



WYVERN SPORT TERM 3 - WEEK 3, 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 in time to catch the bus at 7:00am.

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 7:30AM 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 SOPAC at the conclusion of the carnival provided they notify their child's classroom teacher beforehand.

ATHLETICS CARNIVAL PARKING

Parents please note that parking is available at Sydney Olympic Park Athletics Centre in the Aquatic Centre car park. There is a flat rate of \$14 for the day. Tickets may need to get validated on the day and this will be explained at the Carnival itself.

NSWPSSA CROSS COUNTRY - BILI ROBERTSON

Congratulations to Bili Robertson who finished 3rd in the NSWPSSA Cross Country Carnival at Eastern Creek. This was an outstanding effort against the best runners in the state for his age group. We are all very proud of Bili.

WINTER SPORT AWARDS ASSEMBLY

This year our winter sports awards assembly will be held on Friday 13 September in Wyvern Hall at 1.30pm. Letters will be sent home prior to the assembly informing parents if their child will be receiving an award. Parents are welcome to attend.

NEWINGTON AFL AUSKICK PROGRAM

Commencing this Friday 2 August, Wyvern will once again be offering students from Kindergarten to Year 6 the opportunity to participate in an AFL AUSKICK program over 6 weeks after school at Stanmore Public School.

This program will be organised and run by the NSWACT AFL staff.

Participating students will be walked down the road to Stanmore Public School after school each Friday afternoon but parents will be expected to pick their children up promptly at 4:30pm from Stanmore Public School at the conclusion of each session.

Flyers have been sent home and are also available on Spaces. If you would like your son to participate in this program please refer to the information on Spaces and register online:

www.aflauskick.com.au

Enter postcode 2048 and select 'Newington College AFL Auskick Centre – After School'

Enquiries:

Contact Ryan Silvester at

ryan.silvester@aflnswact.com.au

Or

Phone: 0401 819 660

FLYERS

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

- Newington AFL AUSKICK program after school Friday during Term 3
- Swim Squad
- Basketball Skills

SHINING STARS

- **Timothy Pritchard Selected in NSW U13 Hockey Squad.**

Timothy Pritchard (Year 6) plays club hockey for Glebe and was selected into the U13 Sydney representative team for 2013. During the recent school holidays, Hockey NSW held the U13 Boys State Championships over three days at Taree. The Sydney team competed in Division 1 and won all their games leading up to the grand-final. In a crucial pool match on the way to the Grand Final they had to come back from 2 goals to 0 down against Newcastle to win 3 goals to 2 with Timothy scoring the winning goal in the final 40 seconds. The team then played Tamworth in the grand-final and won handsomely 4 goals to 0. Timothy got the last goal in the game to put the icing on the results.

Following the State Championships, Timothy was fortunate enough to have been selected into the NSW U13 Boys State squad. Last weekend, he went to a further 8 hour trial at Erina to see if he could make either the NSW U13 State team or the NSW U13 State Development team. Very happily for Timothy, especially in the first of his two years at the U13 level, he was selected into the NSW U13 State Development team. He

will participate with that team over seven days in the forthcoming school holidays against the Queensland State Development team at Coffs Harbour and Grafton.

Congratulations Timothy and we wish you the very best of luck.

- 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 3 August – Round 9 Winter Sport
- Monday 5 August – Newington Prep Athletics Carnival at SOPAC (Homebush for all students)
- Thursday 8 August – Milo Cup for selected Y5/6 students
- Saturday 10 August – Final Round winter sport 2013
- 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)
- Friday 13 September – Winter Sports Awards Assembly
- Saturday 14 September – NCP Biathlon 7:00 – 8:30am
- Saturday 14 September – NCP inter-House Tennis Championship 9:00am – 1:00pm
- Saturday 21 September – Newington Prep New Zealand Rugby and Football tour departs

Neil Brunton

Newington College – Wyvern Sportsmaster