



WYVERN SPORT TERM 1 – Week 4, 2018

Round 3 Summer Sport commences Saturday 24 February

The Wyvern fixture sheet for Term 1 sport can be accessed via the sport page on Spaces.

All team lists, venues, starting times and opposition teams are listed. On rare occasions there may be unavoidable last minute changes to fixtures. Please check these fixtures on a Thursday evening and contact Joel Wilson through the office if you have any questions or problems.

In the case of wet weather a message will be recorded on the **WET WEATHER NUMBER (9432 1222)** and it can be called after 6:30am on the morning of the match. For early matches a message will be endeavoured to be left prior to 6:30am. A wet weather Spaces article is also set up on the Wyvern Sport page on weekends where doubt surrounds games going ahead.

Newington Preparatory School Inter-House Swimming Carnival Report

Prior to the carnival, all Houses convened to discuss how they would support their team on the big day. Chants were rehearsed, tactics spoken and team banners planned. An uncertainty hung over the outcome of the 2018 Inter-House Swimming Carnival, with House Masters changing and a new crop of swimming talent added. Could Williams House take out the Inter-House Champion title for a 5th year in a row? Or would it be a new victor this year? Howe, Lucas and Coates were now steeled to give it their best shot! Buses unloaded the Wyvern boys dressed in blue, red, yellow and green and as the raucous colours separated into the stands, Mr Scott expertly started the first event of the day.

The U/8 age group experienced their first taste of carnival adrenalin in the 50m freestyle event. Digby Leadon showed his fast arms are not only handy bowling cricket balls, when he took out the race in first place. Mateja Wong finished 2nd and Noah Zoud 3rd in an exciting sprint race. Nicholas Softsis swam neatly in the U/8 breaststroke to win over Digby Leadon 2nd with Max Coumbiadis in 3rd. Mateja and Digby swam in U/8/9 finals throughout the day to show they can match it with their older competitors, which is a great sign for the future of this group.

The U/9 competition would prove to be one of the closest on record with 3 competitors sharing the ribbons in every event. In the 50m freestyle and

50m backstroke events the placings were the same with Aleksander Barlin proving too strong for Alex Nicholias in 2nd and Angus Baker Wood in 3rd. Angus Baker Wood won the 50m butterfly as well as the 50m breaststroke from Aleksander Barlin in 2nd and Alex Nicholias in 3rd. To create an extremely tight age championship race, Angus also won the junior 200m IM over Aleksander. But after all points were tallied, it was Aleksander Barlin named U/9 age champion with Angus Baker Wood a close U/9 runner-up.

U/10 boys were another competitive age division with ribbons shared amongst 7 different swimmers. Sam Rudd just pipped James Hoskins in the 50m freestyle with Harrison Veitch in 3rd. James Hoskins turned the tables in the backstroke, winning over Rudd with Peter Farah in 3rd. Charlie Appleyard showed strength to take the 50m butterfly title with Peter Farah in 2nd and Edwin Guy in 3rd. In the breaststroke James Hoskins beat home Charlie Appleyard in 2nd and Aiden Ho-Shon in 3rd. The junior finals of the 200m IM and the 100m freestyle proved to be the difference in the age championship race. The 100m freestyle was taken out by James Hoskins with Sam Rudd 2nd and Harrison Veitch in 3rd. But with Sam Rudd also finishing 3rd in the junior 200m IM, the age championship was his narrowly in front of runner-up James Hoskins.

The U/11 age group has always been an interesting group with new students added each year, as well as improving Wyvern swimmers making for an enthralling spectacle. Throughout their time at Wyvern, this particular age group has always featured some competitive races with the likes of Joel Zipeure, Liam West and Orlando Mina pushing each other for improvement. In the 50m freestyle Liam West streaked home just outlasting Joel Zipeure in 2nd and Orlando Mina in 3rd. The breaststroke event was won by Orlando Mina with a big improver in Cameron Wilk-Ellis finishing 2nd and Liam West in 3rd. Liam made amends in the backstroke over Zipeure and Mina, but his best was reserved for the butterfly. Liam West blitzed the 50m butterfly race beating home Orlando Mina in 2nd and Hugo Isherwood in 3rd. In doing so, the crowd witnessed history with Liam breaking a school swimming record that had stood for 17 years, bettering the mark by over half a second in 34.62 seconds. The senior 200m IM and 100m freestyle events had Liam West 2nd and Orlando Mina 3rd in both to help them secure age championship awards. Liam was named U/11 age champion with Orlando runner-up in another great contest.



The U/12 division looked to be a difficult task for most, with leading swimmer Lewis Saupin always hard to swim past. This proved to be the case with Lewis dominating all 6 races to win the age championship as well as anchoring his relay team to victory. Despite Lewis's achievement the 2nd and 3rd placings were fought out with immense pride and effort in a fantastic display. In the 50m freestyle, Charlie Roberts 2nd and Anthony Bordina 3rd gave their very best to make the podium. Toby Torrible 2nd and Callan Rixom swam excellent races in the butterfly, with Arlo Merewether 2nd joining Toby 3rd in the breaststroke placing's. Sebastian Pidcock 2nd and Toby Torrible 3rd gained ribbons in the backstroke to round out the U/12 program. Lewis Saupin took both the senior 100m freestyle and the senior 200m IM to seal his age championship with the ever-consistent Toby Torrible named U/12 runner-up.

The relay events provided the perfect crescendo to the day's proceedings, with all 4 age divisions contested. The House patriotism on display was seen by all and heard by many more, as all spectators engrossed themselves in each contest as sportsmanship mixed with enthusiastic devotion to the cause. In the U/9 relay the strong team from Lucas House, including Angus Baker Wood, Alex Nicholias, Remi Jacobe and Roenin R were too strong for Williams in 2nd and Coates in 3rd. With the House Championship still undecided the U/10's relay was important for all to give their best! Howe's team of James Hoskins, Harrison Veitch, Finn Cathcart and Zack Kristallis finished in front of Coates in 2nd and Williams in 3rd. Williams House including Liam West, Joel Zipeure, Hugo Isherwood and Harry Halleen took out the U/11 relay event, with Howe in 2nd and Coates in 3rd. Lewis Saupin, Charlie Roberts, Finlay FitzSimons and William Richardson represented Williams House in the U/12 race to win from Howe 2nd and Lucas 3rd.

The day finished with an impromptu staff race that had all boys smiling and cheering for their favourite teachers and mentors. And once Mr Talbot had finished, we announced the House Champion for 2018. After Coates were announced in 4th, Lucas in 3rd and Howe in 2nd, everybody realised that the immense Williams House had made it 5 in a row! But to keep the healthy competition surviving the gap is closing and we may see a new champion next year.

During the 2018 edition of the swimming carnival we saw many outstanding individual performances with records falling and boys unbeaten. We were

once again reminded how important it is to "Try Your Best" with the biggest cheers of the day reserved for our boys who showed extreme tenacity and resilience, just to finish their race. The scene as these boys left the pool to the congratulatory high fives and respectful remarks of peers, was truly remarkable and pleasing to witness. Our boys are very special to support both our champion swimmers of effort and participation, alongside our champion swimmers of skill and talent with no apparent bias.

A huge thank you to all boys that participated, helped run the day by assisting staff, and cheered for their mates. Also thank you to all parents who watched and supported the swimming carnival to help create a positive atmosphere. Finally, thank you to all Wyvern staff that expertly managed to organise our 350 boys into over 80 events on the day. The 2018 swimming carnival will fondly be remembered by our Wyvern boys.

House Championship

House Name	Members	Total Points	Weighted Result
Williams	86	452	5.25
Howe	88	324	3.68
Lucas	86	294	3.41
Coates	87	264	3.03

Age Champions

Age	Champion	Runner Up
9 Years	A. Barlin	A. Baker Wood
10 Years	S. Rudd	J. Hoskins
11 Years	L. West	O. Mina
12 Years	L. Saupin	T. Torrible

2018 Newington Swim Team

8/9 Years	10 Years	11 Years	12 Years
M. Wong	J. Hoskins	O. Mina	L. Saupin
D. Leadon	H. Veitch	L. West	S. Pidcock
A. Barlin	C. Appleyard	J. Zipeure	A. Bordina
L. Falk-Brown	S. Rudd	S. Chittendon	T. Torrible
A. Baker Wood		C. Wilk-Ellis	C. Roberts
A. Nicholias			A. Merewether



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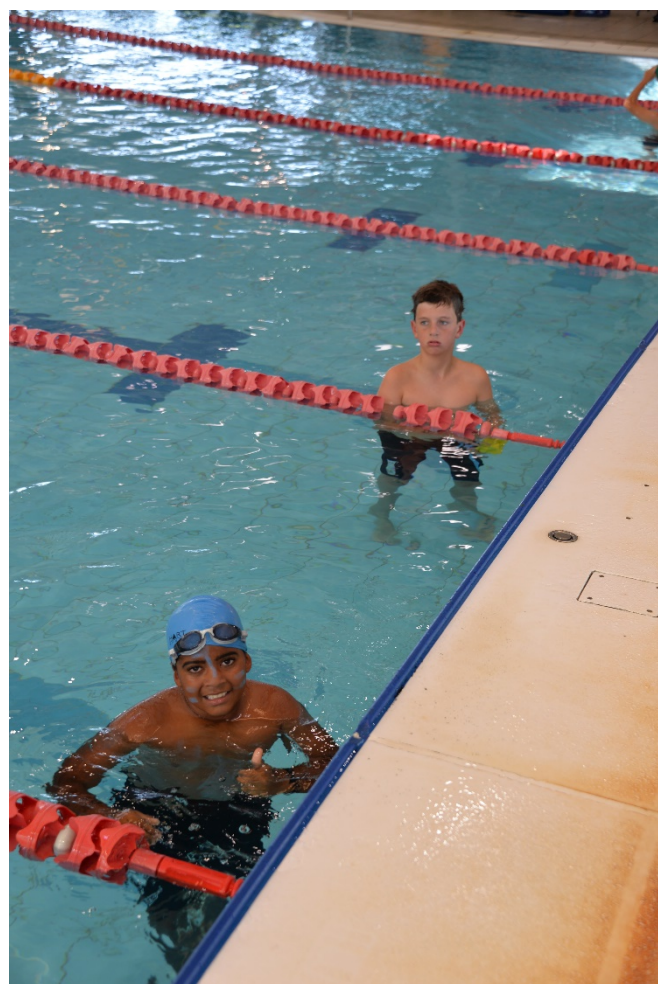




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IPSHA Football Pre-Trials

IPSHA Football Pre-Trials will be held on Monday 26th February for Y5/6 Wyvern football boys.

The trial is open to new students as well as 2017 A players only. Interested boys are asked to add their name to the sport notice board.



A maximum of 3 successful boys will be invited to attend the IPSHA representative trials on the 12th March.

Boys will move to the senior school for the trial on Monday the 26th February at 1.00pm from playground B and will remain for regular summer sport training. Boys will trial in sport shoes only; no boots are to be worn on the fields at the moment.

IPSHA Tennis Trials

Last week, Kevin Feeney and Sebastian Wong from Year 5 attended the IPSHA tennis trials. Whilst our young hopefuls found competition tough, both boys enjoyed the experience and identified areas in their game to continue to improve. Well done boys!

IPSHA Basketball Trials

Well done to Mackenzie Berman, Charlie Gill and Joel Lyons for their efforts at the IPSHA basketball trial held recently. All boys tested themselves against some tough opposition and played extremely well. Although Charlie and Mackenzie did not make selection, they tried their best showing exceptional sportsmanship and grace and came away learning a lot about their game. Fortunately for Joel, he was successful and will now move on to the CIS basketball trials this week. We look forward to hearing how Joel fared. Congratulations boys for representing yourselves and the school so well!

CIS AFL Trials

Sacha De Rosnay and Charlie Roberts have been nominated to attend the CIS AFL trials to be held in Canberra next month. Wyvern boys have enjoyed a great deal of success in recent years and we wish Sacha and Charlie the very best of luck.

Cross Country Training

Mr Martin will be running 6 interval training sessions for interested boys beginning on Monday 26th February and finishing on the 14th March. These sessions are for boys who are keen to improve their running fitness levels in the lead up to our Cross Country Carnival on 21st March. The 6 planned sessions will take place at Newington Senior School before regular Monday and Wednesday sport training.

Mr Martin and Mr Wilson will walk boys over, leaving school for regular training. Y3/4 basketball players will be returned to Wyvern for training by Wyvern staff.

Boys are asked to bring running shoes, water and lunch and regular sport training gear.

We hope the boys will also learn training techniques and find inspiration to work on their running fitness out of school time.

Interested boys are asked to write their name on the

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

- Friday 23rd February – The Scots College Invitation Swimming Carnival at Scots
- Friday 2nd March – South Harbour Invitation Swimming Carnival at Trinity
- Tuesday 6th March – IPSHA Swimming Carnival at Homebush (selected students)
- Monday 19th March – Summer Sport Photos
- Wednesday 21st March – Newington Prep Inter-House Cross Country
- Thursday 22nd March – CIS Swimming Championships
- Saturday 7th April – IPSHA cross country at Kings. (selected students)

Joel Wilson

Newington College – Wyvern Sportsmaster