

SPORT NEWSLETTER

Callaghan College Wallsend Campus

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GENERAL SPORT NEWS

Big two months of sport here at CCWC!

Congratulations to Team Amazon who took out the Lunchtime Netball Competition. Congratulations also goes out to Jack Smith and Paige Worley who were our Big Beep Champions for 2018. Slider Hockey is currently running during breaks and our final lunchtime competition for the year will be Dodgeball.

Students in Years 8, 9 and 10 participated in the annual House v House II on the 7th of September. Unfortunately, the weather was not on our side and modified arrangements needed to be made to ensure students still got to participate in the event. They competed in a number of sports including Soccer, End Zone, Ultimate Frisbee, Oz Tag and Volleyball to gain points to add to the overall house cup total.

Thank you again to the Sports Committee for your exceptional assistance in the setup of the event and for all your help with last minute changes on the morning of the event.

HOUSE v HOUSE II

Congratulations to Willis who were the overall winners for House v House II.



1st WILLIS (395)

2nd NASH (355)

3rd FLETCHER (300)

4th BROOKS (250)



SPORTS PRESENTATION EVENING

Invitations for our annual Sports Presentation have been given to students. Permission slips are to be returned by the due date: payment may be made in person, online or over the phone.

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*In our school community we value positive relationships, respect and taking responsibility for our actions.
We aim to do our best in teaching and learning.*

SPORTS PEOPLE OF THE MONTH



Eloise Metcalfe



Riley West

ATHLETICS

CHS ATHLETICS: We had several talented students compete at the 2018 CHS Athletics Championships at Homebush in Sydney. Our gold medal Under 15 Girls Relay Team from 2017 went into the competition full of confidence, but sadly just missed out on gold by a fraction of a second winning a bronze medal.

Tiahna Skelton was a standout performer, not only in our school but compared to all athletes across the state. She won a gold medal in the 200m hurdles, silver in the 100 & 200m sprint and long jump and received a bronze medal for the relay.

Another standout performer was Noah Iles who won a silver medal in the 400m sprint, which is an outstanding performance since he does not train for this event.

Other students that competed were Jasmine Craft (hurdles), Madison Bragg (hurdles, long jump, 200m sprint), Griffyn Searles (high jump), Kahlee Dunn (shotput) and Liam Dunn (discus).

ALL SCHOOLS ATHLETICS: All Schools Athletics picks the best athletes from all public, private and independent schools across the state. Tiahna Skelton blitzed the meet once again, receiving a gold medal in the 200m hurdles, Bronze in the long jump, 4th in the 200m sprint and 5th in the 100m sprint. A truly remarkable effort from a dedicated and talented athlete.

Paige Worley also competed in the 100m sprint and narrowly missed the final, finishing 9th in the state.

Mr Brenden Kelana
Sports Organiser

BASKETBALL

BOYS BASKETBALL: The Under 15 Boys Basketball team have finished another successful season after competing in the Newcastle Area Gala Day. The boys travelled to Broadmeadow Basketball Stadium and played a series of games against 10 other teams from across Newcastle. In the first game, the boys battled hard after initially struggling to find their mojo. Playing Newcastle High, the final score was 20-17 with Wallsend coming out on top. In the second game, the standard of play dropped as the boys lost a game that they probably should have won against Merewether. That loss would come back to hurt the team later in the day. After a pep talk from Coach Carter Kilham, the boys then came out and played their best basketball over the next two games to dominate Francis

Greenway and Irrawang High School. Both these games were comprehensive wins for the Wallsend Wildcats.

These wins put the boys into the semi-finals. Unfortunately, the one loss in the group stages meant that the team came up against the top seed from pool B, Lambton High, our cross town rivals. In a massive display of basketball skills, both teams went at it in a great game of basketball. Wallsend led at half-time, but then fell a few points behind early in the second half before eventually losing. The boys should be very proud of their efforts and results on this day.

Most Improved: Marcus Dunlop-Enderby

Best and Fairest: Riley West

Coach's Award: Malakai Mohu

Mr Jivvel Kilham

Basketball Coach

GIRLS BASKETBALL UNDER 15s GALA DAY: On Tuesday 4 September, CCWC competed in the Girls Basketball Gala Day at Broadmeadow Basketball Stadium. The girls played strongly during all games and came up against some hard and competitive competition. Some of our 12 girls had not played basketball before and they proved their positions were deserving on the court. They all played some fantastic defence and this defence along with their confident and strong offence work, took them into the semi-finals. The girls executed some outstanding shots and showed a lot of positive teamwork during all their games. Unfortunately, the girls didn't win the overall competition, but they should be extremely proud of how well they played.

Mrs Danielle Shedden

Basketball Coach

HOCKEY

CITY ZONE HOCKEY GALA DAY: Students in Years 7, 8 & 9 participated in the Newcastle City Zone Gala Day on Wednesday 12 September. CCWC entered a male and female team in the competition with few players having played before. Both teams played 5 x 25min games throughout the day.

The boy's team started the day off with a draw in their first game, then went on to win the two following games. Unfortunately, the team experienced two losses in the final games, although these were exceptionally close.

Boys Player of the day: Ben Ross

Boys Coaches' player: Zac Field/ Jeremy Balasabas

The girl's team were lucky enough to have a few players who had played before, which provided the team with some on-field guidance. The team played extremely well in all games and slowly built more confidence throughout the day, managing to win their final game.



Girls Player of the day: Ella Jones
Girls Coaches' player: Jorja Brown

All participants on the day were a credit to CCWC and played each game with tremendous amounts of effort and sportsmanship. Congratulations to those involved.

Ms Sophie Ray
Hockey Coach



LAWN BOWLS

LET'S PLAY BOWLS - LAWN BOWLS ZONE COMPETITION 2018: Eight students represented CCWC at the "Let's Play Bowls" Lawn Bowls Zone Competition, held at Wallsend Diggers Bowls Club on Monday 22 October.

Wallsend team's A & B played against each other in the first match. Wallsend A defeated Wallsend B in a very close match which came down to the final game.

Wallsend A progressed on to play Toronto High School in the final matchup of the day. From this game, one team would go through to the regional competition. Again, the match was exceptionally close, with Toronto winning with their skipper's final roll.

Ms Sophie Ray
Lawn Bowls Coach



BOWLS TEAM: Wallsend A
Max Burrell (Year 10), Lachlan Evans (Year 9), Benjamin Jolley (Year 10), Lincoln Steele (Year 10)

NETBALL

GIRLS UNDER 15 CITY ZONE NETBALL GALA DAY: On Tuesday 30 October, CCWC Under 15 Netball team competed in the City Zone Gala Day at National Park. Our team included Chloe Allan, Zali Chippendale, Kahlee Dunn, Clare Giles, Bella Kirkwood, Samantha Lampard, Grace Maher, Amarliya McRae, Mia Mikulski, Jasmine Russell, Abbey Sanderson, and Abbey Tucker.

Our first game was against HSPA. The girls started slow but by the second half were playing a better style of netball and won convincingly. With a solid win under our belt we faced Lambton High School in the second round. Lambton played well, their shooters rarely missed an opportunity and we couldn't keep up with their play, losing us this game. Our next game we came up against Merewether High School. We again started the game slowly but then attempted to keep up with the pace of their game which resulted in unforced errors and eventually a heavy loss. The bye was next which gave us the perfect opportunity for the team to re-focus and make some changes to our attacking end.

The girls went into the fifth round with a positive attitude against Kotara and started well. They played an excellent, controlled game and won. Round six was against Newcastle High School. The challenge was set - if we lost the game to Newcastle, we had no chance of making the Hunter Gala Day, but if we won we were through. The girls again started nervously but found their rhythm mid-way through the first half, again playing a controlled game. They handled the constant pressure applied by Newcastle for the second half and played with a great attitude and to the umpire's



BOWLS TEAM: Wallsend B
Charlie Burrell (Year 7), Ben Hendrie (Year 10), Kye Jefferies (Year 10), Jordan Waugh (Year 10)

whistle, winning by two points. The last game of the day was against Callaghan College Waratah and although tired from such a physical game against Newcastle, we finished with a win.

The entire team is to be congratulated on their performance throughout the day. They played with a positive, determined attitude and were excellent representatives of CCWC.

I would like to thank Chloe Dudgeon for umpiring every CCWC game and Maddison McGuigan, Ella Moriarty, Tahlee Jones and Siohban Quinn for assisting as umpires and administrators throughout the day. I would also like to thank the parents and relatives who came in to support the girls.

The Hunter Region Gala Day is to be held on Tuesday 20th November.

Mrs Amanda Phillips

Netball Coach

RUGBY LEAGUE

UNDER 14 & 15 KURT & MATT GIDLEY 9-A-SIDE: On Wednesday 12 September Wallsend Campus competed in the Under 14 & 15 Kurt & Matt Gidley 9-a-side. Game one was a loss against San Clemente. Game two saw a win against CC Waratah Campus. Game three was a win against St Joeys Aberdeen, who were the eventual champions of the day. For their final game they needed a win or draw to top the pool and progress to the next stage of the competition. Unfortunately, the boys had a loss to Swansea High School in the final minutes and did not progress through to the semi-final.

Most Valuable Player: Majak Boc

Coaches Award: Preston Conn

TERRY KACHEL RUGBY LEAGUE CUP: On Wednesday 19 September, Wallsend Campus organised the Under 16 Rugby League Terry Kachel 7 a-side at Raymond Terrace. 14 teams competed in the competition in what was a very warm spring day in Port Stephens. Wallsend Campus finished 3rd in their pool after mixed results in the round-robin stage. The boys unfortunately didn't qualify for the Division 1 Terry Kachel finals, which was eventually won by Toronto High School. The team qualified for the Division 2 Paul Tracey Finals and played some outstanding afternoon footy to beat Waratah Campus in the semi-final then Irrawang High School in the final.

Player's Player on the day was Aiden White.

This event sadly ended the Wallsend Campus Wildcats Schoolboy footy for this group. I personally would like to thank all the boys in Year 10 that have represented the school in Rugby League over the past four years. Your positive efforts and commitment will be missed.

A huge thank you to the students in Year 10 who assisted with the outstanding organisation of the day



PRIMARY SCHOOL RUGBY 7's: The transition 7's this year took on a different format for 2018. The event featured league tag that attracted 12 mixed teams from three partner schools. Congratulations to students of Mr Johnson's Year 9 PASSRL Elective Class for running another successful and enjoyable event.

Plattsburg Primary school claimed the winner's trophy for 2018.

GIRLS RUGBY LEAGUE NON-COMPETITIVE GALA DAY: The girls were extremely impressive in their final hit out for 2018. The junior girls won all four games convincingly with dominant performances from Marni Robinson, Jorja Brown and Grace Hamilton. I look forward to seeing these girls develop their Rugby League skills further for 2019. Exciting times ahead for this group of talented players.

Seniors came away with a win against Hunter River and two losses against St Pauls and St Pius by only one try. Congratulations to the Year 10 students on your involvement with Rugby League throughout your time at CCWC.

Most Valuable Player on the day: Tahnee Burke

Mr Andrew Johnson
Rugby League Coach

UPCOMING SPORTING EVENTS

- Hunter Region Netball Gala Day: Tuesday 20 November
- Sports Presentation at Wallsend Diggers: Monday 26 November
- Year 7 Swim Survive Program at Wallsend Pool: Week 7/Week 8
- Series III Friday Sport concludes: Friday 7 December

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT OUTSIDE SCHOOL

ROLLER DERBY: Congratulations to Abi Morris (Year 10) and Jack Morris (Year 8) who represented NSW/ACT in the Australian National Championships in Roller Derby in Brisbane. Roller Derby is a full contact sport, played on indoor sports fields by all genders and at junior level in gender mixed teams. It requires exceptional skill, strength and clarity of thought to play at the highest level.

Abi and Jack's team won the inaugural Tournament and became the first Australian Champions in this sport. The athleticism, skill and commitment displayed by all junior participants was of the highest quality and was acknowledged by the tournament organisers, adult participants and spectators. Congratulations Abi & Jack!

TOUCH FOOTBALL: Kyah Watters (Year 9) has been selected in the USA Touch Football Mixed Open team. She will represent the USA at the World Cup in Malaysia in 2019.

Competing in a senior world cup at such a young age is an amazing achievement. Congratulations Kyah!



COLOUR RUN 2018

Due to poor weather the Colour Run was postponed this year from National Physical Education day (5/9/18) to Thursday 13 September. Our Year 10 Physical Activity and Sports Studies General class (10PASS) are to be congratulated on organising a fantastic whole-school event with the emphasis on participation and fun.

The majority of students and staff participated in the main colour run event or the other games organised by Year 10 including Endzone, Volleyball and Tug of War.

The organising students completed an evaluation of the event as part of their assessment and thanks to their detailed analysis, the Colour Run will be bigger and better in 2019. Thanks again to all Year 10 students involved.

Mrs Amanda Phillips
Organising Teacher



INTER-COLLEGE SPORTING COMPETITION 2018

Wallsend Campus played host to the 2018 Inter-college Sporting Competition this term. Not only did Wallsend Campus provide a memorable experience for all participating schools during the tournament but the school also demonstrated tremendous sportsmanship and an all-round athletic performance to dominant the points table and win another Inter-college competition.

The students participated in seven sports over 2.5 days against three other schools at 3 venues across the Newcastle Region. Congratulations to the 48 participants, 4 coaches, 8 student coaches and 24 student officials for making the concept so amazing. The countless hours and effort that went into organising the event and preparing the students for the competition was evident in the smooth running of the events and the on-field performances across all sports.

Best & fairest awards

Yr8 Girls = Jorja Brown

Yr8 Boys = Griffin Searles

Yr9 Girls = Eloise Metcalfe

Yr9 Boys = Riley West

Mr Andrew Johnson
Organising Teacher



2018 INTER-COLLEGE SPORTING COMPETITION

**Wednesday 24th to
Friday 26th October 2018**

Hosted by Callaghan College Wallsend Campus

NETBALL - TOUCH FOOTBALL - SOCCER
SOFT LACROSSE - DODGEBALL
ULTIMATE FRISBEE - VOLLEYBALL

Coordinator: Andrew Johnson



THOSE WERE THE DAYS... STAFF PROFILE – Aaron Hoffman

Interviewed by Lily Spooner

What sports do/did you play?

AFL, Surf Life Saving and Surfing

What is your greatest sporting achievement?

I made the Under 18's Hunter AFL Team when I was 14 years old and came 6th in Australia in Under 18's Beach Flags

What is the hardest sport and why?

Ironman, because you have to know so many different types of activities: Run, swim, bike and the endurance

What team do you follow?

Sydney Swans

What were your favourite subjects at school?

P.E and Biology

What is something you can't live without?

The beach and the TV show "The Block"

What is something that makes you really angry?

When people talk back

Who was your childhood hero?

Dean Mercer (Ironman) and Tony Lockett (AFL- Most goals ever)

Where do you see yourself in 10 years' time?

Teaching Lily Spooner, who has repeated the last 10 years

What do you enjoy about sport?

Getting out and being active and social with others who have similar likes e.g. that sport. The feeling after sport after winning a game and how it makes you feel after doing activity

