



## WYVERN SPORT TERM 3 - WEEK 1, 2013

### NEWINGTON COMBINED PREPARATORY SCHOOLS' ATHLETICS CARNIVAL: SOPAC - HOMEBUSH

This year the Newington Preparatory Schools' Primary Athletics Carnival will be held on Monday 5 August at the Sydney Olympic Park Athletic Centre at Homebush.

### PLEASE TAKE SPECIAL NOTE OF THE BUS DEPARTURE TIMES BELOW

**7:15am:** Wyvern students competing in 800m finals leave on Bus 1

**7:50am:** All remaining students arrive for roll call.

**8:00AM SHARP:** Remaining buses depart with all other students in Years 3 - 6

### APPROXIMATE TIMING OF ATHLETICS PROGRAM EVENTS

#### 8:00am - 800m Events

8/9 years event (Final)

10 years event (Final)

11 years event (Final)

12 years event (Final)

#### 8:45am – Field Event Rotation 1

Shot Put A & B - 12 years

Discus A & B - 11 years

Long Jump A & B - 10 years

Turbo Javelin A & B - 9 years

100/200m event: - 8 years

#### 9:30am – Field Event Rotation 2

Shot Put A & B - 8 years

Discus A & B - 12 years

Long Jump A & B - 11 years

Turbo Javelin A & B - 10 years

100/200m event - 9 years

#### 10:15am – Field Event Rotation 3

Shot Put A & B - 9 years

Discus A & B - 8 years

Long Jump A & B - 12 years

Turbo Javelin A & B - 11 years

100/200m event - 10 years

#### 11:00am – Field Event Rotation 4

Shot Put A & B - 10 years

Discus A & B - 9 years

Long Jump A & B - 8 years

Turbo Javelin A & B - 12 years

100/200m event - 11 years

#### 11:45am – Field Event Rotation 5

Shot Put A & B - 11 years

Discus A & B - 10 years

Long Jump A & B - 9 years

Turbo Javelin A & B - 8 years

100/200m event - 12 years

**12:20pm**

100m finals 8/9/10 years

100m finals 11/12 years

**12:45pm**

200m finals 8-12 years

**1:15pm**

**Relays**

**2:00pm**

**Presentations of trophies**

The first events will be the 800m finals and they will commence at 8:00am which is earlier than in previous years.

**Students selected in the finals for the 800m events will need to arrive at school at 7:00am to catch the bus at 7:15am.**

**All parents may drive their children directly to the carnival provided they notify their classroom teacher and Mr Wilson beforehand by Friday 2 August in the morning.**

**STUDENTS NOT IN 800M FINAL WILL BE LEAVING SCHOOL ON THE BUSES AT 8:00AM SHARP**

Upon arrival at the carnival all children arriving by private transport will need to report to Mr Wilson to have their names marked off the roll.

**Parents may also take their children home from ES Marks at the conclusion of the carnival provided they notify their child's classroom teacher beforehand.**

**NEWINGTON VICTORY IN PAUL KELLY CUP AFL SWANS ZONE STATE FINALS AT SCG**

Last term our Paul Kelly Cup AFL side competed against the best schools in the State to win the Swans Zone State Finals at the SCG. The boys were all very excited about this opportunity to not only play on the SCG but to meet some of the AFL stars from the Swans. After proceeding through their pool undefeated against teams from Mittagong, St John the Baptist and Lilli Pilli, the boys played a gripping Semi Final against Gerringong. Despite being behind at half time the boys rallied to finish strongly and win. The Grand Final against arch rivals Harbord was a desperate match. Previously in the regional finals these two teams had met and Newington were victorious by a mere 3 points. On this occasion the Newington boys were not going to be denied and they finished the Gala Day full of running to take out the title.

Following the match former Swan Head coach Paul Roos ran out to congratulate the boys and join in the celebration.

A great day was had by all and it was capped off by having the boys team photo and names lit up on the giant SCG scoreboard congratulating them on their victory.

Congratulations Lucas Dorrell, Joshua Macdessi, Aaron Hawkes, Tim Pritchard, Tom Ball, Marc Mardini, Ben Gill, Luca Vasiliou, Kieran Corcoran, Perry May, Dan Loveridge, Ronan Armstrong, Sami El-Zein, Ned Barnett, Tom Marchese

### **FUTSAL**

At the conclusion of Term 2, Wyvern had 2 FUTSAL teams travel to Menai Indoor Sports Centre. The teams were selected from Y5 and Y6 students to compete in the NSW Primary School FUTSAL Competition. Under the guidance of Mr Pollard the boys had been training hard to ensure a competitive showing at the championships. Team red began the day slowly, but earned a deserved win in their second match of the day. Unfortunately the boys lost the third game and failed to progress to the finals. Ben Leung received many accolades when he replaced Wyvern Red's injured goalie with outstanding results. Team Blue started with a loss but improved throughout the day to have 2 wins before making the semifinals. Unfortunately the boys were beaten in the semi-final and did not progress further. Sami El-Zein and Tim Pritchard were both exceptional for the Blue team throughout the day. Well done to all the boys who represented Wyvern with sportsmanship and passion.

Team Red- Adam Tamerji, Thomas McCoubrie, Ben Leung, Chris Ianuzzi, Mark Elwaw, Lewis Barnes, Sami Bencsik, Myles Burke

Team Blue- Henry Cain, Tim Pritchard, Jonathan Motosos, Sami El-Zein, Alex Solomou, Jackson Sumich, Ethan Kelly, Philip Gorgovski

### **NSWPSSA CROSS COUNTRY – BILI ROBERTSON**

Bili Robertson will be competing in the NSWPSSA Cross Country Carnival at Eastern Creek on Friday. After finishing 1<sup>st</sup> in his age division at the CIS carnival he is determined to do well and has been training hard for the upcoming event. We wish Bili all the best for his race.

### **SYDNEY INTERSCHOOL SNOW SPORTS CHAMPIONSHIPS**

During the third week of the holidays a team of 26 boys from all three Newington campuses sent a team down to the Sydney Inter-schools Snowsports Championships at Thredbo.

The boys competed in several disciplines across both Snowboarding and Skiing including downhill racing, moguls and downhill cross racing. Despite the fact that the College's team was relatively small compared to many of the other representatives on the mountain, the boys competed with pride, vigour and enthusiasm which did themselves and the

College proud. In terms of results, our Secondary Snowboarders finished 4th overall, our Secondary Skiers finished 9th whilst our Primary Skiers finished 6th. Particular mention must go to Flynn Gannon (W4) who took home two gold medals in his Snowboarding events and Jonathan Sharpe (S7) who achieved a bronze.

The following boys in the team also finished in the top ten of their events and therefore have qualified for the State Championships, to be held at Perisher in late August: Victor Magiros (S10), Cameron Kirk (S9), Eden Bradford (S8), Jonathan Sharpe (S7), Sam Martin (W5), Alex Woolley (L6), Josh Billingham (W5), Tom Billingham (W4) and Flynn Gannon (W4).

### **SWIMMING SQUAD**

Swim squad on Tuesday and Thursday mornings in Term 3 will commence next week. Positions are still available for boys in Years 3-6.

Parents need to fill out the permission note (accessible on Newington Spaces, Wyvern Sport Extra Activities page) and return with payment to the front office prior to commencing the first session.

**Commences: Tuesday 23 July**

**Final session: Thursday 12 September**

No swim squad on Tuesday 27 August due to IPSHA Athletics Carnival

No swim squad on Thursday 5 September due to Yr 5 Camp in Bathurst

### **FLYERS**

The following flyers can be collected from the display unit near the front office.

- Term 3 Swim Squad
- Basketball Skills

### **SHINING STARS**

- During the holidays several Newington boys represented Hunters Hill Rugby Club on a week-long French Rugby Camp in Treviso, Italy. Of the 7 boys who attended from Newington, 2 are currently from Wyvern, 4 are ex-Wyvern students and 1 is an ex-Lindfield student.

Tom Marchese (Wyvern)

Ben Higgins (Wyvern)

Aiden Fisher (Newington) Yr7

Lachie Fisher (Newington) Yr 8

Massimo Marchese (Newington) Yr 8

Zak Knight (Newington) Yr 8

Michael Knox (Newington) Yr 8

At this rugby camp there were 120 boys aged 8-16 years from Italy, France, Spain and Australia. The boys lived on campus for 6 days where they trained 5 hours a day under French Coaches directed by Pierre Villapreux (famous French Rugby player in the 70's who pioneered "running rugby" in France).

On the last days they played a test match - Italy vs Australia. The National Anthems were sung with full gusto and the match was fought out in true test match fashion! Australia ran out winners 25-5 with the boys displaying a great combination of Aussie physicality with the newly learnt "French running rugby" skills!

Wyvern parent Eugene Marchese coordinated the trip and received many compliments from all of the coaches and camp organisers regarding the boys' politeness and excellent behaviour.

- 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**

- Friday 19 July – NSWPSA Cross Country (Bili Robertson)
- Saturday 20 July – Round 7 winter sport
- Monday 5 August – Newington Prep Athletics Carnival at SOPAC (Homebush for all students)
- Saturday 17 August – Newington Invitation Athletics Carnival (SOPAC for selected students)
- Tuesday 20 – Thursday 22 August – NSWPSA Rugby Champs (Lucas Dorrell, Finn Walsh)
- Saturday 24 August – South Harbour Athletics Invitation (Narrabeen for selected students)
- Wednesday 28 August – IPSHA Athletics Carnival at SOPAC (Homebush for selected students)

#### **Neil Brunton**

Newington College – Wyvern Sportsmaster