



FINAL HOUSE PLACINGS 2015

1st Place	2nd Place	3rd Place	4th Place	5th Place	6th Place
Coates	Williams	Kingswood	Lucas	Howe	Rydal
1014 pts	962 pts	517 pts	769 pts	707 pts	396 pts
11.40 Final score	11.30 Final score	8.90 Final score	8.80 Final score	7.90 Final score	6.90 Final score

WYVERN SPORT TERM 1 - WEEK 8 2015

Newington Preparatory School Cross Country at Koola Park

First up was a very large contingent for the Junior Championship race, incorporating 8, 9 and 10 year-old boys. Led out by bunny Caulfield, the young chargers made him work for every step, with the very impressive Matthew Torrible leading from start to finish. 3 laps felt like 20 as the boys pushed hard for positions in the heavy conditions. After Torrible it was a close finish for the minor placings as Thomas Blanken finished 2nd, with Henry Isherwood 3rd and Nicholas Venetoulis 4th closely following.

The 9 years was a topsy-turvy race that had many lead changes, before the multi-talented Gabe Gordon surged home to take out the event, with Charlie Glennon and Harry Forsyth very close behind. The 8 years saw the CIS Swimming representative Joel Zipeure showing he is just as good out of the water as he took out the age championship, whilst also booking a place at the IPSHA Carnival. Sam Chittendon and Phillip Antipas also ran strongly for the minor placings.

The Senior Championship race started with an all-out sprint as the two Athletics combatants Aiden Mostofi and Bili Robertson surged ahead. Unfortunately for Mostofi, long distance is not his forte as he dropped back quickly after the initial sprint. There was no slowing down for Robertson, he lapped some boys on his second lap as they were attempting to complete their first! His lead increased with every lap and he ended up winning comfortably and booking his place at the IPSHA Carnival, as well as winning the Senior Champions trophy. In a repeat of last year's carnival, James McGregor was 2nd with Eddie Timpson replacing James Whiteing in 3rd.

In the Opens, it was the new kid on the block Philip Blanken flying out after Bili early on, and although Bili's lead increased, he was consistent in maintaining 1st position and winning the age champion for the 12's. Ever present Fletcher Jakes was 2nd with Gaelen Dorigo charging home for 3rd.

So when it was all said and done, with the sun out and beating down and the tired legs sitting patiently waiting, the winners were announced.....and for the first time in quite a few years it was a Wyvern 1,2 finish as COATES climbed to the top of the rung with Williams very, very close behind! In fact, another placing in any of the events would have seen them topple the men in yellow...next year perhaps. 3rd was Kingswood, with Lucas 4th, Howe 5th and Rydal 6th.

Thank you to all the staff that made the Carnival run so smoothly and thank you to all the parents who ventured from near and far to see another great spectacle of athletic prowess!

AGE CHAMPIONS 2015

8 Years	9 Years	10 Years	11 Years	12 Years
Joel Zipeure	Gabriel Gordon	Matthew Torrible	Bili Robertson	Philip Blanken
Sam Chittendon	Charlie Glennon	Thomas Blanken	James McGregor	Fletcher Jakes
Phillip Antipas	Harry Forsyth	Henry Isherwood	Edward Timpson	Gaelen Dorigo

Newington Cross Country Team for IPSHA Cross Country

8/9 YEARS	10 YEARS
Gabriel Gordon	Matthew Torrible
Charlie Glennon	Thomas Blanken
Harry Forsyth	Henry Isherwood
William Fisher	Nicholas Venetoulis
Stirling Williams	William Lane
Christian Ishak	Sebastian Parhash
Cameron Davey-Webb	Riley Leung-Nicholson
Jimmy Simpson	Marcus Pearson
Christopher Boulougouris	Blaise Harvey Palmer
Joel Zipeure	Samson Tuqiri

11 YEARS	12 YEARS
Bililign Robertson	Philip Blanken
James McGregor	Fletcher Jakes
Edward Timpson	Gaelen Dorigo
Hamish Taylor	Willem Rumi
Oliver Short	Joseph Dyster
Dimitri Vallas	Conor Corcoran
Benjamin Tahmindjis	Maxim Clarke
Thomas Oates	Samuel Sullivan
Oliver Nicholas	Benjamin Walsh
Curtis Mackinnon	Benjamin Crawford

NSWCIS Swimming

Congratulations to the following boys on their selection in the IPSHA swimming team that competed at the NSWCIS carnival today: Joel Zipeure, Sebastian Parhash, Nicholas Venetoulis, Jayden Stanton-Keir, Henry Isherwood, Thomas Oates, Thomas Baird, Christopher Mina.

NSWCIS AFL Trials

Following Wyvern's successful first round in the Paul Kelly Cup AFL, we were asked to nominate several boys to trial down in Canberra at the CIS AFL. Max Clarke, Will Rumi, Rhys Miller, Lachlan Harmer, Liam Spiropoulos, Angus Ole and Bili Robertson all attended the trials. After an exhaustive day of trialling Wyvern had 2 boys selected and another 2 selected as emergencies. To have one boy selected from our school is an impressive achievement but to have two selected and two more listed as emergencies is an outstanding achievement.

This is the first time Wyvern has had more than one boy selected in the NSWCIS AFL team in a particular year. Congratulations to all the boys on being nominated and we wish the following boys the best of luck at the CIS carnival: Max Clarke, Will Rumi and if called upon as emergencies Rhys Miller and Lachlan Harmer.

IPSHA Football Trials

Congratulations and good luck to the following boys who have been nominated by Newington Director in Charge of Football Coaching (Brian McCarthy) to represent Wyvern in attendance at the IPSHA Football trials:

6H Christopher Laoutaris
6B Gaelen Dorigo
6R Fletcher Jakes
6R Joe-Reilly Makovec

F.A.S.T Football Program for Years 1 and 2

During Term 2 Wyvern will once again be offering the F.A.S.T Football program for boys in Years 1 and 2 to help develop their skills before entering inter-school sport in Year 3. Flyers will be sent home later this month with online registration details. Students will have the opportunity to participate in a 12 week program held after school on Friday afternoons during Term 2 and 3. More details will be on the flyer and parents are asked not to approach Fast Football until this flyer has been advertised, in order to provide an equal opportunity for registration. Fast Football will also be offered to Kindergarten students in Term 3 this year, with details to follow towards the end of Term 2.

Shining Stars

- Zac Papadimitriou has been selected for the U12 Sydney Olympic touring team to Spain. They will be competing in the MIC Cup which has some of the largest European clubs participating and includes a game against Real Madrid prior to the tournament commencing.

As an additional element to the tour/tournament, Zac has also been invited and given the opportunity to train with London clubs Arsenal, Tottenham and West Ham.

We wish Zac the very best of luck with this exciting opportunity.

- This year there are several Wyvern footballers playing at the elite level of NSW. They are:

FNSW U12 NPL

Gaelen Dorigo – Sydney University
Joe Reilly Makovec – Sydney University

FNSW SAP Programs (U9-U11)

Zac Papadimitriou – Sydney Olympic
Aiden Principe – Fraser Park
Taliesin Dorigo - APIA

- 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

- Monday 23 March – Winter sport training commences (team allocations)
- Tuesday 24 March – IPSHA football trial
- Saturday 28 March – IPSHA Cross Country at Kings – (selected students)

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