

Ignatian Sports Reports (Boys)

Term 1, Week 4



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Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Badminton	Michael Kolisnyk	Open B3 1	Def	Rostrevor	Sets: 12 - 0	Despite only having seven players this week, the Open B1s showed their colours as the school's premiere team by not losing a single set to Rostrevor. Great playing all around. Best players: Catherine Liu
Badminton	Mr Toome and Mr Stevens	Open B3 2	Def by	Pulteney	Sets: 12 - 13	An epic struggle that went to the wire with top players from Pulteney proving too strong. Outstanding performances from Lachlan Stevens, Alastair Warnes, Johan James and Daniel Calliso in doubles and then singles kept our hopes alive.
Badminton	Arron Nguyen	Open C1	Def by	PAC	Sets: 5 - 7	PAC were very tough opponents, however the boys managed to fight a good fight no matter how hard it was and made it a close match. Ryan Yap played extremely well in his matches, hitting well positioned shots and covering his court effectively.
Badminton	Mr Sturgeon	Middle B3	Def	Blackfriars	Sets: 10 - 0	Another strong win this week gave the team an opportunity to demonstrate being humble in victory.
Badminton	Binh Le and Justin Shair	Middle C	Def	Norwood	20 - 6	This result continues an extremely strong start from the Middle C. A very dominate display from all players. Although some Ignatius' players had to play the B team, they still recorded strong wins and gave it their best shots. Eric Young's singles match was extremely dominate winning 21-2, 21-4. Edward Stevenson's singles match was dominate again recording 21-5, 21-8 for the win. Chan Ho Jung, eager to record his first singles win of the season, recorded a remarkable 21-6, 21-8 against the number 2 seed from the B team. Suen Bajwa recorded his win of the season. Jayveer Budwal's won an outstandingly close singles match 21-19, 20-22, 22-20 against the B team. Jayveer and Chan Ho, 21-2, 21-8 as well as Suen Bajwa and Louis Holland, 21-8, 21-9 won in style in doubles matches.
Water Polo	Nat Swan & Oscar Rice	Open B	Def	PAC Red	13 - 1	The boys had a really strong performance this week against PAC. From the start they looked ready to go warming up as a unit. There was a strong focus on stealing the ball without fouling and helping each other in defence, with each player showcasing this skill when their time came, especially Will who made multiple goal saving challenges. Eamonn started in centre forward, scoring a number of goals from excellent deliveries from his teammates. Tom was excellent in goals, making numerous saves and even scoring a full court goal, catching the opposing goalkeeper unaware. All up, it was an excellent team performance and the boys are really starting to look like a strong and intelligent water polo side
Water Polo	Darcy Emerson & Alex Holt	Middle A	Def by	St Peter's	3 - 8	This was a superb game from the Middle A boys. They listened well to coaching instructions and worked hard up and down the pool. The players made great space in attack, but at times lacked enough fitness to be able to drive towards goals. The game was very physical and the Ignatius players matched the strategy and tactics that the game called for. Well done to James who stopped many shots on goal and to George (2 goals) and Eric (1 goal) for their ability to

keep us in the game. This was an excellent example of team work and discipline from all players.

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Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Basketball	Gome Kalua	Senior C	Def	Cabra 3	17 - 6	This week we played against a very good Cabra side. The game started closely with neither team being able to find the back of the ring and the scored tied at 2 all at the end of the first quarter. However, buy half time our defensive efforts began to bear fruit as we held them to one point that quarter finishing 7 – 3 at half time. This put us in a good position for the rest of the game, however, Cabra hit a couple of shots in the last minute of the game to bring it back to one point, but the girls manage to hold on to win by one point. A very good team win. Best players: Funke, Isabel, Lucy
Basketball	Mason Manning	Middle A	Def	Gleeson 1		The girls had a massive win against Gleeson! We won by something like 50 or so points. This week the girls were definitely more of a collaborative group with everyone more comfortable, particularly defensively. I was really proud of how the girls defended and rebounded given the height disadvantage and they only let the other team score 4 points in the first 3 quarters. Hopefully the girls will have some more evenly matched teams in the next few weeks as I think they will learn more in closer games.
Touch	Mrs Weight	Senior B1	Def	SAC 1	6 - 2	The team played a very exciting game on the weekend against SAC winning by 4. Given that a few players filled in for us from the C team, our communication and team work was amazing. The girls had some very solid defence with the help of great leadership from some players and listening to feedback in the breaks. The girls were able to apply everything we spoke about at half time and see the rewards on the scoreboard. With great control of the game and constant support of each other, the team came away with a great win. Special mention to Claire, Sarah and Eva for filling in and making a big difference to the game.
Touch	Molly Ingram & Harriet Mee	Middle B1	Def	Loreto 2	4 - 2	Despite no training this week due to the hot weather, the team started the game strong in attack and managed to score 2 tries in the first half. The girls lifted their defensive pressure immensely in the second half by focussing on moving forward as a group with pace, which stopped the opposition from making much ground. Another 2 tries were scored in the second half, including a spectacular run from Lily Whiteman. The communication from all players also improved, which allowed the girls to work together and instruct one another, especially to slide in defence and stay wide in attack. Another great win! Best players: Lily and Megan
Touch	Amelia Wilson & Jess Rice	Middle C1	Def	Mercedes 2	1 - 3	The girls played well against a more experienced Mercedes team, and it was encouraging to see them build as a team throughout the match. Our attacking play improved over the course of the game, with the girls becoming more comfortable with rucking the ball up the ground and taking on the defenders. Lily scored a brilliant try, finding her way through multiple

						defenders before a great run down much of the field resulting in our only try for the game. Lola had many excellent moments in defence and her hard running stopped many opposition players from scoring. The girls were all confident enough to try and find scoring opportunities at the line, which is encouraging to see so early in the season. The defence improved immensely in the second half, with a focus on our positioning across the field. Ultimately, it was a great effort from all the girls and we look forward to seeing them continue to improve throughout the season.
Volleyball	Lauren Baso	Senior B2	Def by	Ignatius 1	1 - 2	The girls got off to a slow and nervous start, however, some consistent serving lifted their confidence and allowed them to play with freedom. The girls found their composure, voice, and enthusiasm as they began using three hits and supporting one another. The girls demonstrated great dedication to the ball and were able to take advantage of the available court space beautifully. Best Players: Mackenzie, Olivia, and Inara
Volleyball	Mr Bauze	Middle B1	Def by	SHC 3	1 - 2	The Middle B1 Volleyball girls won the first set quite easily but then lost 2 close sets to lose by a set even though we won more points than SHC. Outstanding serving by Elly nearly brought us back into the game but it was a lack of focus which ultimately was our undoing with some of the team more interested in arguing about the umpiring rather than concentrating on the game. Milla did a great job of trying to keep the girls on track with excellent play and continual positive voice and Stella was solid as usual. Best Players: Milla, Elly and Stella
Volleyball	Mr Bauze	Middle B2	Def by	Norwood 2	1 - 2	The Middle B2 Girls Volleyball team were quite inconsistent in the second game of the year. The first set was close, with SIC losing 25 to 21 but in the second set our girls lost their focus and were badly beaten 25 to 11. We were able to recover and win the 3rd set but by then the damage was done and there was not enough time to get back in the game. The girls need to understand that strong concentration is vital and will often be the difference between winning and losing as it undoubtedly was this time. Best Players: Mikayla, Madeleine and Georgia
Volleyball	Lauren Baso	Middle C4	Def by	Kildare 3	0 - 3	The girls got off to a slow and nervous start, however, once the girls settled they displayed great composure and courage to comeback and draw level. The match was nail-biting, with the girls demonstrating tremendous support for one another, commitment to the ball, and spirit throughout the entire match. The girls were able to utilise their two and three hits wonderfully. Best Player: Caitlin
Volleyball	Isaiah Greco	Middle C5	Def	Loreto 3	4 - 0	What a dominant display by the team. They displayed some excellent skills in serving, setting and digging. Very pleasing to see them working as a team and not just getting the ball back over the net in one hit. Let's now get out to training to work on our spiking. Extremely pleasing all round team display. Best Player: Martha Roberts, Selina Fanok, Clara Bartoli
Volleyball	Ms C Prior	Year 7 B	Def by	St Pauls	1 - 2	An extremely close and entertaining match the girls were narrowly defeated by a strong opposition. I really liked what I saw in terms of skill development with some excellent serving and digging on display by the team. In the end the difference was one of the St Pauls players had an incredible serve which gave them some cheap points. Kudos to the team for not being afraid of her powerful serves and trying extremely hard to get the serve back. Very pleasing to see a few entertaining rallies and the girls did try and use more than one hit to return the ball. Let's now work even harder at training to keep improving our setting and digging skills development.

Volleyball	Ms C Prior	Year 7 C	Def	Kildare 1	Sets: 2 - 0	What a remarkable improvement! Students were more familiar with game play, rules and rotations. We were encouraging each other the whole time and made a significant effort to call for the ball each and every time. We supported each other on the court by sharing the ball and moving around the court to best help players and the game. We had some great successes with our serves which helped to secure a significant win.
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Ignatian Sports Reports *(mixed)*

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Athletics	Interclub #10	It was a quiet week at Interclub Athletics this week with Lily Whiteman representing Ignatius in the Triple Jump, 200m and 60m sprint. She recorded very pleasing results that auger well for the State Championships next weekend. Lily's 200m was a personal best time of 28.80. Congratulations.
Swimming	SASSA	In a big week in the pool the swimming team attending two events this week, the SASSA at the South Australian Aquatic Leisure Centre and the Catholic Co-Ed at the North Adelaide Aquatic Centre. With largely a squad of new swimmers it was exciting to see lots of fresh faces competing for the first time at Marion. A highlight of the day was Juliet Mazur achieving a National Time for the 50 fly, and Joseph Mazur achieving PB's in the 50m breaststroke and freestyle. Seb Rice also took 3 seconds off his 50 Fly. Overall, we came 6th on the day in the combined schools.