

## 2019 Term 2 Nominations

### Cricket

#### Woolworths Cricket Blast Schools Cup

We will be entering teams into this year's competition.

Junior School - Tuesday 13 August - Nth Narrabeen Reserve

Year 3/4 Girls (6-8 Players)

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Year 5/6 Girls (8-10 Players)

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Senior School - Tuesday 27 August - Millers Reserve

Years 7/8 Girls (8-10 Players)

Unfortunately, there is no boy's competition played in this competition.

If you would like to nominate your son or daughter to play, **please email the sports office by the 31 May**. Trials will be held after that date to select teams. Thank you.

### Snowsports Raceweek

**Nominations:** 8 spots available for the Senior Camp

Each year Pittwater House competes at the NSW Interschool's Snowsports Championships in the Term 2 School Holidays, if you would like to compete please contact the sports office ASAP

**Dates:** Sunday 14 July to Sunday 21 July 2019

**Competition:** 16 - 20 July 2019

**Location:** Thredbo (alternates between Thredbo and Perisher)

**Age Groups:** Year 1 to Year 6 (must stay with parents)  
Year 7 to Year 12

**Cost:** **Junior Students:** \$200 Admin and Staff race supervision fee. Excludes: Race Entry fees  
**Senior Students staying with TPHS:** Approx. \$1800 which includes accommodation, transport, 6-day lift pass, 2 x compulsory lessons, National Park entry, all breakfast and dinners. Excludes: TPHS Snow jacket hire, race fees, lunches and equipment hire.

### Softball

#### CIS U12 Junior School Boys Softball Championships

**Nominations Due:** 31 May 2019

**Date:** 16 June 2019

Each school is limited to only sending 3 players to trial at the CIS Championships. At these Championships, players can get selected to represent CIS at the NSWPSA U12 Softball Championships in early September each year.

### Water Polo

Pittwater House enters teams into the Northern Suburbs Schools Water Polo Association Competition throughout the year.

#### Junior Competition (College and Grammar Year 7)

**Day:** Friday nights

**Dates:** Commences Week 1 or 2, Term 3 (dates to be confirmed once draw has been published)

**Training:** Training commences Mid Term 2 (date to be confirmed)

## Sports Reports

### Basketball

#### J5 Pittwater Magic v St Luke's Tigers (14 May) Won 23-5

The Year 5 Magic played a great team game against St Luke's Tigers. Magic passed the ball very well, leading to some great open shots and layups. Michael and James had some great plays. The team played fantastically as a group and I'm looking forward to Magic getting even better in the coming weeks.

**J5 Pittwater Magic v St Luke's Blazers (21 May) Loss 14-28**

Magic have learned after a tough Tuesday loss that basketball is a game of runs. It seemed every time we caught up to St Luke's they would break away again. A really good offensive performance from James kept us close for the first half. Unfortunately, towards the final five minutes the St Luke's Blazers were able to pour on the scoring and blow out the lead.

**J6 Pittwater Nets v Jaguars (15 May) Loss 19-28**

The Nets took to the court on Wednesday night against a tough opponent in the Jaguars. The Nets showed an amazing effort and determination refusing to back down to their opponents. They came away with a narrow 28-19 loss against a formidable opponent.

**J6 Pittwater Nets v Vipers (22 May) Loss 30-6**

The undermanned Nets took on a tough opponent in the Vipers on Wednesday night and suffered an unfortunate 30-6 loss. Regardless, the Nets maintained their energy and enthusiasm throughout the game.

**C7/8 Pittwater Storm v St Luke's (13 May) Loss 6-8**

The Year 8 Storm girls played some great defence in the 1st half. However, the girls gave up some easy fast break opportunities and became fatigued in the second half. A narrow loss will keep the girls motivated to come back stronger next week.

**C7/8 Pittwater Pelicans v St Luke's Royal (13 May) Won 42-24**

The Pelicans gave a very solid effort on Monday night. They were able to space the floor and get open shots at will. A standout game from Brooke who had her passing and layup skills on display, scoring at least 20 of the team's total points. A good win from the girls who are continuing to improve with every game that passes.

**C7/8 Pittwater Pelicans v Phoenix (20 May) Won 28-17**

The girls of the Pelicans had a physical affair on Monday night. With the referees relaxing on their calls, the girls took advantage and played a gritty defence against a tough offence. We answered their scoring with a barrage of transition offence, out pacing the other team and scoring before they had a chance to set up.

**G7 Pittwater Kings v OFGS Kings (13 May) Won 27-25**

The Kings has a close call again with a familiar opponent in the OFGS Kings. Having faced off against Oxford Falls in the final game of the Division 2 competition, this battle of the Kings is slowly turning into a grudge match. The Kings got out to a healthy lead but never truly dominated the game. The game coming to the last possession where Oxford Falls had 3 opportunities to win and couldn't capitalise. The basketball gods choose us on Monday and hopefully we can put ourselves in position to comfortably hold the lead next time we come up against them.

**G7 Pittwater Kings v E.B Academy Maroon (20 May) Won 33-31**

The Kings got their third win in a row. Another close call with a compelling opposition who were well drilled, skilled and played a fantastic game. Fortunately for the Kings, our physical gifts of height and strength prevailed. A good benchmark team for us to see how skilled we need to become and how dominant we can become if we combine both physical gifts with skill.

**G7 Pittwater Knicks v St Luke's (13 May) Won 40-4**

The Knicks had a dominating performance winning 40-4 against St Luke's. The boys showed great team effort by rebounding the ball and played unselfishly, embodying the Pittwater House spirit.

**G8 Pittwater Celtics v Pittwater Hawks (15 May) Won 48-14**

The Celtics came out guns blazing start getting steal after steal by being active in our full court man to man defence allowing us to sneak away with a quick lead. The game was extremely close in the second half and came down to the final few minutes in which got a comfortable lead again thanks to Harry as he sealed the deal with back to back buckets. an overall great effort by the boys.

**G8 Pittwater Hawks v Pittwater Celtics (15 May) Loss 14-48**

The Hawks faced off against familiar foes in the TPHS Celtics. Despite a rough 14-48 loss, the boys showed steady improvement and had smiles on their faces the entire game.

**G8 Pittwater Hawks v Giss Roos (22 May) Loss 5-40**

The rejuvenated Hawks with another new addition to the team took on Giss Roos. The boys unfortunately suffered a 5-40 loss but showed promise in multiple areas.

**C9/10 Pittwater Opals v Mosman Shark (15 May) Loss 11-38**

The Opals came up against the best team in the competition, with very well drilled plays and experience that our Opals have not gained due to the limited time of playing. The girls played aggressively all game disrupting Mosman's offense on my occasions, leading us to many fast break points. Unfortunately, we missed many shots and couldn't keep up! Molly was on fire with many steals leading to baskets on the other end!

### **C10 Pittwater Jazz v Pittwater Suns (15 May) Won 21-14**

Two Pittwater teams fighting it out for top 4 contention didn't disappoint! The clash saw the Suns five points up at the half (12-7). However, a second half turnaround from the Jazz was led by a stellar offensive display from Charlotte, going to the free-throw line on five occasions, which included a 3pt-Play. In the end, the Jazz came away victorious off the back of arguably their best defensive performances, conceding only one second-half point. Credit to both teams for putting on an exciting performance!

### **G10 Pittwater Heat v St Luke's Navy (16 May) Loss 36-43**

The Pittwater Heat came into this match up ready to battle St Luke's. Unfortunately, team wide we struggled to stay grounded and focused on the game. With a few of our players seeming distracted by the physicality of St Luke's play. With a few extra of our open three pointer attempts dropping, it becomes a different game entirely.

### **G10 Pittwater Heat v Saints Hawks (23 May) Draw 43-43**

A close affair with Saint Augustine's again. A neck and neck battle from start to finish making for a thoroughly entertaining game. Our boys were able to run our offence successfully for three quarters of the game. Unfortunately, with a sub-par defensive performance and ten minutes of struggling to score, we let the Hawks back into the game. Despite the result, another game under the belt and more development for the boys is never a bad thing.

### **G10 Pittwater Warriors v St Pauls Red (16 May) Won 33-28**

The Year 10 warriors played an all-round good game with a solid debut performance from Jake and good rebounding and shooting game from Sam. While the boys turned the ball over a few times, it can be corrected in the weeks to come.

### **G10 Pittwater Warriors v OFGS Fireballs (23 May) Loss 25-26**

The Year 10 Warriors battled all game long against Oxford Falls, but due to an unfortunate cold shooting streak, turnovers and some bad decision making we were defeated 25-26. While the boys displayed great effort, there is still room for improvement before the semi-finals.

### **C11 Pittwater Lakers v Panthers (17 May) Loss 25-38**

The Year 11 Lakers, played a hard fought and gritty game with great defence and communication. This led to easy fast break points in the 1st half. However, the Panthers came back in the 2nd half to take the win

### **G12 Pittwater Diamonds v Fast Breakers (17 May) Won 24-23**

The TPHS Diamonds were faced with their closest game yet in a 24-23 win against the Fast Breakers. The Year 12 Girls were able to get a good start with multiple fast break points leading into the first half, although tight defence provided by the fast breakers made it tough to use the pick and roll offence that the Diamonds have integrated into their play style. The second half saw the fast breakers make a couple three pointers and inch into lead with 5 minutes left in the game. More fast break points and great defence allowed the Diamonds to close out the game and get a 1-point lead to finish the game. Best wishes to Hannah who injured her ankle in the last seconds of the game after an exceptional effort on both sides of the floor.

### **G12 Pittwater Spurs v Ballers (17 May) Loss 22-38**

A strong defensive showing in the first half had the Spurs right in the game and within five points of their opponents at the break. However, despite some impressive baskets from Jacob and good team ball movement on the offensive end, the Pittwater boys couldn't hold down the strong driving opposition at the hoop.

## **Cross Country**

### **HICES Cross Country Championships**

On Thursday 23 May, 40 of the best long-distance runners in the Junior School made their way to Orange Anglican Grammar School to compete in the Annual HICES Cross Country Carnival. After a very early start we arrived in Orange where the weather was glorious, perfect for the day's proceedings. The two and three kilometre tracks are difficult, with some tough hill sections throughout the middle that tested our young athletes.

After the dust settled, we came in 6<sup>th</sup> in Division 1, less than 40 points from fourth. We had 9 runners make it through to the CIS carnival which will be at Eastern Creek Raceway on Thursday 13 June.

Congratulations to: Noah 1<sup>st</sup>, Sadie 1<sup>st</sup>, Arabella 4<sup>th</sup> (with an injury), Max 6<sup>th</sup>, Toby 8<sup>th</sup>, Roy 9<sup>th</sup>, Nicholas 9<sup>th</sup> and Chloe 7<sup>th</sup>.

Please get your CIS permission notes into the Sport's Office as soon as possible.

Next year, the event will be held at Blue Mountains Grammar School, which will fortunately cut the travel time in half. Thank you to all the parents that came out and supported the students and to all the runners for making the long trek over a very long day. Your behaviour, the effort you put in and the positive attitudes observed were outstanding.

## CDSSA Cross Country Championships

On Monday the 20<sup>th</sup> of May, 72 students from Pittwater House participated at the CDSSA Cross Country in Centennial Park. At this event we had 4 Age Champions, 3 silver medallists and 6 students winning bronze medals. Pittwater House was named the CDSSA Cross Country Champions.

An amazing 45 students have placed in the top 10 or have qualified in a team and will go on to compete at the AICES Cross Country on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June.

### Congratulations to the following students:

#### Age Champions and Gold medal Winners

12 Years Boys – Jasper  
12 Years Girls – Albee  
13 Years Girls – Sienna  
14 Years Girls – Ruby

#### Silver Medal Winners

12 Years Boys – Anton  
13 Years Girls - Brooke  
15 Years Girls – Indianna

#### Bronze Medal Winners

12 Years Boys – James  
12 Years Girls - Hadiya  
13 Years Girls – Aiyla  
14 Years Girls - Sienna  
15 Years Girls – Olivia  
17 Years Boys – Alex

Students in the Top 10 and or Teams competing at AICES Cross Country on the 4<sup>th</sup> of June:

1. Jasper	16. Lara	31. Alex
2. Anton	17. Lily	32. Oscar
3. James	18. Jasmine	33. Nic
4. Samuel	19. Connor	34. Jack
5. Hugo	20. Edward	35. Levi
6. Albee	21. Ruby	36. Isla
7. Hadiya	22. Sienna	37. Sienna
8. Sophie	23. Mikayla	38. Eva
9. Catherine	24. Hannah	39. Lucy
10. Campbell	25. Jamie	40. Luca
11. Ben	26. Indianna	41. Ben
12. Sienna	27. Olivia	42. Peter
13. Brooke	28. Analise	43. Daniel
14. Aiyla	29. Charlotte	44. James
15. Laila	30. James	45. Colm

## Gymnastics

### 2019 Australian Gymnastics Championships – Melbourne

Good luck to the students representing NSW at this year's Australian Championships in Tumbling.

## Hockey

### CIS U12 Hockey Trials

On Monday May 13<sup>th</sup> two Year 5 Girls from our Junior College took part in the CIS Hockey Trials at the Northern District Hockey Centre. Both Hannah and Finlay along with over sixty other students from all over NSW were put through some skill sessions and then they were selected into different teams to play several games against the other triallists. At the end of the games two CIS Primary Girls teams were selected to take part in the State Championships that will be held in Newcastle next month. Both of our students trialled impressively and showed their talent for the game of Hockey. Hannah was named as a member of the CIS team 2 at the end of the day. Congratulations to both girls for their efforts at the trials and good luck to Hannah for the PSSA State Championships in June.

### CIS U18 Hockey Trials

On Monday the 20 May **Kasey (C9)** and **Hannah (C12)** represented Pittwater House in the AICES Open Girls Hockey Team, both girls trialled extremely well and were both selected into the CIS Opens Hockey Team, they will now attend the NSW All Schools Opens Tri-Series held at Sydney Olympic Park Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Well done girls.

### PISA Year 5/6 Mixed v St Luke's Grammar (17 May) Won 4-0

The Mixed Junior Hockey team played their second game of hockey for the season against St Luke's Grammar School. Their excellent defence and attacking skills secured a confident win with a score of 4-0. Players of the Match were the entire team.

### Next Generation Hockey – Phoenix USA

Good luck to Matthew (G7) who will be attending a high-level Ice Hockey Skating Program to prepare for the U14 National Championships.

## **Netball**

### **CIS U12 Netball Championships**

On Friday the 17<sup>th</sup> of May **Emma (J6)** and **Arabella (J5)** played in the HICES Netball Team at the CIS Netball Championships in Homebush. Both girls showed skill and determination on the day with Emma playing in the defensive end and Ari in centre court. The girls had a huge day playing 7 straight games before stopping for a lunch break. The HICES Team overall finished 2<sup>nd</sup> from 8 Associations with both Emma and Ari being selected to trial for the U12 CIS team after lunch in another 3 rounds of "Possible and Probables" while neither girl got selected into the CIS team both girls had an outstanding day.

### **PISA Year 3/4B v St Luke's (17 May) Won 17-9**

Last week the Junior Netball B team played St. Luke's DY in a thrilling match. Pittwater House led the whole game and fought back against a mighty St Luke's comeback in the 2nd and 3rd quarters. The team listened to the advice of their coaches and tightened up their defence to keep St Luke's goalless in the final quarter.

### **PISA Year 5 / 6A v St Luke's (17 May) Won 15-3**

With two girls away competing at the CIS U12 Netball trials the team stepped up and beat St Luke's 15-3, the whole team played extremely well with Kaya on fire in the shooting end and Darcey being named player of the match with her outstanding sportsmanship. Well done girls.

## **Rugby**

### **CIS U12 Rugby league Trials**

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May, Ruann (P6), took part in the CIS Primary Rugby League Trials with over 80 other talented students from all parts of NSW. The students were taken through some skills and then placed into one of four squads of twenty players who were their teams for the day. Each team then played each other before a possible v probable's group of twenty-six were named. Ruann played on the right wing for his team and tackled impressively but unfortunately did not see enough of the ball in attack to showcase his attacking skills. Although he missed the final trial, Ruann played strongly in all of his games.

## **Soccer**

### **PISA Year 3/4A v Oxford Falls (17 May) Lost 0-7**

We had a great training session in the morning with improvement shown in positioning and passing. Unfortunately, the other team arrived with a very enthusiastic attitude and beat us 7-0. We took a lot out of the game. Oscar was our player of the match.

### **PISA Year 3-4A v Northern Beaches Christian School (24 May) Lost 0-7**

We came up against a strong Northern Beaches Christian School who played tightly and skilfully. Unfortunately, we lost 7-0. Players of the match were Levi and James.

### **PISA Year 5/6A v St Luke's (17 May) Won 5-0**

What a comeback game! All the talk this week was about team work and playing to each other's feet and there was a real improvement for all to see. Nick was rock solid at the back, Noah played some excellent football down the wing and 2 goals were scored by both Neehan and James. Great effort boys!

### **AICES Open Soccer Championships**

On Thursday 16 May Cameron (G11) and Bronson (G12) represented Pittwater House in the CDSSA Open Boys team at this year's AICES Championships. The team performed very impressively during the day to finish runners up after going down 1 nil in extra time in the Grand Final. At the end of the carnival an AICES Team was selected to contest the CIS Championships that will be held later this Term. We would like to congratulate Cameron on his selection into that team. The CDSSA team recorded the following results at the Carnival: Game One CDSSA 8 defeated SASSA Nil (Bronson scored 1 goal), Game Two CDSSA 7 defeated WAS Nil (Cameron scored 4 and Bronson 1 goal), Game Three CDSSA 2 Drew with HRIS 2 (Cameron scored 1 goal), Semi Final CDSSA 3 defeated ISD 1, Grand Final CDSSA lost in extra time 2 goals to 1 to NASSA. Well played gentlemen you both showed great skills and some real talent for the game over a long and challenging day of high-quality football. Good luck Cameron at the next level.

## **Water Polo**

### **Australian All Schools Water Polo Championships**

Last week **Meg (C11)** played in the NSW CIS team at the Australian All Schools Championships in Homebush. This gruelling competition went over 4 days with Meg playing against both Male and Female teams from across Australia. Meg's team the CIS opens were victorious winning the Grand Final 7-3. Well done Meg.

### **Intermediate Girls Vs Bridgidine (13 May) Won 7-4**

The girls had their second win of the season which was very exciting. It was a scrappy game and the girls will work on spreading out for next game and trying to move the ball around the pool. The team was strong in attack as reflected in the final score. Scorers were: Laila (4), Melanie (1), Savannah (1) and Zara (1).

### **Open Boys v St Augustine's A (24 May) Lost 1 - 8**

Despite the scoreline our team played very well against an unbeaten and very skilful opponent. All our players contributed, with Dom, in particular, defending grimly, alongside Jordan who played the way he always does – intelligently and resolutely. James scored a superb goal and James rushed from his Basketball game to provide a fresh substitute in the final quarter. As usual, Meg made several sensational saves, including a penalty shot. Unfortunately, this was Meg's final game for the team and we have all marvelled at her superb skills and gracious camaraderie and thank her for being such a vital member of the team.

## **Term 2 Calendar Dates**

### **Athletics**

#### **Pittwater House Athletics Carnivals**

1. Kindergarten to Year 6 Date: 11 June 2019

2. Year 7 to 12 Date: 13 June 2019

Location: Sydney Academy of Sport, Narrabeen – Athletics Track

#### **Athletics Pathways – Junior School**

HICES - 28 August

CIS 12 September

QUAD – 6 September

#### **Athletics Pathway – Senior School**

CDSSA – 19 August

AICES – 9 September

CIS – 24 September

### **Cross Country**

#### **Junior School Pathway**

CIS Cross Country 13 June 2019 to be held at Eastern Creek Raceway

#### **Senior School Pathway**

AICES Cross Country 4 June 2019 to be held at the Sydney International Equestrian Centre

CIS Cross Country 13 June 2019 to be held at Eastern Creek Raceway

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## **Nominations and Enquiries**

Permission notes for all Academies, Competitions and upcoming Sporting Excursions can be found on the Pittwater House Skoolbag App in the Sports folder.

All other nominations and enquiries are to be emailed to the Sports Office

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