

School Sport ACT e-Bulletin

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This bulletin is collated by School Sport ACT and is targeted towards ACT school staff and students.

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School Sport ACT staff are working remotely due to a fire that occurred in our building last year. We are currently unable to answer phone calls. For general enquiries, please contact info@schoolsportact.org.au

School Sport ACT Excellence in Sport Awards (for 2023)

Nominations for awards have now closed. The award presentation event will be held on Wednesday 13 March, from 4:30-6:00pm at Ainslie Football Club. Further information will be emailed to School Sport Coordinators and short-listed award nominees soon.

School Sport ACT Team Trials

Baseball (18&U Boys and Girls)

School Sport Australia Championship: 28 April to 4 May in Canberra.

Trial information: A third trial date has been added:

Trial 3 – 21 February 5:30-7:00pm at Narrabundah playing fields

Contact: joshua.sowton@ed.act.edu.au

Tennis (18&U Boys and Girls)

School Sport Australia Championship: 4 May to 11 May in Hobart.

Trial information: Students who wish to be considered for selection must compete in the 13&O Tennis Championships on 20 February at Tennis ACT. The SSACT team will be selected after this event. Interested students must register for selection via the SSACT website here: [School Sport ACT ?? Tennis](#)

Contact: michael.bruen@Tennis.com.au or megan.taylor@ed.act.edu.au

School Sport ACT Team Officials Required

Expressions of interest for SSACT team officials (coaches and managers) closed on 13 February. The applications that have been received will be assessed and any remaining vacancies will be advertised in the coming weeks. For further information, please contact eo@schoolsportact.org.au

School Sport ACT Upcoming Regional and ACT Events

Secondary South Touch Football (Years 7-8 & 9-10) Girls & Boys

Date: 28 February

Contact: joh.davies@ed.act.edu.au

Secondary North Touch Football (Years 7-8 & 9-10) Girls & Boys

Date: 1 March

Contact: travis.passier@ed.act.edu.au

See below for sports events run by community organisations. The full calendar of SSACT and community events can be found here:

<https://schoolsportact.org.au>

Community Sport Programs and Opportunities

These are not SSACT events/programs and are solely the responsibility of the advertising organisation listed.

Netball ACT Gala Day North/Gungahlin (Years 5-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 22 February

Contact: Netball ACT caitlin.hanna@netballact.com.au

Netball ACT Gala Day Belconnen (Years 5-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 27 February

Contact: Netball ACT caitlin.hanna@netballact.com.au

NRL Legends Day North Canberra (Years 3-6) Mixed

Date: 27 February

Contact: tgiggins@nrl.com.au

Netball ACT Gala Day South (Years 5-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 29 February

Contact: Netball ACT caitlin.hanna@netballact.com.au

NRL Legends Day South Canberra (Years 3-6) Mixed

Date: 29 February

Contact: tgiggins@nrl.com.au

Water Polo ACT High School Girls (Years 7-10)

Date: 4 March

Contact: Water Polo ACT admin@actwaterpolo.com

Netball ACT Gala Day North (Years 3-4) Girls & Boys

Date: 5 March

Contact: Netball ACT caitlin.hanna@netballact.com.au

Volleyball ACT High School Beach Cup (Years 7-10) Girls & Boys

Date: 6 March

Contact: Events@volleyballact.com.au

Water Polo ACT High School Boys (Years 7-10)

Date: 6 March

Contact: Water Polo ACT admin@actwaterpolo.com

Netball ACT Gala Day Tuggeranong (Years 5-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 7 March

Contact: Netball ACT caitlin.hanna@netballact.com.au

AFL NSW/ACT Senior Schools Cup North (Years 10-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 7 March

Contact: AFL Canberra jessica.connor@afl.com.au

Basketball ACT Primary 3x3 Competition (Years 10-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 7 March

Contact: Basketball ACT

Volleyball ACT College Beach Cup (Years 11-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 8 March

Contact: Events@volleyballact.com.au

Water Polo ACT College Mixed (Years 10-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 13 March

Contact: Water Polo ACT admin@actwaterpolo.com

Oztag ACT College Gala Day (Years 10-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 13 March

Contact: Water Polo ACT admin@actwaterpolo.com

AFL NSW/ACT Senior Schools Cup South (Years 10-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 14 March

Contact: AFL Canberra jessica.connor@afl.com.au

Government College Mixed Cricket (Years 11-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 15 March

Contact: luke.ryan@ed.act.edu.au

Touch Football ACT—Level 1 Referee Course

Level 1 referee course conducted by Touch Football ACT. Open to all ACT College students free-of-charge.

Location: Touch Football ACT, 6 Makin Place, Deakin, ACT

Date: Thursday 22nd February

Time: 2:00-4:00pm

Contact: justin.oag@touchfootball.com.au

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Volleyball ACT Highschool and College Beach Volleyball

High School Beach Volleyball

Wednesday the 6th of March from 9am-3pm.

Competition will be held for mixed gender teams of 4 (one of each gender minimum) in Years 7/8 and Years 9/10 divisions.

Entry fee will be \$10/athlete

Location - Lyneham Beach Facility behind the Netball Centre

Food truck will be available.

Duration of matches will depend on entry numbers. Entries close on the **28th of Feb.**

Entries submitted to Dave Pease Events@volleyballact.com.au

College Beach Volleyball (Years 11 and 12 students)

Friday the 8th of March from 9am-3pm.

Competition will be held for mixed gender teams of 4 (one of each gender minimum) and pairs in 2 divisions (Boys, Girls).

Entry fee will be \$10/athlete

Location - Lyneham Beach Facility behind the Netball Centre

Food truck will be available.

Duration of matches will depend on entry numbers. Entries close on the **1st of March.**

Entries submitted to Dave Pease Events@volleyballact.com.au

School Orienteering ACT – Autumn SC-ORE 2024

Starting Thursday 7th of March for 4 weeks, SC-ORE heads to south Canberra for another exciting series to work those bodies and brains. All students in years 3 to 6 from Canberra and surrounds are welcome to participate. Get an outdoor, body and brain workout *before* hitting the classroom. What better way to start the day!

[Register here for AUTUMN SC-ORE 2024](#)

Entries close 1st of March, the cost is \$32 per participant for the whole series.

7 March - Hughes Primary School (Hughes)

14 March - Curtin Primary School (Curtin)

21 March - Eddison Park (Phillip)

4 April - Forrest Primary School (Forrest)

SC-ORE is for teams of 2 girls and 2 boys. Teams can register incrementally - that is, register your child, then encourage friends to sign up. Not all team members need to sign up at the same time. If your team is a member short, we will try to find a "spare" to compete your team.

Parents and carers are responsible for completing their child/children's entries online. There is no expectation on schools or teachers to organise any aspect of students' attendance. Parents or responsible guardians have duty of care including the responsibility to bring the children to and from the venues. (Car pooling is recommended.) The children are expected to be at the venue at 7:45am for briefing and an 8am start. Events will finish in time for children to get to school (more or less on time).

For more information about SC-ORE visit [Orienteering ACT](#) or go straight to [Registration at RaceRoster](#) to enter SC-ORE online. [Orienteering ACT](#) has more information about orienteering and where you can do orienteering in the ACT.

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Capital Football – Football 9s Capital College Cup

Capital Football is introducing the Football 9s' Capital College Cup for Colleges, which will include girls, opens and mixed social competitions.

Date: 10 April

Venues: Southwell Park, Lyneham

Cost: \$180 per team or \$15 per player

Format: 9-a-side Football

Opens – Year 11 and 12 players from ages 15-18

Girls – Year 11 and 12 girls from ages 15-18 years old

Mixed – Social Competition, year 11 and 12 players from ages 15-18 years old

Link to register: <https://form.jotform.com/233027863033855>

Contact: Dylan.DJ@capitalfootball.com.au

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