible (1.37m), 2nd Charlie Foster, 3rd Finn Dundon

Track Finals – A huge morning of racing (84 heats in total!), the 12 fastest boys in the 100m and 200m events gathered to determine the champion runners for 2017. From the 8 years boys up to the 12 years boys the finals were all tight races with the finish line officials left thankful for the photo finish!

The 8 years 100m saw Lionel Falk-Brown cross the line in 17.25 seconds with Conor Roche 2nd and Remi Jacobs 3rd hot on his heels. In the 9 years Liam Casey flew down the track to win by half a second with a time of 15.71 seconds ahead of James Hoskins 2nd and Maks Saravanja. Sam Chittendon led the 10 years boys over the line and was unlucky not to break 15 seconds finishing with a time of 15.02 seconds. He was followed by Toby Cameron-Tavendale 2nd and Mackenzie Fraser-Weaver 3rd. The 11 years race saw Finn Wicks take the win with a time of 14.61 seconds. He was pushed the whole time by Arlo Merewether right on his tale and Charlie Roberts just behind him in 3rd. The 12 years final saw the boys coming down the track at blistering speed with 1st and 2nd 1/100th of a second apart as they crossed the line! Charles Brown crossed at 14.29 with Charlie Burt almost beside him at 14.30. Finn Dundon took out 3rd.

The 200m Finals then followed with the competitive spirit of the boys evident in their drive and focus. The first final was the 8/9 Years race with the results mirroring the 100m Final. First place to Liam Casey, 2nd James Hoskins and 3rd Maks Saravanja. In the 10 years event, Sam Chittendon bettered his qualifying time by more than half a second to finish almost 2 seconds ahead of the pack. 2nd place went to Toby Cameron-Tavendale and 3rd to Ted Goldsmith. Finn Wicks was the star of the 11 years event, also winning by almost 2 seconds with a time of 29.88 seconds. Arlo Merewether and Charlie Roberts finished 2nd and 3rd. After such a close

100m Final all eyes were on the finish line for the 12 years 200m Final. Charlie Burt crossed 1st at 29.44 seconds, Charles Brown 2nd and Finn Dundon 3rd.

The final events of the day were the 4 x 100m relays and despite being exhausted at the end of a huge day of competition, the boys chosen to represent each house in both the junior and senior relays did not disappoint with records falling in both events! The junior relay runners ran first with a grandstand full of cheering from all houses! Coates came out of the last bend first and were too quick for anyone to catch finishing in a record time of 1:04.49 with Kingswood in 2nd and Howe in 3rd. The Senior Boy's relay set the stadium alight with the Kingswood and Rydal boys running well ahead of the record time the whole way around the track! As the Kingswood team finished, the clock showed a 3 second improvement on the old record at 58.67 seconds with Rydal finishing in 59.13 seconds and Coates in 3rd place at 1:03.05.

The anticipation could almost be tasted in the air as the boys eagerly awaited the announcement of the winning house! Congratulations to Kingswood who take home the trophy for 2017! The day was characterised by good sportsmanship and striving from success from the 8 year old competitor's right up to the oldest boys. Each boy should be proud of their efforts and be looking forward to the opportunity to challenge their results in 2018!

The full results can be seen in the table below.

Wyvern Athletics Team for IPSHA 2017

Remi Jacobe, Lionel Falk-Brown, Alexander Fulton, Vasili Tzouganatos, Liam Casey, James Hoskins, Aiden Li, Lachlan Sutton, Jasen Begetis, Ted Goldsmith, Sam Chittendon, Hadi Beydoun, Henry Alexander, Sebastian Reinitz, Daniel Muir, Joshua Elghitany, Sam Walker, Arlo Merewether, Charlie Roberts, Preston Leadon, Edward Wadland, Vasili Filippatos, Thomas Blanken, Oscar Martins, Matthew Torrible, Ryan Lei, Matthew Torrible, Jasper Walsh, Xavier Borralho, Lipina Ata, Hugo McGann

Invitationals Only

Oscar Burshtein, Mason Fadel, James Rodgers, Eric Carney, Harrison Wadland, Lucas Pollard



ATHLETICS RESULTS 2017

POINT SCORING

Final Placing's	Houses	Final Scores (adjusted)
1	KINGSWOOD	322 (4.47)
2	COATES	238 (2.64)
3	HOWE	152 (1.81)
4	RYDAL	126 (1.80)
5	WILLIAMS	136 (1.68)
6	LUCAS	118 (1.42)

AGE CHAMPIONS

Group	Age Champion	Runner Up
8/9 yrs	Maks Saravanja (32 points)	Liam Casey (30 points)
10 yrs	Sam Chittendon (40 points)	Tobias Cameron-Tavendale (26 points)
11 yrs	Arlo Merewether (50 points)	Finn Wicks (48 points)
12 yrs	Finn Dundon (36 points)	Charlie Burt (28 points)

Tennis - Newington Inter-House Tennis Singles Championship

This year the Newington Preparatory Schools' Inter-House Tennis Singles Championship will be held on Saturday 9 September at the Newington Senior School tennis courts (8:00am – 12:00pm). This tennis championship is open to all boys in Years 3-6 from both the Wyvern and Lindfield campuses. However, numbers participating in this competition will be restricted.

Entry: Any boys who wish to compete in this 'Open' competition must first check with their parents and then they need to follow directions which can be found on Spaces (Link below)
<https://spaces.newington.nsw.edu.au/wyvern/sport/articles/8447-tennis-entry-form-newington-preparatory-schools-inter-house-tennis-championships>

An email must then be sent to Mr Wilson by Monday 28 August to indicate your son's availability for the event. Please remember that the Championship is a Saturday morning. A final confirmation of entry will be sent home prior to the event to notify the boys who are required to play. Unfortunately not all entries can be successful and preference will be given to boys in the higher grades.

Uniform and Equipment: Boys will be required to wear House polo shirt, shorts & runners as well as provide their own tennis racquet.

Format: There will be a round robin competition to begin with. Boys will play 5 x 10 minute matches with the number of games won recorded. The winner of the most games in each pool will progress to the knockout draw to determine an overall singles champion and runner up.

The standard of competition will be challenging and it should be an absorbing battle to see which House will be the Champion House for 2017 and who will be this year's individual tennis champion.

Newington Inter-House Biathlon

The Newington Preparatory Schools' Inter-House Biathlon will be held on Saturday 9 September at the Newington Senior School pool (7:00am start). It involves a 400m swim followed by a 1600m run.

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Wyvern Summer Inter-House Competition Years 3-6

Over the next 3 – 4 weeks during sport time on a Monday or Wednesday afternoon, the boys in Years 3 – 6 will be competing in a series of Inter-House sport matches. Sports that will be played include: rugby, football, AFL, cricket, basketball and tennis. Rules are modified for the safety and enjoyment of all the boys and at the conclusion we will be able to determine who our winning House teams are in each sport for 2017. The boys will not be required to bring in equipment apart from their PE uniform and House coloured polo shirt.

- House Comp 1** – Wed 9 August
- House Comp 2** – Wed 6 August
- House Comp 3** – Mon 21 August
- House Comp 4** – Wed 23 August
- House Comp 5** – Mon 28 August
- House Comp 6** – Wed 30 August



Winter Sport Awards Assembly

This year our Winter Sports Awards Assembly will be held on Friday 15 September. It will commence at 9.00am and conclude around 10.30am at the New Gym, Taylor Sport Centre at the senior school campus. Letters will be sent home prior to the assembly informing parents if their child will be receiving an award. Parents are welcome to attend.

Flyers

The following flyers are available on Newington Spaces and can also be collected from the display unit near the front office.

- Swim Squad T3

Shining Stars

- If your son has had some successful sporting achievements outside of school, I would love to hear from you. They can be shared with the Wyvern community through this “Shining Stars” section of the Wyvern.

Coming Up

- Saturday 5 August – Last round Winter Sport
- Monday 8 August – No Sport Training
- Wednesday 10 August – K-2 Athletics Carnival
- Wednesday 10 August – Round 1 Inter-House Matches
- Saturday 12 August – South Harbour Invitational Athletics Carnival (selected students)
- Saturday 19 August – Newington Invitational Athletics Carnival (selected students)
- Friday 25 August – The Southport School QLD Rugby and Football matches (12A teams)
- Tuesday 29 August – IPSHA Athletics Carnival (selected students)
- Friday 15 September - Winter Sports Awards Assembly (9.00am New Gym, Taylor Sports Centre)

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