

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 located at Woden Athletics Park. For general enquiries, please contact 61030777 or info@schoolsportact.org.au

New School Sport ACT Executive Officer

Welcome to our new Executive Officer, Lil Mutton!

What a wonderful opportunity I have received to come on board as your Executive Officer; I am looking forward to hitting the ground running! I am passionate about sport and the diverse opportunities it provides students, teachers and volunteers within our community. Growing up in Canberra, I had my first taste of representative sport through the ACT School Sport system and those early sporting opportunities have had a huge influence on my life.

I am looking forward to the opportunity to meet many of you out and about at events, so please come and introduce yourself.

- Lil Mutton



Regional School Sport Advisory Group (RSSAG) Meeting

Thursday 12 September, 2:00pm, online (link to be emailed to members).

School Sport Australia Championships

Congratulations to our SSACT 15&U Cricket teams who competed in Mackay, Queensland last week. School Sport ACT would again like to acknowledge and thank Greg Boorer for his very generous support of the teams. Good luck to our 12&U Netball teams who are competing in Melbourne this week.

School Sport ACT Team Trials

12&U Track & Field (Girls and Boys)

SSA Championship: 28 November to 2 December, Sydney NSW

Trial information: Students who wish to be considered for selection must compete in the SSACT 12&U Track and Field Championships on 17 September. In addition to competing at this event, interested students must register for selection via the SSACT website by 19 September:

<https://schoolsportact.org.au/sports/track-and-field/>

Contact: anne.potter@cg.catholic.edu.au

School Sport ACT Upcoming Regional and ACT Events

The full calendar of events can be found at: <https://schoolsportact.org.au/>

ACT 12&U Track & Field Girls & Boys

Date: 17 September

Contact: anne.potter@cg.catholic.edu.au

ACT Secondary Netball (Years 7-12) Boys

Date: 18 September (NOTE NEW DATE, no longer on 12 September)

Contact: zachary.sheather@ed.act.edu.au

Government Colleges Touch Football (Years 11-12) Boys & Girls

Date: 18 September

Contact: Jenna Baxter

ACT Secondary Netball (Years 7-10) Girls

Date: 19 September

Contact: bradley.jones@ed.act.edu.au

ACT 13&O Track & Field Girls & Boys

Date: 24 September

Contact: madeleine.light@ed.act.edu.au

Government Colleges Lawn Bowls (Years 11-12) Boys & Girls

Date: 26 September

Contact: Fiona Maloney

Government Colleges AFLX (Years 11-12) Boys & Girls

Date: 22 October

Contact: Mark Armstrong

Primary Football (Soccer) Tuggeranong (Years 5-6) Boys & Girls

Date: 4 November

Contact: vladimir.susko@ed.act.edu.au or justin.hughes@ed.act.edu.au

Secondary Basketball North (Years 7-10) Boys

Date: 5 November

Contact: andrewm@emmaus.act.edu.au

Secondary Basketball South (Years 7-10) Boys

Date: 7 November

Contact: david.jess@ed.act.edu.au

Government College Table Tennis (Years 11-12) Boys & Girls

Date: 8 November

Contact: Colin Kelley

ACT Secondary Indoor Climbing Competition

Date: 8 November

Contact: greg.fisher@ed.act.edu.au

Community Sport Programs and Opportunities

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

Oztag ACT South (Years 3-6) Girls

Date: 28 August

Contact: Oztag ACT

Basketball ACT Sue Geh Cup North/Gungahlin (Years 5-6) Girls

Date: 29 August

Contact: Basketball ACT

ACT Schools Mountain Bike Championships (Years 6-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 30 August

Contact: schools@corc.asn.au

Tennis ACT Todd Woodbridge Cup North (Years 3-4) Girls & Boys

Date: 13 September

Contact: Tennis ACT

Tennis ACT Todd Woodbridge Cup South (Years 3-4) Girls & Boys

Date: 20 September

Contact: Tennis ACT

NRL Canberra Raiders Mixed League Tag North (u14 & u16) Girls & Boys

Date: 22 October

Contact: sread@nrl.com.au

Basketball ACT Sue Geh & Jamie Pearlman Finals (Years 5-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 23 October

Contact: Basketball ACT

NRL Canberra Raiders Mixed League Tag South (u14 & u16) Girls & Boys

Date: 24 October

Contact: sread@nrl.com.au

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

Date: 25 October

Contact: Volleyball ACT

Tennis ACT Todd Woodbridge Cup Finals (Years 3-4) Girls & Boys

Date: 25 October

Contact: Tennis ACT

NRL Canberra Raiders Mixed League Tag North (Years 3-6) Girls & Boys

Date: 29 October

Contact: tgiggins@nrl.com.au

Canberra Ultimate Frisbee Carnival (Years 11-12) Girls & Boys

Date: 29 October

Contact: Canberra Ultimate Frisbee

Orienteering ACT Spring SC-ORE

Starting Thursday 24th of October for 4 weeks, SC-ORE heads to inner north of 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!

Dates and Venues:

- 24 October—Ainslie School
- 31 October—St Joseph's Primary School
- 7 November—Rosary Primary
- 14 November—Lyneham Primary

Time: 7:40am for 8:00am start. Events will finish in time for children to get to school.

Registration: Closes Friday 18 October [Register here for Spring SC-ORE 2024](#)

Cost: \$32 per person for the whole series

Contact: [Orienteering ACT](#)

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, organisers will try to find a "spare" to complete 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.

ACT Secondary Schools Indoor Rockclimbing Competition

Dates: Friday 8 November

Venue: Canberra Indoor Rockclimbing, 38-40 Essington Street, Mitchell

Time: 8:30am to 2:30pm

Cost: \$20 per student

Contact: greg.fisher@ed.act.edu.au