Ignatian Sports Reports (Boys) Term 4, Week 3



Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Badminton	Michael Kolisynk	Open B	Def	Rostrevor	8 - 4	A great game played today resulting in a win even though we were down players. Team dynamics are working very well in doubles, and some good performance was shown through all singles. Thanks to Jack for filling in this week.
Badminton	Achintya Garg	Open B/C		Nazareth		
Badminton	Mark Stevens	Open C				
Badminton	Josh Wrinkler	Middle B1	Def	Norwood	12 - 0	Great performance across the board, everyone played really well and not a single set was lost.
Badminton	Thomas Sheldon	Middle B2	Def by	Immanuel	9 - 16	Although beaten by a better team on the day, it was pleasing to see all boys try their hardest in a competitive match against their opponents.
Badminton	Tyler Brogan & Arron Nguyen	Middle C		Glenunga		
T20 Cricket	Mr Mullins & Will Rice	First XI	Def	Pembroke	5/91 7/90	Losing the toss and bowling first, the boys were keen to keep the good form going against Pembroke. Holt and Mencel opened the bowling well and limited Pembroke's scoring opportunities. Seb Rice came on through the middle again bowled beautifully, picking up 3 wickets. We dropped away slightly late allowing them to up the rate towards the end and they finish on 7/90. We start slow with the bat however Kelly again batted beautifully and was supported well by Maxwell and Challa. It came down to the final over where we need 7 to win, with Obbiettivo hitting a 4 and a 2 off the first two balls of the over before scampering a 1 off the penultimate ball to get the job done. A great win for the boys against a school who won the Div 1 T20 competition just 3 years ago.
Cricket	Mr Mullins & Will Rice	First XI	Def by	Mercedes	10/49 6/115	After losing the toss and bowling it was clear that we had not come with the right attitude or commitment to today's game. We had some uncharacteristic errors in the field which frustrated our bowlers and our energy dropped. Hugh Serocki tried his best to lift our team with energy, voice and some excellent bowling but lacked support. We knew chasing 115 was going to be a challenge and some early wickets made it more difficult. Our middle and lower order were left too much to do falling well short of the target. An unfortunate loss but a good reminder of some clear areas for improvement.
Cricket	Mr Grundy	Middle A2		Immanuel		
Cricket	Ryan Murphy & Declan Munn	Middle B2		Woodcroft		
Cricket	Sean Keenihan	7A		St Paul's		
Tennis	Seb Flock	Drive	Def by	PAC	SIC 1 PAC 9	The Drive team has been in very good form so far this term, defeating some very high- quality teams. PAC would be a very big test for the boys as they are currently the

						benchmark team! After some very hard-fought matches, we were not able to come away
						with the win, but it was a very impressive display by all players.
Tennis	Xavier Fallo	Open B1		St Peter's		
Tennis	Luke Ciccozzi	Open B2		Scotch		
Tennis	Mr Fletcher	Open C				
Tennis	Jackson Centenera	Middle A2		St Peter's		
Tennis	Blake Ferraro	Middle B2 1	Def	St Peter's	9 - 1	This week the boys matched up against St Peter's. In a similar fashion to the rest of the season, there were competitive starts in each match. However, it did not take long for the boys to break away and show their class. There was a noticeable difference in skill level which resulted in comprehensive victories across the board in doubles and singles. The boys must still be commended on their efforts to secure wins, as these types of matches can prove to be frustrating and result in better players often playing down to the level of their opponent. This continues our great run of form and gives us a third consecutive win for the term.
Tennis	Adam Watts	Middle B2 2	Def	Immanuel	4 - 3	Congratulations to the players who comfortably won against Immanuel. The scores show the committment of the players who went the extra mile to support the team away at Immanuel.
Tennis	Max Busato	Middle C	Def by	Immanuel	2 - 4	Congratulations to all players who supported the team by attending the away match at Immanuel, Special shout out to Chi and Quek who won comfortably against their opponents.
Tennis	Mr Abela	7A		BYE		
Volleyball	Mr Harben	Open B3		BYE		
Volleyball	Mr Fazzini	Open C1	Def	Cabra 1	3 - 0	The boys came out strong taking a 10-1 lead early on. However, after taking their foot off the gas, Cabra were able to narrow the gap slightly. The boys managed to win the set convincingly, with a similar situation in sets 2 and 3. Though the opponents were undermanned and showed far less experience; the boys showed great sportsmanship throughout, making it an enjoyable game for both teams.
Volleyball	Mr Wentzel	Open C2		Cabra 1		
Volleyball	Lauren Baso	Open C3 1	Def	lgnatius C3 2	2 - 0	In a consistently tight contest, the boys began the match relatively unfocused and made errors that afforded the opposition easy points. However, once the boys found their rhythm, they were able to utilise their three hits, communication, and support for one another to win the match in two sets, 26-24 and 25-17 respectively.
Volleyball	Tom Wilson	Open C3 2	Def	lgnatius C3 1	0 - 2	The Open C3 2 Boys took on the opposing C3 team, their training partners on a Thursday night. Scratch matches between the two on Thursday nights can often be chaotic, however, the fixture aligning with speech day worked perfectly to tire the boys out. With only four of our team playing plus an additional fill-in, we were slightly disorganised, losing easy points. Many positives came from the game when compared to Thursday night scratch matches between the two sides, the boys displayed a much better brand of volleyball, getting a lot less distracted than they would at training.
Volleyball	Nik Villios	Middle B3 1		Ignatius B3 2		
Volleyball	Mr Schapel	Middle B3 2		Ignatius B3 1		

Volleyball	Isaiah Greco	Middle C1 1		Ignatius C1 2		
Volleyball		Middle C1 2		Ignatius C1 1		
Volleyball	Lauren Schell	Middle C2 1	Def	lgnatius C2 2	3 - 0	Playing against another Ignatius team always presents a good challenge but the boys handled the game well today. We started off a bit shaky but very enthusiastic and excited as always. Our team work skills were put to the test as the ball was always returned very well. Our 3 hits allowed us to take control of the game and our serving was nice and strong allowing us to secure a few points in a row. Well done boys! Great game
Volleyball	Mr Hennings	Middle C2 2	Def by	lgnatius C2 1	0 - 3	It was great to be able to watch another Ignatius team play a strong game this afternoon. It is clear that the team works very well together. They were calm and collected on court, always using three hits which put them in a great position to keep the ball moving. Each set was extremely close, going point for point and the other Ignatius team only winning by 2 points each set. This shows how strong this team is and how hard they work together. Great try boys!
Water Polo	Nat Swan	Open B	Def	РАС	3 - 2	The boys came up against PAC this week in what was a very closely contested match. While we struggled offensively, our defence throughout the match was excellent, along with multiple goal saving efforts from our two goalies, Tom and Nick. Still lots to work on in our attacks, although our team defence has come along way. Credit to the boys for holding off multiple attacks from PAC late in the game to secure the win.
Water Polo	Mr Graham	Open C	Def by	Pembroke	0 - 13	The boys were no match for the Pembroke team unfortunately, as they were much stronger and faster (and older) than ours. The boys tried hard and managed a few attempts at goals. Our defence needs a bit of work, although even once there were enough people defending the goals, they were often outmatched. Still, the team fought hard for a game without any subs.
Water Polo	Lucas Bradley & Seb Coffey	Middle B	Def by	Mercedes	7 – 12	The boys faced bigger and more experienced opponents in Mercedes this week. However they are to be commended for the effort and resilience showed in the pool whilst juggling the responsibility of integrating some enthused future prospects in the year sixes. Week on week improvement is clear and the longer term picture is essential to keep in mind for the boys as we move towards the long break in the summer sports season.

Ignatian Sports Reports (Girls) Term 4, Week 3



Sport	Coach	Team	W/L	Opposition	Score	Comment
Basketball	Joyce Laroza	Senior C	Def	Marryatville 1	51 - 21	A very difficult game for our Ignatius girls as we only had 4 players to Marryatville's 8 players. It was a slow start from both teams managing to stay close on the score board. By the third quarter our girls pushed through extending their lead. A great display of basketball with wonderful movement across the court by all members of team. A

						honourable mention to Kuli Ryan for her brilliant full court drives into the ring and Maddie
						Hinton for her perseverance and amazing passing throughout the whole game.
Basketball	Mason Manning	Middle B1	Def	St Michael's 2		This week we came away with a very close win against St Michael's. I was really happy with how the girls played. I felt that they stepped up and all of the girls played a very good role in the win. The other team had a group of players who were all very competent with a couple of good scorers. For the majority of the time, the girls played some phenomenal defence except for some lapses in concentration which resulted in very open players. We were the much taller team this week but we didn't take advantage of it like I would have hoped. There was a lack of physicality and demand/aggression for the ball in rebounding situations despite being bigger. However, when we did get our rebounds we were very quick in pushing the ball which gave us a lot of easy points.
Basketball	Lauren Palumbo & Alyssa Booth	Middle C1	Def	SAC 3	44 - 5	This week's game saw the girls go up against a young Saint Aloysius side. Although it was not an even competition, the girls as always demonstrated their sportsmanlike behaviour. It was a very even performance, with every girl shining, shown on the scoreboard by every player getting at least one goal throughout the game.
Basketball	Emma Carey & Liam Hennig	Middle C2	Def	Cabra 5	56 - 11	Today's game saw the Middle C2 girls come up against a tall Cabra side. Our girls did not let this intimidate them however, helping them to take control of the game early on. Thanks to the girls' teamwork and skills - particularly in intercepting and rebounding the ball - and their confidence in them, they were able to dominate possession of the ball and the score line in the first quarter of the game, bringing the mercy rule into effect early on in the second. Special mentions go to Chloe Villios for her sharp shooting and pressure on the ball, and to Erin Ng and Kemi Odusanya for their strong dribbling and drives.
Tennis	Mr D'Onofrio	Senior 1	Def	Scotch	10 - 2	A very comprehensive win by the girls in only their second game in the boys' competition. Even though we were missing a couple of players due to illness, we were very consistent with our stroke play with some great rallies and exciting points won. Well done to all the girls!
Tennis	Melissa Busato	Senior 2		SAC 2		
Tennis	Ms Tremonte	Senior 3		Ignatius 4		
Tennis	Brianna Gotting	Senior 4		Ignatius 3		
Tennis	Mr Picca	Middle 1		Ignatius 4		
Tennis	Mr Massy Gartly	Middle 2	Def	Ignatius 3	6 - 0	Doubles with Stefania and Marla and Ella and Olivia won 6-0, 6-0. Singles saw Ella win 6-0, Marla win 6-0, Stefania win 6-0 and Charlotte win 6-2. Ignatius 3 should be proud of their efforts and know they will improve their skills as time progresses. Their opposition were good sportswomen and tried their hardest.
Tennis	Ms Capitane	Middle 3		Ignatius 2		
Tennis	Ms Kind	Middle 4		lgnatius 1		
Tennis	Mr Donato	Middle 5	Def	MMC 1	5 - 1	Lulu Lu and Zoe Yang as the number one/two combination, won their doubles match 6-2. Stephanie Priest teamed up with her doubles partner Capri Piantadosi in the three/four combination, losing a tough match 3-6. This was Capri's first game for the season and she played with great enthusiasm. Lulu, Zoe, Stephanie and Doris all won their singles matches 6-3, 6-5, 6-0 and 6-2 respectively. Doris Xue also played her first game this year as the number four player, winning 6-2, and we look forward to having her join us again soon.

Touch	Ms Weight & Alex Hinton	Senior B1		Pembroke 2		
Touch	Mr O'Brien & Lulu Baily	Senior C		OLSH 1		
Touch	Ms Morrish	Middle B1	Def	Pembroke 2	4 - 0	It's so rewarding to see a team's commitment to training, to playing as a team and improving together culminate in a performance the way it did in this game for the girls. We built momentum which set us up to attack the line on multiple occasions, of which the girls capitalised from refining their ability to hit the gap and use support players. Each score, whilst attributed to one player, was the result of whole team contributions to setting up the play. Defensively, our communication was a strength and enabled us to prevent the opposition from scoring, even when they had some close attempts. A very pleasing team game! Well done girls!
Touch	Molly Ingram & Chloe Holland	Middle C1		Loreto 4		
Volleyball	Mr Passaniti	Senior A		Mercedes 1		
Volleyball	Stefan D'Annunzio	Senior B		OLSH 1		
Volleyball Volleyball	Lauren Baso Lauren Baso	Senior C3 Senior C4	Def by Def by	MMC 2 Norwood 1	1 - 2 1 - 2	The girls had a less than ideal start to the match, although some excellent and consistent serving saw them make a comeback; however, their opponents composure afforded them a narrow first set win 25-20. Throughout the rest of the match, the girls served consistently, and their shot selection and placement was excellent, which was a contributing factor to them taking the second set 25-20. Although the girls' support for one another and enthusiasm never faltered, the girls lacked composure in the last half of the third set, which their opponents took advantage of to win the final set 25-17. Despite beginning the match with only five players, two of which being fill-ins, the girls served consistently and used their three hits to great effect. Unfortunately, a lack of communication resulted in the ball bouncing between multiple players several times, which saw the opposition take the first set 25-20. However, the girls adjusted accordingly and began to use their voices, which in combination with great teamwork, allowed them to win the second set 25-21. The third set was played point-for-point, and went down to the wire; however, unfortunately, a run of serves from the opposition saw them narrowly take the final set 25-22.
Volleyball	Jordan Hedley	Senior C5		SHC 4		
Volleyball	Jordan Hedley	Senior C6		BYE		
Volleyball	Ms C Prior	Middle B	Def by	OLSH 1	0 - 4	This week we had a slow start. We lost focus on both our game play and our technique. The opposition saw that we were not playing at our best and made their move early, quickly securing the first set. In set 2, we started strong but struggled with blocking at the net and maintaining our positions on the court. Evie delivered the hit of the match, surprising all on the court with phenomenal reaction, movement, and precision. Zara and Sofia B were our standout players, contributing well to the majority of plays.
Volleyball	Abi Stacey	Middle C2		BYE		

Volleyball	Abi Stacey	Middle C3	Def	Pedare 2	2 - 1	Another all-round performance by the team. Extremely pleasing to see that after losing the first set in a very close contest the girls held their nerve and concentration to come back strong. Elin put on a masterclass of serving, Lana, Cheryl, and Keira produced some excellent digging and setting, Criselda was using her vision and great touch to place the ball in the open part of the court and Natalia displayed her usual enthusiasm to move all over the court. Great to see the girls really trying to use their three hits and starting to support each other and using their voice. We still can even get better with a little more communication. Keep up the enjoyment of playing together.
Volleyball	Isaiah Greco	Middle C4		Ignatius 5		
Volleyball	Mr Bauze	Middle C5		Ignatius 4		
Volleyball	Laura Scarpantoni	Middle C6		BYE		
Volleyball	Laura Scarpantoni	Middle C7	Def by	Gleeson 2	0 - 3	In the first set, the girls were able to keep it close but unfortunately, the opposition's serving was just too good, winning them the first. In the second, the girls were more composed, with great work at the net by Caitlin and Portia. The opposition's deep shots to the back court unfortunately caught the girls out, creating a large gap in points to secure the second set. In the last set, the girls began to back themselves, chasing the ball and scrambling where needed. Unfortunately, the opposition were just too strong with their returns. Overall, the girls performance was the best it has been and I cannot wait to see what they can bring in the last few games.
Water Polo	Orion Sommariva	Senior A	Def	Immanuel 2	10 - 8	A brilliant game from the A grade girls this week defeating Immanuel 2nds, 10-8. A barrage of goals were scored by Lucie and Jas with Amber and Harriet picking up one each as well. Commanding the defence was Poppy in goals, making a number of good saves with assistance from Gabby, Stella and Sophie which sealed the deal and secured our victory.
Water Polo	Alex Hinton	Senior B		Immanuel 3		
Water Polo	Jono Nguyen	Senior C		SHC 1		
Water Polo	Brae Rawnsely & Seb Coffey	Middle C	Def	Pembroke 3	15 – 11	The girls were outstanding across the board during a hard-fought win over Pembroke in their own pool. Goalkeeper Jennifer Carroll made a number of outstanding saves once again paired with a triple-hat trick of goals from Alice Mee, many of which came from halfway down the pool. Kari, Emelie, Olivia, April, Ailish, Cady and Grace all swam outstandingly from start to finish and showed the future of girls water polo at the college remains in safe hands for the foreseeable.