

Ignatian Sports Reports (Boys)

Term 2, Week 5 & 6



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Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Basketball	Mason Manning	Open A2	Def	AHS	88-39	<p>The boys came out with a lot of energy, ready to play. They applied a lot of pressure on the ball and created numerous turnovers leading to easy scores.</p> <p>The transition defence was a little sloppy leading to let offs for Adelaide High. However, it was a dominant performance.</p>
Basketball	Mason Manning	Open B2	Def	AHS	36-27	
Basketball	Maddy Hinton	Middle B	Def	AHS	58-23	<p>Another great win for the Middle B team this week, carrying the momentum from last week's success to play another brilliant team game. The team started strong, playing great pressure defence and scoring at ease around the ring. The team were able to execute offences with great success throughout the game, taking advantage of Adelaide High's lack of help defence. Everyone in the team was unselfish and team-orientated, setting up teammates excellently for easy shots, whether that was beneath the basket or from the midrange, as well as backing each other up with rebounds and easy put backs. A great performance from all, well done to all.</p>
Basketball	Max Busato	Middle Navy	Def	Middle Red	33-9	<p>In an exhilarating match today, our Middle D basketball team secured a resounding victory over the opposing Middle D team with a final score of 33-9. The triumph was a testament to our boys' hard work, strategic play, and impressive teamwork. Throughout the game, both teams displayed commendable effort, but it was in the final quarter that our team truly shined. Demonstrating exceptional offensive skills, our players made critical choices that kept the momentum in our favour. They effectively slowed down the pace when necessary, ensuring they maintained control and composure under pressure.</p> <p>A key factor in our success was the remarkable rebounding. Our players consistently outperformed the opposition on the boards, gaining crucial possession and creating additional scoring opportunities. This relentless rebounding effort was instrumental in securing the large margin of victory. Congratulations to the team for their outstanding performance this win is a proud moment for us and a strong indicator of the team's potential for the rest of the season.</p>
Football	Tom Pontt	Middle 8/9	Def by	Pembroke	14-75	<p>A tough encounter against a strong opposition this week. The team worked tirelessly all game and should be proud of their efforts. The backline forced a number of errors minimising the opposition score. Our tackling, smothers and</p>

						shepherds are improving each game and we capitalised when we had the opportunity up forward. We look forward to our next game. GO WOLVES!!
Football	Daniel Wakim	2 nd XVIII	Def by	Mercedes	20-85	<p>It was a challenging day for the boys, coming up against a strong opposition in Mercedes College; this is a team that uses their physicality, wins the football in the contest, and can move forward quickly. Unfortunately, as the game transpired, their lead extended. However, it gave us the opportunity to see how our 'game' comes together against the more dominant football teams. The key areas which I believe need improvement involve:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our physicality in the contest – an area which we displayed in limited patches, however not consistently. • Our composure and decision making with the football. • The positioning of our defenders – we would often be pulled too high up the ground and into the contest, exposing ourselves defensively. <p>Although, the times we brought pressure, physicality, and hunger to the contest, and when we took territory with the football forward of centre, we looked a threatening football team. It is important that the boys understand that these areas take time and experience to develop– they are not easy things to get right, however, come the long-term, it will hold us in good stead.</p>

Ignatian Sports Reports (Girls)

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Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Badminton	Michael Kolisnyk	Senior A	Def	Norwood	100-79	This was the hardest game of the season so far, with some very tough players from the Norwood team. Nevertheless, everyone played super well and it's great to see the team playing strategically.
Badminton	Arron Nguyen	Senior B	Def	St Aloysius	136-86	Many of the games were close, but the girls managed to take many sets off of their opponents by varying their shots and hitting to where their opponents aren't.
Badminton	Mr Miles	Senior C	Def by	OLSH	3/6-3/8	This week saw our girls take on the undefeated OLSH 1 team who had not lost a set this season. In a very spirited performance, we went down very narrowly; a credit to the girls, who really pushed their talented opponents to the limit.
Badminton	Tinara Dona	Middle B3	Def	Norwood	106-97	Great job girls for playing well despite the increased pressure especially towards the end. Due to the matches being very close, the team had to play higher than first to 11. Which resulted in the last singles matches having to play strategically whilst also fighting against the clock to finish before the timer rang. We ended up with two draws but took the win overall.

Badminton	Emmanuel Goh	Middle E	Def	Marryatville 4	116-103	The girls played extremely well against a strong Marryatville side, producing some of their best badminton when it counted the most. Congrats on a 4 th Win in a row for the girls and I'm hoping to see this strong form continue throughout the season!
Badminton	Erin Goh	Middle G	Def	Marryatville 6	132-61	The girls played at their best today, winning every match. A confident start in both doubles fuelled the energy and excitement moving into singles. The girls should be commended for their great effort and comradery in between and during matches.
Badminton	Stella Waugh	Middle H	Def	Marryatville 7	156-93	Our girls played incredibly to win comfortably this week especially for Diya K. A long gruelling, nail-biting match ensued with Mia Wei & her opponent. Mia fought very hard to win 19-17, 12-14, 13-11 in a very well-matched even game.
Football	Alex Hinton	First XVI	Def	SAC	6.6 -2.5	After a long day at school and nearing halfway day for the Year 12s, it can sometimes be a challenge to switch your mind from the day-to-day complexities of life and focus on the challenge at hand. This appeared to be the case for our first away game of the season against SAC, but only for the first quarter. Luckily, we only let them get away with a one goal lead which meant once we regrouped at the break, we knew we were well and truly in it. Led by our skipper, Annabel Kelly we came out firing in the second quarter and were able to keep momentum for the rest of the game. There were strong contributions from all players on the field. To name a few we had Lily Whiteman and Lola Hannon-Tan demonstrate their impressive pace and ability to take and break with the ball, sometimes even going too far!!! Chloe Healy won the taps all day. Lucy Abbott and Milla Marchioro competed in the air, whilst Jordi Hutchison made some excellent decisions when kicking the ball laterally to an uncontested player. Chloe Whiteman made a conscious effort to kick wide which set up some of the fabulous goals from Montanna and Tanya. Despite our slow start, everyone should be proud about how we could change our mindset and play an excellent game overall.
Football	Mrs Freeman	Middle A	Def	Loreto	74-0	It was a wet Friday afternoon for a game of football. Our team adjusted well to the conditions and hit the scoreboard early. Ava Thomson commanded the ball and created multiple scoring options. Lola Whiteman was a force to be reckoned with in the wet. She applied pressure to every contest and had excellent composure over the ball to hit up our forward targets. We went into the halftime break 47-0. The rain came down heavy in the third quarter and there were some cold players on the field. With that in mind, we changed our game plan and transitioned our key defenders into the forward line and reserve. Scarlett Whiteman played a key role in the midfield, using her speed to run out of the congestion. She even surprised us with her skills in the ruck. This did not surpass the role Olivia Dair played as our most effective ruck. She overcame the Loreto ruck and contributed significantly to our overall team success. Our vice captain, Alice Mee kicked goals for fun which helped us come away with the win 74-0. Considering the

						challenging conditions and the physicality that Loreto applied, this team should be extremely proud of their efforts to play our brand of footy.
Netball	Ms Besanko	Open A1	Def by	St Mary's	37-30	The result did not reflect the closeness of this contest. The team started strongly, matching St Mary's intensity with strong defensive pressure. Grace and Funke were outstanding in the defensive goal circle, effectively managing a tall opposition shooter. They were well supported by Sarah who worked tirelessly in WD to negate her opponent's influence. Jas and Maddy were thoughtful in their positioning in the mid-court, making adjustments to efficiently cut through to the circle. Tahlia, Ella and Megan continued to develop and strengthen their connection, each presenting proactively in the goal circle. This was our best performance so far and will provide a good platform for the team to build on for the remainder of the season.
Netball	Jordan Cowles	Open B2	Def	Mercedes	26-18	Today's game showed the level of potential that this team has. We held close to the scoreline in the first two quarters but came out firing in the second half to make it in front and continually extend our lead. All three shooters, Leni, Abby and Chloe were on fire with their accuracy today and worked hard to build connections and confidence in the ring throughout the game. Defence was strong throughout the court but particularly impressive in the defensive circle from Sofia and Eva who put body on body and wore down their opposition. This gave us plenty of opportunity to get hands on the ball and create turnovers. Chloe, Mackenzie, Evie and Abby continue to deliver strong passes into the attacking third from the mid court, provide options and support coming out of defence, attack every loose ball always be on the reset line to control the play. All of the girls took on feedback quickly and applied it to the game and our flexibility and adaptability shone through.
Netball	Will O'Callaghan	Open B3	Def	SDPC	29-27	This week we faced a fierce St Dominic's team who were ready for the fight on the cold Saturday morning. It was pleasing to see the new additions to our team Lara and Kari fit in seamlessly as they learnt structures and found their rhythm on the fly. The team looked like facing their 3rd consecutive loss to start 0-3 for the season, however a great last quarter comeback from 5 goals down saw us take the lead and snatch the win by 2 in a final score of 27-29. The team should take great confidence from the last quarter especially, showing that we are a competitive force when we work well as a team and trust the process.
Netball	Kain Noack/Ms Carey	Open B5	Def by	SAC	16-23	The girls had a tough game against a strong opposition. It was a valiant effort with there being lots of pressure all over the court which resulted in many turnovers.
Netball	Layne Emmanuel	Open C6	Def by	Open C8	21-28	The girls were unfortunate not to get the win today. They played a strong first half, but the Ignatius 8 managed to run away with it in the last quarter. Thanks to Montanna for filling in as she was so solid in defence.
Netball	Mia Kelly	Open C7	Def	Loreto	20-27	It was a tough game, either way both sides come out firing from the beginning. Any injury during the game meant the girls had to play with no subs and try new positions. Katie was a standout player, running hard through the mid court as

						always and then trying out shooting positions. Lucy did the same, going from shooting to defence and both players gave their all in all areas of the court.
Netball	Soraya Barone	Open C8	Def	Open C6	28-21	The girls played amazingly today. They fought really hard in the first three quarters with there only being one goal in it at three quarter time. The team brought it home in the final quarter.
Netball	Mrs Freeman	9A1	Def	Cardijn	43-33	It was a fresh morning to come up against Cardijn. Our team found their rhythm quickly and settled into the game. We played to our advantage and managed to get away with our speciality long lob passes. Ailish O'Callaghan commanded the goal space well and put up some excellent shots. We went into the half time break ahead by 7 but Cardijn came back strong in the third quarter and we were forced to adjust our game plan. Amelia Pertini worked extremely hard, putting her body on the line to make intercepts. Her pressure allowed Isabelle Cherry the space to zone off and force Cardijn to make errors. Going into the last quarter ahead was well deserved but we knew they would be strong in the last quarter. The whole team put in a great effort to consolidate out structures, focus on the key messages and we were rewarded with the win.
Netball	Mia Eliseo/Emily Washer	9B2	Def by	Marryatville	22-30	The girls continued to fight all game with many of the girls volunteering to try new positions and combinations. Our defence never gave up all game and should be pleased with their effort.
Netball	Lucy Hodges/Grace Carter	9B3	Def by	SHC	4-29	The girls faces and extremely strong Sacred Heart side. Despite being up against it, the girls continued to display resilience and true Ignatius sportspersonship. Special mention must be made to our goal keeper, Clara, who maintained great pressure and managed several impressive intercepts against quality shooters. Despite the score, the team are continuing to improve weekly.
Netball	Sarah Douglas	9C4	Def	MMC	38-8	The girls played exceptionally well in their netball game, with Sibella and Leah standing out for their impressive shooting and defensive skills. I would also like to mention Lillian Wang, who played her first netball game and showed very good defensive skills. The game started strong and only got better as it progressed, with the team excelling at running out in front and passing strongly. While there is still room for improvement, the girls should be very proud of their performance, especially considering it was only their second game for the season. Even with the mercy rule being applied, they managed to play admirably against Mary MacKillop, ending with a final score of 37-8. Finally, the highlight of the game was our defensive effort once again. Well, done to Captain Isabel DeSteno and Vice-Captain Winnie Fan, who led the team this week.
Netball	Ms Gue	8B1	Def	Nazareth	23-8	Adding to our winning streak, the 8B1s defeated Nazareth this week. The team started off with a bang, keeping Nazareth to only one goal in the first quarter, The girls are continuing to work together to produce some excellent netball. Patience and team work brought us to half time, leading by 14 goals. Nazareth didn't give up and they produced a tough second half. There were a few take aways from this

						game that we can work on at training. Can not wait to see where the next few weeks take us.
Netball	Alicia Hammond	8B2	Def by	SHC	23-24	The girls came up against Sacred Heart and lost a tight game. Exceptional efforts from Holly for her persistence in the defensive lines, Amy Symonds for her tactical game play and Hadley for her ability to show her selflessness and act as a strong individual and team player. I was very proud of all efforts across the court and a very special mention to Allegra for braving out a nasty slip in the first quarter.
Netball	Zara Burgess/Mel Richichi	8C3	Def by	Cabra	7-28	The 8C3 girls kept fighting for the ball throughout the game and helped each other work the ball down the court. They continued to create defensive pressure with their hands up and sticking tight on their players. Despite the score, the girls put all their effort in to keeping working hard right to the end.
Netball	Ms Tompkins	7A1	Def by	St Michael's	20-36	The 7As faced a tough competition in top of the ladder St Michael's. The girls fought hard under tough, cold and slippery conditions. Amelia Kelly once again showcased her versatility by playing a full game in GD taking excellent intercepts and shutting out the GA. The St Michael's girls were physical and skilful but our girls managed to create some really great passages of play and defensive pressure. Lots of learning to take away from the game; however, the girls can hold their heads high with the immense effort each one of them put into today's game.
Netball	Molly Plant	7B2	Def	Nazareth	26-18	The girls had a more challenging game this week with no subs playing against a team with a bit more height than them. Despite this, they applied great pressure at centre passes and stopped plays. They worked really well together to support their team mates especially when some were playing in positions that they hadn't played before. Great win girls.
Netball	Joanna Ceravolo	7C3	Def	St Michael's	Forfeit	The Ignatius girls showed great spirit and sportsperson ship by playing a friendly match against St Michaels. Two Ignatian players leant their skills to the opposition each quarter and it was great to see them trying their hardest against their friends. The Ignatius players focused on their own skills and used the friendly match as an opportunity to try new positions and enjoy the game.
Netball	Kyra Middlemiss/Kari Tripodi/Ella Pacor	7C4	Def	Cardijn	15-4	The girls all played very well considering we only had 6 players. Mayuka played GS for the game (this was her first time) and shot 4 goals....wow! Sophie did a great job making sure she kept offering options for Jasmin to throw into the goal ring. As we didn't have a WD Jasmin and Alexis did so well to bring the ball down. Alissa got a few intercepts and is really improving week by week. Both Alana and Alexis had very strong attackers, but both girls did the school proud and played their own game.
Soccer	Hannah McBain & Mia Sergiacomi	Middle A	Def by	Norwood	0-7	It was another tough game for the Middle Years Girls' soccer team this week. We played at home against an experienced Norwood International team and despite the final score, the players worked hard until the end with some promising talent showing through. Amelia Cameron made some exceptional saves as goalkeeper, Matilde Bellifemine was versatile

						and relentless in the midfield, and multiple offside calls against Norwood were a testament to the girls' defensive teamwork.
Soccer	Mr Borgo	Senior B	Def	Kildare	3-0	This was our best game of the season so far, with 6 genuine shots on goal to none from our opponents. Our team formation and system of play was beautiful, with clean passing and plenty of run. The players in every line performed their roles, and the team dynamics are starting to gel. Congratulations to Leila and Dani on converting their opportunities and to every player who contributed to our goals with a passing game that was exactly what we had trained for. Well done ladies.

Ignatian Sports Reports (Mixed)

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Table Tennis	Mr Donato	Middle Red	Def	PAC	10-5	A great result as we played with only 6 players against the players from PAC.
Table Tennis	Ms Minucci	Middle Yellow	Def	St Paul's	14-1	Another win for this team this week. All players tried hard to beat their opponents losing only one rubber. Our players have consistently shown their dedication in turning up to all practises and this is evident in the consistent game results. Well done on another successful round.
Table Tennis	Ms Henning	Middle B2	Def by	Rostrevor	7-18	Ignatius lost 7 Rubbers to 18 Rubbers (both Teams had to play with 7 players). Best Players Dylan Le, Marco Vozzo and Hoonaz Nikmehr. All members of the Team played well and tried very hard.
Table Tennis	Mr Kapnistis	Middle B1	Def by	Pembroke	4-13	We were beaten by a better team. Some close games particularly in the doubles. Special mention to Aidan Lee who won both his singles games again.
Table Tennis	Mr Lodge	Senior A	Def by	St Peter's	3-17	The SYA1 table tennis team had a another very tough game against St Peters on Friday afternoon. Thank you to our captain Michael Olesen for his Acknowledgement of Country prior to the start of our Indigenous Round games. Congratulations to all the players for the effort and spirit in which the games were played. Well done to Thomas Tabaranza, Justin Diotallevi and Harry Jiang for all having singles match wins. Thomas was awarded the MVP medal
Table Tennis	Mrs Black	Middle White	Def by	Pembroke	7-13	Well done to Renzo who convincingly won all his games. Andrei did well to win all singes and reverse singles games. Akarsh and James had some good wins too. A lot of good improvement shown by all.

