

24 January 2017

Dear Parent / Guardian

The interschool sport competition for Varsity College secondary students will be conducted on a Friday throughout Terms 1 and 2. Varsity College students will be participating in five rounds of sport as part of the GIPSA competition. **Year 11 & 12 students in the OP pathway are not eligible for the interschool sport program due to their QCS Preparation program requirements.**

Year 11 & 12 students not in the OP pathway are eligible to choose a GIPSA Sport from the options provided or take part in the GIPSA Non-Sporting options attached to this letter.

Varsity College students will be participating in five rounds of sport as part of the GIPSA competition. GIPSA schools competing in the program are Southport Independent Public High School, Helensvale Independent Public High School, Miami Independent Public High School and Varsity College.

This state of the art sporting program will offer students real sporting experiences on and off the field. The official competition will boast experienced umpires, coaches, mentors and jerseys. This will give students an authentic sporting experience and allow them to develop both mentally and physically in their chosen sport.

All information for GIPSA will be disseminated via the college newsletter, our college App and general information can be found on our college website.

The following details for the 2017 program are provided for your information.

Interschool Sport Days 2017:

Term 1:

Training Friday 27 Jan, Training Friday 3 Feb, Training Friday 17 Feb, Training Friday 24 Feb, Training Friday 3 Mar.
Round 1: Friday 10 March, Round 2: Friday 24 March.

Term 2:

Round 3: Friday 28 April, Round 4: Friday 12 May, Round 5(Finals): Friday 26 May, Wet Weather Day: 2 June

Cost:

The levy for 2017 Interschool Sport is \$80 per student, this includes the venue, referee and First Aid hire and the laundering of GIPSA Sporting uniforms. Students who select an interschool sport will be invoiced \$80 by week 2. **Payments must be received by Friday 24th Feb 2017.**

Students who have not paid their interschool sport fee by this date will be unable to participate in the interschool sport program and will be allocated to the alternate school based study activity.

Participation in this activity is dependent upon the Student Resource Scheme payments being up to date.

Please note: Tenpin Bowling, Lawn Bowls and Snooker all have additional costs.

Yours Sincerely

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GIPSA - Year 11 and 12

Interschool Sport Selection Details 2017

Sports Day Procedure and Times for Students Participating in Interschool Sport

8:15am - 8.45am Interschool sport students meet their sport teacher at designated Area.

8.45am - Buses depart

9.30am - 1.50pm Participating in GIPSA Sport

2.00pm - Buses depart Sport Venues

2:25pm - Students dismissed

Sports Day Procedure and Times for Students Participating in Alternate School based program

8:15am - 9.00am Parade and roll marking

9.00am - 10:50am Students attend their Alternate School Activity

10:50am - 11:40am First Break

11:40am - 12:50pm Students attend their Alternate School Activity

12:50pm - 1.15pm Second Break

1.15pm - 2.25pm Students attend their Alternate School Activity

2:25pm - Students dismissed

Sporting Program Options - Seniors Y10, Y11 & Y12

Sport / Activity	Cost	Travel	Venues
AFL Boys (9 a side) Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Neilsens Rd
Basketball Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Carrara Stadium
Basketball Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Tallebudgera Rec
Cricket T20 Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Runaway Bay West (Rd 1) & Sir Bruce Small
Netball Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Mallawa, Palm Beach
Soccer Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Miami SHS, Keith Hunt Park, Alabaster & Southport
Soccer Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Mallawa, Palm Beach
Table Tennis Mixed (Teams of 4) Snr & Jnr	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Molindiner
Ten Pin Bowling Mixed Mixed Age Group	\$80 Sports Levy + \$82.50	Bus	Robina Bowl \$16.50 each week Total cost \$162.50
Tennis Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Runaway Bay Pro One
Tennis Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Miami SHS Courts
Lawn Bowls Mixed Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy + \$35	Bus	Mermaid Bowls \$7 each week Total Cost \$115.00
Touch Football Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Mallawa, Palm Beach
Touch Football Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Dodgers Touch, Labrador
Surfing Boys (Teams of 4) Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Burleigh Lifeguard Tower
Surfing Girls (Teams of 4) Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Burleigh Lifeguard Tower
Bodyboarding Boys (Teams of 4) Snr & Jnr	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Burleigh Lifeguard Tower
Bodyboarding Girls (Teams of 4) Snr & Jnr	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Burleigh Lifeguard Tower
Volleyball Boys Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Helensvale SHS
Volleyball Girls Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Varsity College & Southport SHS
Snooker Mixed Seniors & Juniors	\$80 Sports Levy + \$35	Bus	Mermaid Beach \$7 each week Total Cost \$115.00
Competitive Chess Mixed Age Groups	\$80 Sports Levy	Bus	Miami SHS

Alternative Program

Sport / Activity	Cost	Travel	Venues
Robotics All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
Actors Anonymous All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
2D Art All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
Dance Squad All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
VC Media All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
Martial Arts All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
Volunteering Varsity All Year Levels: Y7-Y12	Nil Cost	Yes	Varsity College Primary Campus
Certificate II Sampling & Measurement: Y11 & Y12	Nil Cost	Nil	Varsity College
Barista Course: Y11 & Y12	\$300	Yes	Currumbin RSL
Emergency First Aid & CPR: Y11 & Y12	\$150	Nil	Varsity College
Structured Work Experience: Y11 & Y12	Nil	Yes	Various Locations Gold Coast
Cake Decorating: Y11 & Y12	\$40	Nil	Varsity College