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SECTION ONE

It gives me great pleasure to present this annual report on behalf of the executive, diocesan and association coordinators and individual sport conveners. 2008 has been an awe-inspiring year for many reasons. World Youth proved to be the largest single, international mobilisation of young people the world has ever seen with a focus on celebrating our Catholic faith. Many people were inspired by a marvellous series of events including the journey of the Cross and Icon, the passion and harmony of visiting pilgrims and of course the visit by Pope Benedict XVI to our Australian shores for the very first time. A similar feel was experienced later in the year with the Olympic and Paralympic games in Beijing. People from around the world came together as one and shared in some moments that will touch our hearts forever.

The scope of this report reflects another amazing year of sporting achievement for our catholic school students and staff in secondary schools across NSW. 2008 is a Pacific School Games year and again a reflection of the incredible talent we have in our catholic schools and the pathways that are available in a wide variety of sports. It is always rewarding to see students from our catholic secondary schools listed as members of NSW All School and Australian teams.

The Annual Report that follows is a most detailed account of the many sporting events for the year. It highlights the representative pathways and illustrates the complex yet incredible organisation that takes place to allow all these opportunities to come to fruition. There is no doubt that our success as an association is a result of the tremendous support at a local level from our participating schools, Principals and teachers.

A great deal of thanks must go to the individual sports coordinators at each and every school in our system. They are at the 'coal face' where these sporting opportunities are communicated and work tirelessly, often well outside their normal teaching duties. To the NSWCCC sports conveners, thank you for work in promoting and organising your sport. The expertise, motivation and passion you have in coordinating your sport and ensuring access into the All Schools arena is invaluable and you are all vital components to the success of CCC. To the Diocesan and Association representatives – a job well done. Your role in administering and organising your schools is ongoing throughout the year and again vital to allow our pathways to function so effectively. Special mention to Sydney Combined Colleges (SCC) our new Association joining us for the first time this year.

I would also like to take this opportunity to thank the members of the CCC executive – Joshua Holmes, Linda Densmore, Robert Ellison and Paul Kennedy for the great work they have done throughout the year. This working committee has met regularly to improve our practices and discuss a wide variety of council issues, all in the aim of making CCC a more professional and effective association. This year we have devoted much of our time to the development of our constitution and operational guidelines which will serve as a consistent blueprint for our future operations.

Our organisation has been fortunate to have a dedicated executive officer in Kym Skerritt. Kym has approached her role in a professional, friendly and efficient manner and is always there to support the needs of council members, Principals, schools, students and families. Along with this, Kym provides a vital link to both the Catholic Schools Coordinating Committee and to the NSW All Schools sporting structures. Congratulations on a great year and thank you Kym on behalf of all involved in catholic school sport.

The diverse roles mentioned so far are all vital components to the successful operation of CCC. We all must continue to be aware that we are one part of a team, that the association caters for students from all over NSW in over 20 sports and remain open minded to the reality of existing resources that are available to us. Our website continued to develop as an up to date, reliable tool for use by schools, teachers, parents and students and we have promoted it as our major communication link. I must take this opportunity to again thank Adrian Brown at the Catholic Education Commission for his ongoing support of our website and I look forward to further developments in this area.

Finally, my thanks to the members of the Catholic Sports Coordinating Committee. Your support and guidance of our CCC council and your communication to the Conference of Directors and Association of Catholic School Principals is very much appreciated. As we look ahead to secure our future it is imperative that our council members and enthusiastic teachers continue to receive support from their respective Principals and Diocesan Offices. To those who are leaving our NSWCCCSA thank you for your contributions, good luck to you and best wishes for the future!

Please take time to read this NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Annual Report for 2008, I am sure you will be impressed with the quality of our students and the structures we have in place.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Sparks'.

John Sparks
Chairperson

CATHOLIC SPORTS CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE

Catholic Sports Co-ordinating Committee (CSCC) was formed in 1994 in response to an identified need by the NSW Minister of Education to ensure all students and all teachers in all schools throughout NSW had access to NSW representation.

CSCC is a subcommittee of Catholic Secondary Schools Association (CSSA).

Membership for this Committee came from representatives from the Conference of Diocesan Directors of Catholic Education and the Association of Catholic School Principals Inc – NSW/ACT. Terms of References were formulated and can be obtained on request from the Executive Officer.

CSCC Members for 2008:

Representing Conference of Directors of Education

Mr Gary McSweeney	Principal	St Edward's Primary School Tamworth
Mr Greg Whitby	Director	Catholic Education Office Parramatta

Association of Catholic Schools Principals Inc – NSW/ACT

Br Jeff Regan	Principal	St Dominic's College Kingswood
Mr John Lo Cascio	Principal	Good Samaritan College Hinchinbrook
Mr Paul Edgar	Principal	St James Primary Yamba
Ms Michelle Campbell	Principal	St Anthony's Catholic Primary School Kingscliff
Mr Bill Ross	Primary Teacher	St Patrick's Primary Griffith
Ms Fiona Paton	Secondary Teacher	Marian Catholic College Kenthurst

Representing NSW Catholic Schools Sports Council (CPS)

Mrs Linda Densmore	Catholic Education Office Bathurst
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Representing NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Sports Association (CCC)

Mr John Sparks	Consultant	Catholic Education Office Wollongong
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Executive Officer NSWCCC

Mrs Kym Skerritt (Secondary)

Executive Officer NSWCCPS

Mrs Anne-Marie Miranda (Primary)

CSCC's charter is to provide sporting pathways to ensure teachers and students in affiliated catholic primary and secondary schools have access to NSW and Australian representation.

CSCC supports CPS and CCC by:

- Endorsing policies for the conduct of events
- Controlling the budget
- Endorsing the calendar
- Endorsing the conveners
- Having a voice on the All Schools Board of Management
- Preparing reports to the stakeholders, Diocesan Directors and ACSP

Correspondence to this Committee should be addressed to:

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NSW COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION

2008 – EXECUTIVE

Chairperson:	John Sparks
Diocesan / Association Representative:	Linda Densmore
Convener Representative:	Paul Kennedy
Council Representative:	Robert Ellison
Council Representative:	Joshua Holmes
Executive Officer:	Kym Skerritt

NSW COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION

2008 – DIOCESAN / ASSOCIATION REPRESENTATIVES

ARMIDALE	Tim Kennedy	St Mary's College Gunnedah
BATHURST	Linda Densmore	Catholic Education Office Bathurst
BROKEN BAY	Joshua Holmes	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga
CANBERRA / GOULBURN	Louise Stokes	Catholic Education Office Canberra / Goulburn
LISMORE	Robert Ellison	Catholic Education Office Lismore
MAITLAND / NEWCASTLE	Bernadette Duggan	Catholic Schools Office Maitland / Newcastle
PARRAMATTA	Chris Anschau	Catholic Education Office Parramatta
CGSSSA	Sue Wells	Santa Sabina College Strathfield
CBSA	Fred Zalloua	St Charbel's College Punchbowl
MCC	Peter Buxton	Marist College Kogarah
MCS	Joe Lantz	St Gregory's College Campbelltown
SCC	Chris Hook	Casimir Catholic College Marrickville
SOUTHERN SYDNEY	Aaron Poll	St John Bosco College Engadine
WAGGA WAGGA	Anthony Hood	Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga Wagga
WOLLONGONG	John Sparks	Catholic Education Office Wollongong

NSW COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION

2008 – SPORT CONVENERS

ATHLETICS	Jane Knapinski	Mercy College Chatswood
AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL	Travis Doyle	St Francis De Sales College Leeton
BASEBALL	Scott Murray	St Edward's College East Gosford
BASKETBALL	Br Jeff Regan	St Dominic's College Kingswood
CRICKET – Boys	Tim Spain	St Dominic's College Kingswood
CRICKET – Girls	Ross Gawthorne	St Columba's High School Springwood
CROSS COUNTRY	Liz Gale	St Agnes Catholic High Rooty Hill
DIVING	Anita Holland	St Andrew's College Marayong
FOOTBALL – Boys	John Carnabuci	LaSalle Catholic College Bankstown
FOOTBALL – Girls	Janeen McCrorie	Xavier College Cranebrook
GOLF	Leroy Conroy	John Paul College Coffs Harbour
HOCKEY – Boys	Ian McKenzie	McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth
HOCKEY – Girls	Bev Smith	Catherine McAuley College Westmead
NETBALL	Belinda Westwood	De La Salle College Cronulla
RUGBY LEAGUE	Steven Hooper	Red Bend College Forbes
RUGBY UNION	Chris Hicks	St Dominic's College Kingswood
SOFTBALL	Glenys Fallick	Trinity Catholic College Auburn
SWIMMING	Wayne Gillard	Xavier College Cranebrook
TENNIS	Kay Southall	Edmund Rice College Wollongong
TOUCH	Kym Skerritt	NSWCCC Executive Officer
TRIATHLON	Paul Kennedy	Xavier College Cranebrook
VOLLEY BALL	Clare Roden	LaSalle Catholic College Bankstown
WATER POLO	Chris Hook	Casimir College Marrickville

CSCC AFFILIATED SCHOOLS - 2008

DIOCESE OF ARMIDALE

O'Connor Catholic High ARMIDALE
St Mary's College GUNNEDAH
Holy Trinity INVERELL

St Philomena's MOREE
McCarthy Catholic College TAMWORTH

DIOCESE OF BATHURST

Mackillop College BATHURST
St Joseph's Central BLAYNEY
St Lawrence's Central COONABARABRAN
St Raphael's Central COWRA
St John's College DUBBO

La Salle Academy LITHGOW
St Matthew's Central MUDGEE
St Joseph's Central OBERON
James Sheahan Catholic High ORANGE
St Mary's Central WELLINGTON

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

St Augustine's College BROOKVALE
Mercy Catholic College CHATSWOOD
St Edward's College GOSFORD
St Joseph's Catholic College GOSFORD EAST
St Paul's Catholic College MANLY
Stella Maris College MANLY

Mt St Benedict College PENNANT HILLS
Brigidine College ST IVES
St Peter's Catholic College TUGGERAH
St Leo's Catholic College WAHROONGA
Mackillop Catholic College WARNERVALE
Mater Maria Catholic College WARRIEWOOD

DIOCESE OF CANBERRA/GOULBURN

Carroll College BROULEE
St Patrick's Parish School COOMA
Sacred Heart Central COOTAMUNDRA
Trinity Catholic College GOULBURN
Lumen Christi PAMBULA

St Anne's Central School TEMORA
McAuley Catholic Central TUMUT
St Mary's Central School WEST WYALONG
Mr Carmel Central YASS
Hennessy Catholic College YOUNG

DIOCESE OF LISMORE

Xavier Catholic College BALLINA
St Joseph's College BANORA POINT
St Mary's High CASINO
John Paul College COFFS HARBOUR
McAuley Catholic College GRAFTON
St Paul's College KEMPSEY
Trinity Catholic College LISMORE

Mt St Patrick College MURWILLUMBAH
St Joseph's Hastings Regional High PORT MACQUARIE
MacKillop Senior College PORT MACQUARIE
St Paul's High PORT MACQUARIE
Australian Technical College PORT MACQUARIE
St John's College WOODLAWN

DIOCESE OF MAITLAND/NEWCASTLE

St Joseph's High ABERDEEN
St Pius X High ADAMSTOWN
St Paul's High BOORAGUL
St Mary's High GATESHEAD
St Francis Xavier's College HAMILTON
All Saints College St Joseph's Campus LOCHINVAR

All Saints College St Mary's Campus MAITLAND
All Saints College St Peter's Campus MAITLAND
San Clemente High MAYFIELD
St Catherine's College SINGLETON
St Clare's High TAREE

DIOCESE OF PARRAMATTA

Nagle College BLACKTOWN SOUTH
 Gilroy College CASTLE HILL
 St Patrick's Marist College DUNDAS
 McCarthy Catholic College EMU PLAINS
 Emmaus Catholic College KEMPS CREEK
 Delany College GRANVILLE
 Caroline Chisholm College GLENMORE PARK
 Clare Catholic High HASSALL GROVE
 Our Lady of Lebanon HARRIS PARK
 St Mark's Catholic College STANHOPE GARDENS
 Marian Catholic College KENTHURST
 Xavier College LIANDILO

St Andrew's Holy Family Campus MARAYONG
 St Andrew's John Paul II Campus MARAYONG
 Cerdon College MERRYLANDS
 Loyola Senior High School MOUNT DRUITT
 St Bishoy's Coptic Orthodox Christian College MT DRUITT
 Our Lady of Mercy College PARRAMATTA
 Terra Sancta Nirimba Campus QUAKERS HILL
 St Agnes Catholic High School ROOTY HILL
 Terra Sancta Schofields Campus SCHOFIELDS
 St Columba's High SPRINGWOOD
 Catherine McAuley High WESTMEAD
 Bede Polding College WINDSOR SOUTH

DIOCESE OF WAGGA WAGGA

Xavier High ALBURY
 Marian Catholic College GRIFFITH
 St Francis De Sales Regional High LEETON

Mater Dei Catholic College WAGGA WAGGA
 Kildare Catholic College WAGGA WAGGA

DIOCESE OF WILCANNIA / FORBES

Red Bend Catholic College FORBES

DIOCESE OF WOLLONGONG

St Joseph's Catholic High ALBION PARK
 Holy Spirit College BELLAMBI
 St Patrick's College CAMPBELLTOWN
 Magdalene Catholic High NARELLAN
 St John the Evangelist High NOWRA

Corpus Christi Catholic High OAK FLATS
 John Therry Catholic High ROSEMEADOW
 Mt Carmel High VARROVILLE
 Edmund Rice College WOLLONGONG
 St Mary Star of the Sea WOLLONGONG

SOUTHERN SYDNEY

Freeman Catholic College BONNYRIGG
 Our Lady of Mercy College BURRANEER
 De La Salle College CARINGBAH
 All Saint's Catholic Senior High CASULA
 De La Salle College CRONULLA

St John Bosco College ENGADINE
 Good Samaritan Catholic College HINCHINBROOK
 Aquinas College MENAI
 St Patrick's College SUTHERLAND
 Clancy Catholic College WEST HOXTON PARK

CATHOLIC GIRLS SECONDARY SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION (CGSSSA)

Bethlehem College ASHFIELD
 Trinity College AUBURN/REGENTS PARK
 Domremy College FIVE DOCK
 Rosebank College FIVE DOCK
 St Scholastica's College GLEBE
 Our Lady of the Sacred Heart KENSINGTON
 St Ursula's College KINGSGROVE

Loreto College KIRRIBILLI
 Monte Sant' Angelo Mercy College NORTH SYDNEY
 Brigidine College RANDWICK
 Santa Sabina College STRATHFIELD
 St Clare's College WAVERLEY
 Marist Sisters' College WOOLWICH

METROPOLITAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS (MCS)

Trinity College AUBURN
 Patrician Brothers' College BLACKTOWN
 St Gregory's College CAMPBELLTOWN
 St Patrick's Marist College DUNDAS
 Marist College EASTWOOD
 Patrician Brothers' College FAIRFIELD

St Paul's Catholic College GREYSTANES
 St Dominic's College KINGSWOOD
 All Saint's College LIVERPOOL
 Holy Cross College RYDE
 Terra Sancta Schofields College SCHOFIELDS
 Parramatta Marist High WESTMEAD

METROPOLITAN CATHOLIC COLLEGES (MCC)

De La Salle College ASHFIELD
LaSalle Catholic College BANKSTOWN
Marist High KOGARAH
Christian Brothers' High School LEWISHAM

Marist Brothers' College NORTH SHORE
Marist Brothers' College PAGEWOOD
Marcellin College RANDWICK

CHRISTIAN BROTHERS SPORTS ASSOCIATION (CBSA)

Christian Brothers' College BURWOOD
Rosebank College FIVE DOCK
Holy Spirit College LAKEMBA
Casimir College MARRICKVILLE

Marist College PENSHURST
St Charbel's College PUNCHBOWL
St Mary's Cathedral College SYDNEY
De La Salle College REVESBY

SYDNEY CATHOLIC COLLEGES (SCC)

All Saint's College LIVERPOOL
Bethany College HURSTVILLE
Casimir College MARRICKVILLE
Holy Spirit College LAKEMBA

Mary McKillop College WAKELEY
Mt St Joseph College MILPERRA
St Charbel's College PUNCHBOWL

NON – PATHWAY AFFILIATED ASSOCIATIONS

These associations can not provide a pathway to NSW representation.

METROPOLITAN COMBINED CATHOLIC SCHOOLS (MCCS)

Bethlehem College ASHFIELD
Catherine McAuley High WESTMEAD
Marist Sisters' College WOOLWICH
St Leo's Catholic College WAHROONGA

St Patrick's College DUNDAS
Terra Sancta College SCHOFIELDS
Trinity Catholic College AUBURN

SHIRE COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES ASSOCIATION (SCCCA)

Aquinas College MENAI
De La Salle College CARINGBAH
De La Salle College CRONULLA

Our Lady of Mercy College BURANEER
St John Bosco College ENGADINE
St Patrick's College SUTHERLAND

NEW SOUTH WALES ALL SCHOOLS

2008 – HONOUR ROLL

Athletics

Godfred Agyemang	Holy Spirit College Lakemba
Brent Andersen	Xavier High School Albury
Filoi Aokuso	Clare Catholic High Hassall Grove
Victoria Ardita	Cerdon College Merrylands
April Bamford	Magdalene Catholic High School Narellan
Jessica Bennett	St Patrick's Marist College Dundas
Madeleine Bird	St Peter's Catholic College Tuggerah
Angelique Booth	Stella Maris College Manly
Sarah Bright	Mt St Benedict College Pennant Hills
Michael Buckland	Holy Spirit College Lakemba
Naomi Burgess	St Patrick's Parish School Cooma
Annaleise Collier	St Columba's High School Springwood
Tahnee Cannan	Xavier High School Albury
Lisa Celi	Aquinas College Menai
Karlie Chambers	Holy Spirit College Bellambi
Becky Clark	Mt St Benedict College Pennant Hills
Lewis Clark	St Pius X High School Adamstown
Lauren Clark	Caroline Chisholm College Glenmore Park
Brydee Clarke	Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga Wagga
James Connor	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Anthony Costello	Marist College Kogarah
Matthew Cox	St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Hayleigh Davis	St Patrick's Catholic School
Dejaneé Defoe	St Agnes Catholic High School Rooty Hill
Daniel Egan	St Patrick's College
Cheyne Egelton	St Dominic's College Penrith
Josie Ernst	All Saints College - St Joseph's Lochinvar
Asalia Fagatuai	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Lomana Fagatuai	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Patrick Fakiye	Marist College Eastwood
Melissa-Maree Farrington	Trinity Catholic College Auburn
Elle-Maree Farrington	Trinity Catholic College Auburn
Natasha Fountas	Our Lady of Sacred Heart Kensington
Jacqui Fry	Cerdon College Merrylands
Emanuele Fuamatu	Patrician Brothers' College Fairfield
Mitch Gaffey	Bede Polding College Windsor
Ben Gordon	Marcellin College Randwick
Melissa Hayes	Terra Sancta College Schofields
Melissa Hilder	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Gerard Holland	Hennessy Catholic College Young
Rachel Howard	Brigidine College Randwick
Mariella Hurtado	Cerdon College Merrylands
Antonio Inzitari	St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Joshua Jay	St Dominic's College Kingswood
Shannon Jennings	Caroline Chisholm College Glenmore Park
Adriana Jones	St Pius X High School Adamstown
Alicia Keir	Aquinas College Menai
Salim Kheirallah	Parramatta Marist High Westmead
Connor Knight	John Paul College Coffs Harbour
Kelsey Knight	John Paul College Coffs Harbour
Alex Langbridge	Mackillop Catholic College Warnervale
Paletina Lemi	Catherine McAuley College Westmead
Olivia Leonard	St Joseph's Campus Lochinvar
Robert Lightfoot	St John Bosco Engadine
Mikey Lloyd-Tighe	Xavier Catholic College Ballina
Jake Lynch	Mater Maria Catholic College Warriewood
Emily Mantle	McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains
Kyle Malone	St Dominic's College Kingswood
Scott McCarthy	McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains

Natalie McDonnell	Xavier Catholic College Ballina
Tepai Moeroa	Patrician Brothers' College Blacktown
Matthew Mooney	Marist College Eastwood
Abby Moroney	Magdalene Catholic High Narellan
Natasha Morrison	Mount Carmel High School Varroville
Jordan Mulhearn	Marist College Eastwood
Derek Mulhearn	Marist College Eastwood
Codi Mumberson	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Rocco Musumeci	Holy Spirit College Bellambi
Benjamin Norton	John Paul College Coffs Harbour
Jessie O'Brien	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga
Cameron Page	St Edward's College Gosford
Amy PejkoVIC	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga
Ciaan Perera	St Pius College
Sam Petterson	Xavier Catholic College Ballina
Mitchell Pink	St John The Evangelist Nowra
Alex Pitkethly	St John The Evangelist Nowra
Caitlen Pollock	St Francis Xavier's College Hamilton
Melissa Prior	St Patrick's College Campbelltown
Emma Robson	John Paul College Coffs Harbour
Isabella Rosati	Brigidine College St Ives
Reegan Semmens	Xavier Catholic College Ballina
Alison Kaye Severino	St Ursula's College Kingsgrove
Isabella Shina	Marian College Kenthurst
Tavleen Singh	Caroline Chisholm College Glenmore Park
Tegan Smith	McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth
Jonathan Smith	St Gregory's College Campbelltown
David Snowdon	St Dominic's College Kingswood
Thomas Soliman	Gilroy Catholic College Castle Hill
Laura South	Gilroy Catholic College Castle Hill
Dallan Stanton	Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga Wagga
Tayla Stark	St Ursula's College Kingsgrove
Jake Stein	St Dominic's College Penrith
Nathan Sutherland	James Sheahan Catholic High School Orange
Abbie Taddeo	St Joseph's Catholic High Albion Park
Caiti Takacs	St Mary Star of the Sea College Wollongong
Daniel Talevski	LaSalle Catholic College Bankstown
Lauren Tam	Monte Sant' Angelo Mercy College North Sydney
Laura Turner	St Patrick's College Sutherland
Savannah Walker	St Paul's College Kempsey
Jessica Warwick	Santa Sabina College Strathfield
Kimberly Watton	Santa Sabina College Strathfield
Regan Yerbury	St John Bosco College Engadine

AFL

Jack Brooks	Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga Wagga
Rory Feltwell	Xavier High Albury
Liam Frazer	St Francis De Sales College Leeton
Justin Gordon	St Francis De Sales College Leeton
Sam Milne	Kildare Catholic College Wagga Wagga
Tom Tiffen	St Francis De Sales College Leeton
Jacob Townsend	St Francis De Sales College Leeton
James West	St Mary's Cathedral College Sydney

Baseball

Byron Aird	Gilroy College Castle Hill
Alex Howe	Edmund Rice College Wollongong
Joshua Goldsmith	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga
Michael Picken	St Paul's High School Booragul
Aaron Sookee	St Dominic's College Kingswood

Basketball	Joshua Black Ellie Gleeson Daniel Sepokas Suzannah Walmsley Sebastian Zakrzewski	St Edward's College Gosford Xavier High School Albury Aquinas College Menai Xavier High School Albury St Dominic's College Kingswood
Cricket	Ben Bourke Jake Mitchell Sam Mullins Brodie Neems Kurtis Patterson Angus Robson Scott Warren	St Gregory's College Campbelltown St Gregory's College Campbelltown Bede Polding College Windsor Mackillop Catholic College Warnervale Christian Brother's High School Lewisham Marcellin College Randwick Magdalene Catholic College Narellan
Cross Country	Brent Anderson Kevin Batt Annalise Brunskill Matthew Cox Emily Esposito Ryan Hennessy Emily Mantle Barton McPherson Jessie O'Brien Cameron Page Mitchell Pink Sam Petterson Kerrie Simpson Erica Sweeney Natalie Van Coevorden Todd Wakefield Kyle Wormington	Xavier High School Albury St Edward's College Gosford St Joseph's Catholic College Gosford St Gregory's College Campbelltown Mt St Joseph Milperra Holy Spirit College Bellambi McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains Lumen Christi Catholic College Pambula St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga St Edward's College Gosford Xavier College Ballina Xavier College Ballina St Patrick's College Sutherland O'Connor Catholic High Armidale John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow St Gregory's College Campbelltown St Francis Xavier College Hamilton
Diving	Owen Gilbert William Smith	McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Football	Nicola Bolger Frano Franco Carlie Ikonomou Adrian Karakolevski Jessica Seaman Samantha Spackman	Freeman Catholic College, Bonnyrigg St Paul's College Greystanes Marist Sisters' College Woolwich Holy Spirit College Bellambi Marist Sisters' College Woolwich Magdalene Catholic High Narellan
Golf	Carly Beck Daniel Bringolf Luke Humphries Dimitrious Papadatos	Stella Maris College Manly Casimir College Marrickville Trinity Catholic College Goulburn Mackillop Catholic College Warnervale
Hockey	Madison Banks Madeleine Bell Abbie Cambridge Scott Cleary Kyle Eichorn Matthew Harmon Matthew Harris Ben Redding Sophie Rodda Johanna Rowlands Ben Urquhart Chris Whitehall	MacKillop Catholic College Warnervale MacKillop Catholic College Warnervale Trinity Catholic College Goulburn Marcellin College Randwick O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale John Paul College Coffs Harbour Mt Carmel High School Varroville La Salle Academy Lithgow Trinity Catholic College Lismore Trinity Catholic College Goulburn All Saints College St Mary's Campus Maitland Holy Spirit College Bellambi
Rugby	Mitchell Cullen Jayden Dallalana	All Saint's College St Peter's Campus Maitland Holy Spirit College Bellambi

Softball	Simone Freeman Natalie Steele Kimberley Wright Kieran Casey	Gilroy College Castle Hill Brigidine College St Ives Emmaus College Kemps Creek St Edward's College Gosford
Swimming	Michelle Connelly Nick Duncan Georgia Farrell Thomas Fraser-Holmes Brielle Halloran Brendan Irvine Jarrod Killey Adam McNamara Brendan Micallef Ally Lee Erin Killey Alexis Mastrodomenico Georgia Miller Jacob Molloy Sarah O'Neil Toneya Price Matthew Roberts Emma Rogers Tim Schofield Chloe Taylor Laura Tumbers Eric Wong	Marian Catholic College Griffith St Paul's Catholic College Manly Stella Maris College Manly St Francis Xavier's College Hamilton Magdalene Catholic High Narellan Marcellin College Randwick St Francis Xavier's College Hamilton St John's College Woodlawn St Paul's College Greystanes Loreto College Kirribilli St Pius X High School Adamstown Corpus Christie College Oak Flats Stella Maris College Manly Holy Cross College Ryde Nagle Girls High Blacktown St Patrick's College Sutherland All Saints College St Joseph's Lochinvar Marist Sisters' College Woolwich St Edward's College Gosford Mt St Benedict College Pennant Hills St Mary's College Gunnedah St Patrick's Marist College Dundas
Tennis	Scott Browne Brooke Bustolin Robert Howe Simone Ludeke Adam Taylor	Mater Maria Catholic College Warriewood Kildare Catholic College Wagga Wagga John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow St Clare's High School Taree MacKillop Senior College Port Macquarie
Touch	Daniel Chiddy Tamara Cochrane Kate Coleman Jenna Hitch Alex Langbridge Laura Peattie Madison Regan	St Paul's Catholic College Manly Stella Maris College Manly St Joseph's High Port Macquarie Stella Maris College Manly MacKillop Catholic College Warnervale Stella Maris College Manly Nagle College Blacktown South
Triathlon	Jacinta Aitken Katie Anderson Sam Appleton Jack Hickey Tom Higham Braden Ludlow Rhiannon Ludlow Jacob Murray Laura Owen Brooke Parker Kye Poverino Alana Yardley	St Paul's High Booragul St Mary's College Gunnedah St Columba's High School St Mary's College Gunnedah St Mary's College Gunnedah St Mary's College Gunnedah St Mary's College Gunnedah St Mary's College Gunnedah St Mary's College Gunnedah St John Bosco College Engadine MacKillop College Mackillop Senior College Port Macquarie Holy Spirit College Bellambi
Volleyball	Amy Borden Chloe Carver Eilish Henry Sam Leneham Jeremiah Pele Anna Phillips Lucy Phillips	Santa Sabina College Strathfield Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta St John the Evangelist High Nowra St John the Evangelist High Nowra De La Salle College Revesby Santa Sabina College Strathfield Santa Sabina College Strathfield

Water Polo

Devon Boyle
Kayle Leathem
Ellen Pittorino
Serena Reid
Rachel Vosila
Eli Deloraine
Patrick Falson

Marist Sisters' College Woolwich
Stella Maris College Manly
Santa Sabina College Strathfield
Marist Sisters' College Woolwich
Santa Sabina College Strathfield
All Saints College St Mary's Campus Maitland
De La Salle College Cronulla

AUSTRALIAN ALL SCHOOLS

2008 – HONOUR ROLL

Baseball	Alex Howe	Edmund Rice College Wollongong
Basketball	Daniel Sepokas	Aquinas College Menai
Cross Country	Todd Wakefield	St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Football	Adrian Karakolevski Carlie Ikonomou Jessica Seaman Emma Stewart	Holy Spirit College Bellambi Marist Sisters' College Woolwich Marist Sisters' College Woolwich St Patrick's College Dundas
Golf	Dimitrios Papadatos	MacKillop Catholic College Warnervale
Rugby League	Tim Auremi Caleb Binge Jamal Idris Albert Kelly Reece Regan Junior Roqica Neenan Simpson Jarrod Thompson Aaron Woods	St Paul's Catholic College Greystanes St John's College Woodlawn LaSalle College Bankstown Patrician Brothers' College Blacktown McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains Holy Cross College Ryde La Salle College Blacktown St Gregory's College Campbelltown Holy Cross College Ryde
Touch	Sam Brisby Cameron Breust Daniel Chiddy Scott Daley Haylee Henderson Alicia Quirk	St Augustine's College Brookvale Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga Wagga St Paul's Catholic College Manly Patrician Brothers' College Blacktown Caroline Chisholm College Glenmore Park Kildare Catholic College Wagga Wagga
Water Polo	Serena Reid Ellen Pittorino Patrick Falson Eli Deloraine	Marist Sisters' College Woolwich Santa Sabina College Strathfield De La Salle College Cronulla All Saints College St Mary's Campus Maitland

CSCC SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS - SECONDARY

2007	Mark Gallienne	McCarthy College Tamworth
2006	Jane Knapinski	Mercy Catholic College Chatswood
2005	Janine Forward Mark Hilderbrandt Paul Lentern Paul Milgate	Catherine McAuley College Westmead Marist College Kogarah Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta Xavier Catholic College Ballina
2004	Rose Krauksts Chris Kokegei Kay Southall	Parramatta Marist High Westmead St Edward's College Gosford Edmund Rice College Wollongong
2003	Anthony Kane Phil Tobin	Edmund Rice College Wollongong All Saint's College St Mary's Campus Maitland
2002	Christopher Browne Mark Sanson Gaye Withers	St Andrew's College Marayong Xavier High Albury MacKillop College Bathurst
2001	Stephen Aitkin Linda Densmore Br Norman Hart Br Jeff Regan David Watt Mike Williams	McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains Catholic Education Office Bathurst Conference of Diocesan Directors St Edward's College Gosford Christian Brothers' High School Lewisham St Mary's Central Wellington
2000	Br Brian Berg Terry Blanchard David Regattieri	Obley St Mary's St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga St Peter's Catholic College Tuggerah
1999	Bill Barry Helen Notley Jackie Potter Bev Smith	St John the Evangelist Nowra Catholic Schools Office Maitland/ Newcastle St Vincent's College Potts Point Catherine McAuley High Westmead
1998	David Mamo Br Ambrose Payne Regina Roach Les Salisbury Jenny Vatovic	De La Salle College Ashfield Oakhill College Castle Hill Mount Erin High Wagga Wagga Marist Brothers' College Penhurst St Mary's College Wollongong
1997	Barbara Amos Jan Cleal Joseph Lantz Mark McGinty John Sparks	St John's College Dubbo Holy Spirit College Bellambi Mount Carmel High Varroville John Paul II College Marayong Catholic Education Office Wollongong
1996	Chris Anschau Kathy Campbell Ray Collins Anne Doring Gasson Nasr Vince Villa Terry White	Delaney College Granville Our Lady of Sacred Heart Primary School Randwick Catholic Education Office Dubbo Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta De La Salle College Bankstown Catholic Education Office Wollongong Catholic Education Office Wollongong

NEW SOUTH WALES COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION

2008 – VINCE VILLA AWARD – to be named

2008 – NSWCCC BLUES AWARD RECIPIENTS

Sport	First Name	Surname	School	Award
AFL	Justin	Gordon	St Francis De Sales College Leeton	Bar
AFL	Liam	Frazer	St Francis De Sales College Leeton	Blue
Athletics	Jacqueline	Fry	Cerdon College Merrylands	Blue
Athletics	Laura	Turner	St Patrick's College Sutherland	Bar
Athletics	Dallan	Stanton	Mater Dei Catholic College Wagga	Blue
Baseball	Alex	Howe	Edmund Rice College Wollongong	Blue
Baseball	Byron	Aird	Gilroy College Castle Hill	Blue
Basketball	Ellie	Gleeson	Xavier High School Albury	Blue
Basketball	Suzannah	Walmsley	St Francis Xavier College Hamilton	Blue
Basketball	Daniel	Sepokas	Aquinas College Menai	Blue
Basketball	Josh	Black	St Edward's College Gosford	Bar
Cricket	Angus	Robson	Marcellin College Randwick	Blue
Cricket	Brodie	Neems	Mackillop Catholic College Warnervale	Bar
Cricket	Sam	Mullens	Bede Polding College Windsor	Blue
Cross Country	Jessie	O'Brien	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga	Blue
Cross Country	Sam	Pettersen	Xavier Catholic College Ballina	Blue
Cross Country	Matthew	Cox	St Gregory's College Campbelltown	Blue
Football	Nicola	Bolger	Freeman Catholic College Bonnyrigg	Blue
Football	Adrian	Karakolevski	Holy Spirit College Bellambi	Blue
Football	Emma	Stewart	St Patrick's Marist College	Blue
Golf	Dimitrios	Papadatos	MacKillop College Warnervale	Bar
Golf	Luke	Humphries	Trinity Catholic College Goulburn	Blue
Golf	Carly	Beck	Stella Maris College Manly	Blue
Hockey	Johanna	Rowland	Trinity Catholic College Goulburn	Blue
Hockey	Sophie	Rodda	Trinity Catholic College Lismore	Blue
Hockey	Matthew	Harmon	John Paul College Coffs Harbour	Bar
Hockey	Kyle	Eichorn	O'Connor Catholic College Armidale	Blue
Netball	Alix	McDermott	St Patrick's College Campbelltown	Blue
Netball	Kellyann	Grayson	All Saints College – St Mary's Campus Maitland	Blue
Rugby League	Jamal	Idris	LaSalle Catholic College Bankstown	Blue
Rugby League	Timothy	Auremi	St Paul's Catholic College Greystanes	Blue
Rugby	Jayden	Dallalana	Holy Spirit College Bellambi	Bar
Softball	Simone	Freeman	Gilroy College Castle Hill	Bar
Softball	Ryan	Driscoll	John Therry Catholic College Rosemeadow	Blue
Softball	Natalie	Steele	Brigidine College St Ives	Blue
Softball	Ben	Green	Aquinas College Menai	Bar
Swimming	Thomas	Fraser-Holmes	St Francis Xavier's College Hamilton	Blue
Swimming	Michael	Young	Mater Maria College Warriewood	Bar
Swimming	Sarah	O'Neill	Nagle Catholic College Blacktown	Blue
Tennis	Simone	Ludeke	St Clare's High School Taree	Blue
Tennis	Adam	Taylor	MacKillop Senior College Port Macquarie	Blue
Tennis	Brooke	Brustolin	Kildare Catholic College Wagga	Blue
Touch	Alicia	Quirk	Kildare Catholic College Wagga	Blue
Touch	Scott	Daley	Patrician Brothers' College Blacktown	Blue
Touch	Daniel	Chiddy	St Paul's Catholic College Manly	Blue
Triathlon	Jacob	Murray	St Mary's College Gunnedah	Blue
Triathlon	Thomas	Higham	St Mary's College Gunnedah	Blue
Volleyball	Sam	Lenehan	St John the Evangelist Nowra	Blue
Volleyball	Chloe	Carver	Our Lady of Mercy College Parramatta	Blue
Water Polo	Serena	Reid	Marist Sisters' College Woolwich	Blue
Water Polo	Ellen	Pittorino	Santa Sabina College Strathfield	Blue
Water Polo	Eli	Deloraine	All Saints College St Mary's Campus Maitland	Bar
Water Polo	Patrick	Falson	De La Salle College Cronulla	Blue

EXECUTIVE OFFICER'S REPORT 2008

As you will see in this report, this program has provided many opportunities for students and teachers in CSCC affiliated schools at all levels of competitive sport.

The announcement of Australian teams which include students who have been through our program remind us that what we do is worthwhile and a valuable part of our school curriculum.

In my report I want to thank all those who have contributed to the success of NSW Combined Catholic Colleges. These groups are made up of people who are eager to contribute their talents and interests in a variety of ways.

CSSA – Catholic Secondary Schools Association have provided us with a structure that ensures the longevity of this program and provides workable guidelines.

CSCC – Catholic Sports Co-ordinating Committee establish those procedural guidelines to ensure consistency and efficiency. Special thanks goes to Gary McSweeney, Chairperson, for his support of the secondary program.

Website – our website continues to become a necessary and valuable source of communication. Many thanks to Adrian Brown from the Catholic Education Commission who manages to find time to maintain the website on our behalf.

CSCC employees: Ann-Marie Miranda, Executive Officer – Primary who keeps alive the link between CCC and CPS and provides me with great support. Bev Vimpany, who provides the financial support that ensures payments are made and monitored and also provides wonderful support.

I would like to extend my thanks to the Executive for their support and guidance. In particular the work they have done in preparing the Constitution and Operational Guidelines. Your leadership and vision is outstanding.

The NSW Conveners work specifically with their sport ensuring rules of play and selections provide a level playing field and ensure all students are given a fair go. In particular, I would like to thank conveners who have retired, Kay Southall – Tennis, Glenys Fallick – Softball. Both these women have serviced us for many years as Conveners. Their leadership and expertise have ensured opportunities for many students. I would also like to thank Belinda Westwood for her expertise and involvement in Netball. In most cases these people will still be involved as coaches, managers, selectors or co-ordinators of competitions. I would also like to thank their schools for providing the support for them to carry out their duties.

Diocesan Sports Representatives will often work with conveners by supporting activities that are held in their local area. Often it is the local community's hospitality that provides the most memorable moments. Special mention must go to the rural areas that have a wonderful way to ensure all have a good time. We also acknowledge your efforts to ensure your students are given the opportunity to attend NSWCCC selections when at times cost and isolation are great barriers. Fred Zalloua is no longer representing his groups but his contribution is duly noted and appreciated. We wish him well in his new appointments.

School principals who support and value the representative sports program in what is a very busy schedule where representative sport is not a mandatory requirement. However, it is viewed as a way for those to use their god given talents. Many of whom we honour at the Blues Award Presentation.

Sports Co-ordinators – No structure is successful unless it has people working at the grass roots level. Your tireless efforts to be the first port of call to the student is necessary and appreciated.

Parents who battle to ensure their children have a balance in their lives so that they may become adults that can share their lives in the future to make this a better world.

Students – thank you for sharing your talents in a gracious way. We pray your achievements continue and that you may share your talents with others.

Please take time to look through this report and take note of the names and schools of these people.

I have enjoyed working with all groups and look forward to 2008.

Kym Skerritt

NSWCCC Executive Officer

SECTION TWO

DIOCESAN / ASSOCIATION REPORTS

DIOCESE OF ARMIDALE

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The Diocese of Armidale has been involved in many different sports offered by the NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Sports Association including Athletics, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Football, Hockey, Netball, Rugby League, Rugby Union, Swimming, Tennis, Touch and Triathlon. Students from the Armidale Diocese have experienced success in many sports with this year's highlights being:

- Claire Sheridan (St Mary's College Gunnedah) CCC Blue Triathlon
- Jack Hickey (St Mary's College Gunnedah) School Sport Australia Intermediate Boy's Triathlon Champion
- Tom Higham (St Mary's College Gunnedah) School Sport Australia Junior Boy's Triathlon Champion
- Jacob Murray (St Mary's College Gunnedah) NSW All Schools Junior Boy's Triathlon Champion
- Megan Isbester (St Mary's College Gunnedah) NSW All Schools U12 Girl's Cross Country Champion
- Laura Tumbers (St Mary's College Gunnedah) NSW All Schools U16 Girl's 1500m Swimming Champion
- Erica Sweeney (O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale) 5th NSW All Schools U13 Girl's Cross Country

Students to gain selection in NSWCCC teams included:

Megan Isbester	Cross Country	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Tom Higham	Cross Country	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Jacob Murray	Cross Country	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Braden Ludlow	Cross Country	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Jack Hickey	Cross Country	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Erica Sweeney	Cross Country	O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale
Kyle Eichorn	Hockey	O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale
Alexander Frost	Hockey	O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale
Heath McIlveen	Rugby League	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Cameron Kesby	Rugby Union	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Liam Gallagher	Rugby Union	O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale
Laura Tumbers	Swimming	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Rachel Halpin	Touch	McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth
Brittany Coe	Touch	McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth
Jack Hickey	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Braden Ludlow	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Rhiannon Ludlow	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Jacob Murray	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Tom Higham	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Katie Anderson	Triathlon	St Mary's College Gunnedah

St Mary's College Gunnedah provided six of the seventeen members of the NSWCCC Triathlon team with all six triathletes going on to represent NSW All Schools at the School Sport Australia Triathlon Championships held at Devonport, Tasmania and two becoming Australian champions. This is a remarkable effort from a small school in north-west NSW.

Students, staff and parents from all five secondary schools in the Armidale Diocese greatly appreciate the opportunity to be able to compete in sport at this level. The Armidale Diocese is one of the largest dioceses in NSW in area but also one of the smallest by population. This combination of large area and small population means that our costs [especially travel] are high. Many families have combined a trip to Sydney for NSWCCC sporting events with a weekend in Sydney to make their trip more worthwhile. Due to costs, distances to travel and time away from school parents and students have become far more selective in the events that they participate in. With smaller numbers attending events this just compounds the problems with costs.

In 2008 the Armidale Diocese once again combined with the Bathurst Diocese in Rugby Union. With our small numbers it was not viable to send a team to the NSWCCC selections but by combining with the Bathurst Diocese students from the Armidale Diocese were still able to follow the selection pathway to NSWCCC. Thanks to Linda Densmore and the teachers from the Bathurst Diocese involved for allowing this to take place. We look forward to continuing this arrangement and expanding it to include other sports in 2009.

Within the Armidale Diocese schools competed in various competitions in swimming, cross country, athletics, touch, football [soccer], cricket, tennis, golf, chess and debating. These competitions were either a carnival following the NSWCCC program or a round-robin tournament to maximise student involvement. Multiple games on a single day to minimise costs and disruptions to schools is the preferred format endorsed by the Principals and Sport Organisers.

The individual School Sports Organisers from the Armidale Diocese, Sean Baldwin [St Philomena's Moree], Bernie Williams [McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth], Greg Jones [O'Connor Catholic High School Armidale] and David Koch [Holy Trinity School Inverell], all must be thanked for their efforts this year in contributing their time and energy to help sport run smoothly in their school. We're all well aware of just how much time is required to make things happen in school sport often when there are other things requiring your attention as well. Special thanks to David Koch for his organisation and dedication to the role of Diocesan Rep over the past few years and for sharing his knowledge and wisdom with me in my first year in this role.

Mr. Patrick Roohan [Principal St Philomena's Moree] has been Chairman of the Armidale Diocesan Secondary Sports Council this year taking over from Mr. Paul McDougall who had filled the role for the previous ten years. Patrick's support for Diocesan Sport has been greatly appreciated by all concerned.

Finally, thanks to all the individual Sport Conveners for all their efforts this year in organising and running the many different sporting events offered by NSW CCC. Our students are fortunate to have so many opportunities available to them through sport and this is thanks mainly to the hard work of all Sport Conveners and especially to the efforts of Kym Skerritt and the NSW Catholic Sports Coordinating Committee. The Armidale Diocese looks forward to continuing to provide sporting opportunities to our students in 2009 and utilizing the pathways available to us.

Tim Kennedy
Armidale Diocesan Secondary School's Sport Coordinator

DIOCESE OF BATHURST

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As 2008 draws to a close and plans are being put in place for 2009, it is a wonderful opportunity to reflect on the year that was. The year unfolded as a successful and productive year for everyone connected to the NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Sport Program.

The year started on a high for the Diocese with Mardi Watts from MacKillop College, Bathurst receiving a Blue for Hockey at the Annual NSW Combined Catholic College Awards Evening in February.

Three hundred and fifty students represented the Bathurst Diocese in a wide range of sports at the NSW Combined Catholic Colleges level. The sports included Athletics, Basketball, Cricket, Cross Country, Diving, Football, Golf, Hockey, Netball, Rugby League, Rugby Union, Softball, Swimming, Tennis and Touch.

Rachel Griffin, Samantha Milligan, Amy Symons, Ruth Ford, Zoe Watts, Sarah Whiley, Kelsey Willott represented NSW CCC in Hockey; Toby Evans in Touch; Andrew Pollard in Softball and Lauren Dove in Swimming.

The following students medalled at NSW CCC Athletics: Hilary Dube, Stephanie Gordon, Alex Fowler, Sarah Sweeney, Kate Thorne, Julia O'Shea, Amelia Leard, Rebecca McGirr, Renee Cargill, Luke Griffiths, Matt Gersbach; Amelia Leard and Hilary Dube were named aged champions of the meet.

Ben Redding, La Salle Lithgow (Hockey), Toby Evans, Red Bend, Forbes (Touch) and Brooke Parker, MacKillop, Bathurst (Triathlon) were successful in gaining selection to NSW All Schools.

Furthermore, four staff from catholic schools across the diocese held official positions at NSW All Schools/School Sport Australia/Pacific School Games events in Rugby League, Cricket, Swimming, Cross Country and Football.

The final major event for our NSW Catholic Schools pathway this year is the Pacific School Games to be held in Canberra from November 30 to December 6. This event is held every four years. Twenty one countries are being represented at this year's event. Ben Redding (Hockey) and Nathan Sutherland (Athletics) will represent the diocese at this event and Linda Densmore will be a technical official at the swimming.

An extensive sports program like this can only be realised by the hard work and commitment of the dedicated organisers. I sincerely thank the Diocesan/Association Sport Representatives for their continued hard work in promoting sport in their dioceses. I thank the many Diocesan and Combined Catholic Colleges Team Managers and Convenors who work with such enthusiasm ensuing this sport programme is run professionally.

A special thank you goes to Kym Skerritt, our Executive Officer, Bev Vimpany, Accounts Clerk and Kathie Lowe, Clerical Assistant who run the engine room behind our Sport Council, ensuring this very comprehensive sport program is run professionally. Kym needs to be singled out and recognised for the organisational and communication skills that she brings to her role.

At the other end of the scale is the NSW Catholic Sports Coordinating Committee who provides guidance and support to the Council in a multitude of ways. Thank you.

Yes! 2008 has indeed been an excellent year for sport in our Diocese.

Linda Densmore
Diocesan Sport Representative

DIOCESE OF BROKEN BAY

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Manly

Stella Maris College
Manly

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St Ives

St Peter's Catholic College
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St Leo's Catholic College
Wahroonga

Mackillop Catholic College
Warnervale

Mater Maria College
Warriewood



2008 has been an exceptional year for the Broken Bay Secondary Schools Sports Association in many respects. On the sporting field our carnivals, championships, selection trials and representation through the available sporting pathways has achieved outstanding results. The association has also continued to run successfully due to the hard work and commitment of our 12 dedicated Sports Co-ordinators, carnival convenors, team coaches, managers and selectors.

To highlight the sporting year 2008 began with our top athletes being honoured at the 2007 Combined Catholic Colleges Blues awards. In 2007 we were well represented at the nomination phase and the following students went on to be awarded the most prestigious award in Catholic Schools sport – The CCC Blues Award.

Daniel Alley	St Paul's Manly	Rugby
Josh Black	St Edward's Gosford	Basketball
Cale Bowd	St Edward's Gosford	Cross Country
Kieran Casey	St Edward's Gosford	Swimming
Laura Giblett	Stella Maris Manly	Softball
Matthew Ludowici	St Augustine's Brookvale	Diving
Brodie Neems	Mackillop Warnervale	Cricket
Cameron Page	St Edwards Gosford	Cross Country
Michael Young	Mater Maria Warriewood	Swimming

Continuing the year on a successful note our open and 16 year old boys won the CCC Rugby Championships and in a first our Open boys dominated opponents winning the CCC Touch championship. As a Diocese many of our individual athletes made their way through the available sporting pathways. Selections into CCC teams were too many to note and congratulations must go to all these students. We had 37 individuals selected in NSW All-Schools teams, 21 Athletes selected to represent NSW at the Pacific School Games, against competitors from the Pacific rim Nations and 2 students go on to take Australian representative honours.

Off the sporting field the Sports Association has established a new user friendly web site ensuring improved communication channels between our schools. Web Address: <http://www.dbb.org.au/schools/secondarysport>. Further to this the establishment of a wet weather line has provided another way to ensure the smooth running of BBSSSA events into the future. Number – 9990 3633.

2008 will also see the inaugural running of the BBSSSA Lawn Bowls invitational Championships.

As always many thanks need to be made to the committed staff who have ensured a successful 2008.

Thanks to:

- The Broken Bay executive; Jane Knapinski (Mercy), Amber Byrnes (St Paul's) and David Chant (Brigidine), who have provided great support throughout the year.
- The sports Co-ordinators who work tirelessly to provide opportunities for the students in our schools to participate in the BBSSSA and its associated Pathways.
- The 16 sports convenors that have run very successful carnivals and selection events.
- The managers, coaches and officials who have given up their time to provide coaching and guidance to our teams at representative carnivals throughout NSW.



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- The staff that have taken the time to lend their expertise to the CCC through the convening of carnivals in 2008.

Jane Knapinski	Mercy Catholic College Chatswood	Athletics
Scott Murray	St Edward's College Gosford	Baseball
Andy Martin	St Paul's Catholic College Manly	Rugby

- Dr Michael Slattery (Catholic Schools Office Broken Bay) for his continued guidance and support of the Diocesan Sports Association.
- Gay Purchase (Catholic Schools Office Broken Bay) for her administration support.
- The Broken Bay Secondary School Principals for their continued support of sport in the Broken Bay Diocese.

Joshua Holmes
President BBSSSA



ARCHDIOCESE OF CANBERRA AND GOULBURN

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There are nine secondary schools in the NSW sector of the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn. Many of the schools are smaller central schools in isolated rural areas. To represent their school and archdiocese in sporting competitions not only provides students the opportunity to experience a higher level of competition but more importantly it encourages them to be active members of a much larger community of schools.

Through the provision of a representative pathway, the Catholic Sports Coordinating Committee enables secondary students from the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn to actively join the wider community of Catholic schools. I would like to take this opportunity to thank CSCC, the Combined Catholic Colleges Sports Association, the many carnival and trials convenors and CSCC Executive Officer, Kym Skerritt for the support they have given to the staff and students from our archdiocese during 2008.

Over 250 secondary students represented the Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn at NSWCC events with many students going on to represent in NSWCCC teams and in NSW All School teams, a great advertisement for our pathways.

I would like to thank the many staff from schools throughout the Archdiocese who have assisted in convening trials and managing teams. Some of these staff members have been the backbone of representative sport for many years and continue to give dedicated service to our school communities. I would also like to welcome and thank the teachers who have recently joined the ranks of convenors and managers; your contribution is most appreciated.

Finally, I would like to wish all of the CCC community the best for 2009 and I am looking forward to working with you all again as we provide a pathway for all students in Catholic Schools across NSW.

2008 is a Pacific Schools Games year and I look forward to hosting many of you in the Nations Capital in December. Their pathway to that level included the CCC pathway. ACT worked hard to host this event and many students perform at their very best. For some this was their only taste of international competition and many lasting friendships were made. This was a great celebration of sport for all students in Australia and surrounding countries.

Congratulations to all for another great sporting year for students and staff.

Louise Stokes
Education Officer for Student Health Sport and Safety
Archdiocese of Canberra and Goulburn



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The Diocese of Lismore Sports Program has continued to have many successful outcomes throughout this past year. I extend another sincere thank you and well done to our dedicated school sports coordinators as well as to the various carnival and trial conveners, and team managers. Collectively they have made immeasurable contributions to sport in their schools and in the diocese as a whole. Their commitment to, and concern for, providing the opportunities and pathways have enabled a very large number of students to benefit greatly from their positive experiences in sport.

I wish also to express my thanks to parents for their practical support of their children and for their assistance, with other volunteers, at carnivals and trials.

Indeed, a big thank you to anyone who contributed in any way to the success of school, diocesan and NSWCCC sport with special appreciation extended to principals and school executive for much needed support.

Well done to all students who took part in sport at any level this year with special congratulations to those who went on to representative honours.

The many highlights of 2008 have included:

- Jacqueline Freney's (Xavier College Ballina) three bronze medals at the Beijing Paralympics as well as a world record in the Women's Short Course S8 100m Freestyle
- Sam Petterson's first place in the School Sport Australia 17+ Boys AWD Cross Country.
- Mikey Lloyd-Tighe's Australian record for Girls 14 Years AWD Long Jump – set at the NSWCCC Championships in September.
- Another very impressive number of students from our secondary schools gaining selection into NSWCCC sides, with a select band of these making it into NSW All Schools or Australian sides
- The continued high level performances of our Diocesan Swimming team as a whole as well as some outstanding individual efforts at NSWCCC and beyond. One standout performer was James Mugnussen (Port Macquarie) with his haul of gold and other medals and three new NSWCCC records, as well as finishing runner up in the Senior Boys Championship. The other was Ellie Bradshaw (Trinity) in the junior girls' multidisability events with 4 gold medals.
- The excellent result of the of the Lismore team at the NSWCCC Athletics to finish prominently in the Diocesan/Association points table. This was indicative of some excellent performances by so many of our team members and was despite our greatly reduced team numbers.
- The excellent hosting of the 2008 NSW All Schools Golf Selection Trials at Coffs Harbour in July – many thanks Leroy Conroy and the Coffs Harbour community.
- The unmistakable sense of team spirit that seems to be a part of so many of our diocesan teams despite the varied locations from which our team members come. This same team spirit is very noticeable amongst school teams as well. A great amount of credit goes to our excellent team managers and, of course, to the students themselves.
- The continued growth, interest and success in primary and secondary sport for children with disabilities including those mentioned above.
- Finally, congratulations and thank you to all diocesan and NSWCCC conveners, managers and officials, and all diocesan representatives, with a special thank you and well done to Kym Skerritt, NSWCCCSA Executive Officer.

Robert Ellison
Lismore Diocesan Representative



DIOCESE OF MAITLAND-NEWCASTLE SECONDARY SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

NSWCCC ANNUAL REPORT 2008

As we wind down from 2008 it's hard not to feel anything but optimism for sport in our Catholic schools. It has been another outstanding year for students in our Diocese with many being rewarded with selection in NSW Combined Catholic Colleges and All Schools Teams. I continue to be amazed by, and proud of, the number of talented and dedicated athletes we have in our Diocese. All of the students who represented our diocese as an individual or as a team member are to be commended not only for what they achieved in their sport, but also for the manner in which they took part. They have also managed to combine their sporting achievements with rigorous academic programs.

Some of the outstanding students have been acknowledged with NSWCCC Blues Awards. I would like to congratulate Suzannah Walmsley from St Francis Xavier's Hamilton for Basketball, Kellyann Grayson from St Mary's Maitland for Netball, Thomas Fraser-Holmes from St Francis Xavier's Hamilton for Swimming, Simone Ludeke from St Clare's Taree for Tennis and Eli Deloraine from St Mary's Maitland received a Bar for Water Polo. We had several hundred students represent our Diocese at the full range of CCC sports and over 40 of these students were selected in a NSWCCC team. Some of these went on to be NSW All Schools Representatives. They include Josie Ernst, Adriana Jones, Olivia Leonard and Caitlen Pollock for Athletics, Michael Picken for Baseball, Ben Urquhart for Hockey, Mitchell Cullen for Rugby, Thomas Fraser-Holmes, Jarrod Killey, Erin Killey and Matthew Roberts for Swimming, Simone Ludeke for Tennis, Jacinta Aitken for Triathlon and Eli Deloraine for Water Polo.

I appreciate the enormous effort school sport coordinators put in, to give their students the opportunity to represent their school, diocese and state. I would like to thank our 11 school sport coordinators for the support they have given me this year. The extraordinary goodwill and hard work of our teachers who willingly assist as convenors, coaches, squad managers and officials, greatly contribute to the undoubted success of carnivals. These opportunities for students only occur due to their hard work, expertise and time. Of course for staff to be available, we must thank all of our principals who support the teachers' involvement.

I would like to acknowledge the support and advice I have received from Kym Skerritt who works tirelessly in promoting, organising and managing the NSWCCC Sports association as well as the other Diocesan Sport Coordinators who are so approachable and supportive of each other.

Bernadette Duggan
Education Officer PDHPE



PARRAMATTA DIOCESE SECONDARY SCHOOLS SPORTS COUNCIL

NSWCCC ANNUAL REPORT 2008

2008 has been an exciting year in the Parramatta Diocese. Some amazing achievements and incredibly dedicated staff have created a healthy environment for sport. 2008 has seen the recognition of the value of sport in our schools by the appointment of a full time sports coordinator to promote sport the large Parramatta Diocese. I would formally like to acknowledge the work of Mr Wayne Gillard, who was the PDSSSC Coordinator for the previous 5 years and thank him for all his hard work and dedication.

It has been a busy year for all involved across our 22 schools and all our committed staff and students in a huge variety of sports. Thanks to all Sports Coordinators for your outstanding work and support during 2008.

We started with the Softball championships at Camden where our girls won the Championship and we had Simone Freeman (Gilroy) and Kimberly Wright (Emmaus) selected through to the NSW All Schools Softball team. We continued through February with NSWCCC Golf with Molly Lavercombe (Cerdon) placing third at NSW All Schools. March saw us enter the Baseball championships at Blacktown with Byron Aird (Gilroy) making a tremendous contribution and being selected in the NSW All Schools team. Well done to our Girls Hockey team who performed well at Wyong at the NSWCCC Championships. Sam Appleton (St Columba's High) finishing 2nd at NSW All Schools Triathlon Championships.

March also saw us into Swimming, a sport where our students excel. Our PDSSSC Carnival saw 2 of our senior swimmers, David Rossi (McCarthy) and Briarna Zivanovic between them break 7 long standing open records. The NSWCCC Carnival saw some incredible performances with 18 of our swimmers making it through to NSW All Schools. The following swimmers medalled at All Schools – Paige Blake (Caroline Chisholm), Kara Leo (Caroline Chisholm), Briarna Zivanovic (Marian) and Sarah O'Neill (Nagle) who finished a gold and 2 silver medals.

May saw us enter Football, Rugby Union and Touch sides in the NSWCCC Championships. All teams performed creditably with the highlight being our Girls Football and Touch teams who proceeded through their tournaments undefeated. The Touch championships had no finals, and our Football team lost the final in a penalty shoot out after extra time. Congratulations to Madison Regan (Nagle) and Jake Webb (St Columbas) who made the NSW All Schools Touch team and Haylee Henderson (Caroline Chisholm) who was selected in the National Touch squad. Congratulations also to Emma Stewart (St Patricks) who was selected in the School Sport Australia squad in Football. May also saw Megan Blake (Catherine McAuley) and Owen Gilbert (McCarthy) placed at NSW All Schools Diving and Chloe Carver (OLMC) who was selected in the NSW All Schools Volleyball team.

May, June and July also saw our students compete in Cross Country with again some very pleasing results including Emily Mantle (McCarthy) winning the 14 Girls NSWCCC event and placing 3rd at NSW All Schools, Else Gallen (Bede Polding) 5th at All Schools and Kristina Cavanna (Marian) 9th at All Schools after winning the NSWCCC Cross Country.

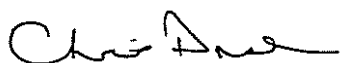
Athletics began in August for us with our Diocesan Championships. The standard of athletics is exceptional and we saw many long standing records broken. Two of our junior throwers – Palketina Lemi, Catherine McAuley) and Filoi Aukuso (Clare) smashed the Shot Put and Discus records, also winning at NSWCCC and being placed at NSW All Schools in these events. We also have some very talented walkers with Shannon Jennings (Caroline Chisholm) taking all before her in all levels. Three Parramatta athletes were age champions at NSWCCC. They were Thomas Soliman (Gilroy), Nicholas Perry (Xavier) and Jacqui Fry (Cerdon). Parramatta had an amazing 16 athletes who medalled at NSW All Schools Athletics. They were Thomas Soliman (Gilroy), Scott McCarthy (McCarthy), Emily Mantle (McCarthy), Filoi Aukuso (Clare), Tavleen Singh (Caroline Chisholm), Dejanee Defoe (St Agnes), Isabella Shina (Marian), Paletina Lemi (Catherine McAuley), Mariella Hurtado (Cerdon), Kayla Griffiths (Nagle), Kristina Cavanna (Marian), Shannon Jennings (Caroline Chisholm), Jacqui Fry (Cerdon), Melissa Hayes (Terra Sancta), Lauren Clark (Caroline Chisholm) and Sharie Apikotoa (OLMC). Congratulations to all these athletes on their outstanding individual performances.

I would like to thank all the NSWCCC Sports Conveners from within the Parramatta Diocesan schools. These people have made and continue to make a huge commitment to Catholic Secondary Sport in New South Wales.

Ms Liz Gale	Cross Country
Mr Wayne Gillard	Swimming
Mr Paul Kennedy	Triathlon
Mrs Janeen McCrorie	Girls Football
Ms Bev Smith	Girls Hockey
Mr Ross Gawthorne	Girls Cricket
Ms Anita Holland	Diving

Thanks also to Kym Skerritt and the Executive of NSWCCC for all their help and support this year.

I wish all our students the best of luck in all their upcoming sporting endeavours including the Pacific School Games. Looking forward to working with you all in 2009.



Chris Anschau
PDSSSC Coordinator



CHRISTIAN BROTHERS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

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Another busy yet rewarding year has come to an end for the CBSA schools. This year has seen CBSA schools compete in a range of events and competitions. Our highlights included competing at the NSWCCC Swimming, Athletics and Cross Country Championships. CBSA also sent teams to various team sports such as Touch, Football, Rugby League and Rugby Union. Additionally many students trialled for other sports as individuals. We had several students gain representation in NSWCCC teams throughout the year most notably in swimming and athletics where we had several outstanding performances.

CBSA would like to offer it's thanks to all the sports convenors, diocesan representatives and the executive of the NSWCCC organisation. We acknowledge the huge amount of work that goes on, frequently unnoticed, to make these opportunities available to our students. In these days of ever more administration, the work done by these people to provide opportunities for our students is very gratefully received. Additionally several teachers gained appointments to coach or manage NSWCCC teams throughout the year and these were appointments provided tremendous opportunities for those staff members.

CBSA schools and principals are fully supportive of the pathway NSWCCC offers to our students and is committed to fulfilling our requirements to NSWCCC. Over the coming year we look forward to increasing our profile at NSWCCC meetings and at the various competitions and events.

Chris Hook
CBSA Representative.

CATHOLIC GIRLS' SECONDARY SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

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This year at the 11th Blues Award Presentations 8 girls from CGSSSA Schools who use the CGSSSA as a pathway to higher levels of representation were recognised for their sporting prowess in and commitment to, their chosen sport. By implication these awards also acknowledge the wonderful opportunities our Association in combination with the NSWCCC offer the elite athletics within our schools. I trust that the staff responsible for sport within these schools, those who make these opportunities possible, are also affirmed for the contributions they make to the lives of these talented athletes.

The following students sporting achievements in 2007 were recognised at the Blues Awards this year:

Football	Carlie Ikonmou	Marist Sisters' College, Woolwich	Blue
Swimming	Monique Van Balen	Domremy College, Five Dock	Bar
Tennis	Bernadette Massih	Mt St Joseph's College, Milperra	Blue
Netball	Alison Lovat	St Ursulas College, Kingsgrove	Blue
Volleyball	Sarah Gleeson	Santa Sabina College, Strathfield	Blue
Water Polo	Alicia Brightwell	Santa Sabina College, Strathfield	Blue
Water Polo	Annabelle Carter	St Clare's College, Waverley	Bar
Water Polo	Nicole Saville	St Scholastica's College, Glebe	Bar

During 2008 CGSSSA teams competed in Swimming, Diving, Athletics, Cross Country, Soccer and Touch additionally many individual students attended trials for and gained selection in a variety of other NSWCCC teams. As well as achieved representation at a higher level. This year the CGSSSA had 109 students selected in a NSWCCC team (Athletics excluded), 26 selected in a NSW All Schools Team and 6 selected in a School Sport Australia team. Representation in 2008 was as follows:-

Sport	Team	Selected	Sport	Team	Selected
Cross Country	NSWCCC	24	Athletics	NSW All Schools	11
Diving	NSWCCC	7	Cross Country	NSW All Schools	1
Football	NSWCCC	6	Football	NSW All Schools	2
Golf	NSWCCC	1	Netball	NSW All Schools	2
Hockey	NSWCCC	3	Swimming	NSW All Schools	2
Netball	NSWCCC	2	Volleyball	NSW All Schools	4
Softball	NSWCCC	3	Water Polo	NSW All Schools	4
Swimming	NSWCCC	34	Football	School Sport Australia	2
Touch	NSWCCC	6	Volleyball	School Sport Australia	2
Volleyball	NSWCCC	16	Water Polo	School Sport Australia	2
Water Polo	NSWCCC	7			

The wonderful diversity of opportunities and sporting talent in our schools was again something to celebrate this year. It continues to be evident both in the number of sports in which students from the CGSSSA represented the NSWCCC but also in the spread on sports in which they did so that our students receive wonderful support from the staff in their individual schools. Our strength as an Association lay predominantly in Cross Country, Swimming, Water Polo and Volleyball but we were also represented well in Diving, Touch and Football. Although no NSWCCC Athletics Team was selected to compete at the NSW All Schools Championships a number of girls competed at this event and have qualified for the Pacific School Games which is a fantastic achievement.

This year we continued to foster the provision of student opportunities, to refine our risk management, communication and administrative procedures and our By Laws. Further, we have developed policies and procedures for the appointment of CGSSSA team officials and the selection of players. The introduction of an association Orientation Program at the start of the year assisted new staff to the Association and others in gaining an understanding of how the association operates and their role as a school representative and convenor. This program in combination with the electronic publication of Association documentation considerably improved the day to day running of the CGSSSA and assisted the Association in meeting compliance guidelines established by the CSCC. It is envisaged that after some additional evaluation of the Association's policies and procedures at the conclusion of 2008 that a comprehensive and up-to-date resource can again be provided to schools in 2009.

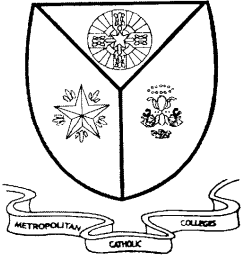
We continue as an Association to be grateful to the CSCC for their support and guidance in fostering 'best practice' at all levels of competition.

To the many staff and students who have been involved in CGSSSA and NSWCCC sport in 2008 I trust you have enjoyed the experience and are aware of the great contribution you make to the sporting life of the greater Catholic School community.

Sue Wells

NSWCCC Representative – Executive Member

CGSSSA Representative



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The MCC association has had another successful year. Many of our boys have gone on to represent at a higher level and have done so with enthusiasm and pride. Our association would not be as successful as it is without the hard work and dedication of the staff involved. We have 21 coaching and training staff that look after and select our combined MCC sides. A huge thank you to everyone involved in MCC. With people like this in all of our schools, sport is in safe hands.

I would encourage people to have a look at our MCC website www.mccsport.com a lot of work has gone into creating an impressive site.

Thank you to all convenors, managers, coaches, officials and students for their hard work and representation at all levels. I look forward to the year ahead.

Regards,

Peter Buxton
MCC Secretary

METROPOLITAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS SPORTS ASSOCIATION

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I would like to thank the Principals, Staffs and students of the MCS Sports Association for their continued support and sporting excellence during 2008. The Association was successful in many sporting activities but, most importantly, the emphasis on participation and "Sportsmanship" was the corner stone for our Coaches and students. Thank you is extended to Mr Joshua Mulligan who provides assistance on behalf of the MCS Association to the NSWCCC Swimming Championship and to Mr Brad Scanlon with the NSWCCC Athletics Championship.

This was the third year of a three year cycle for each College convening the following sports = Auburn (Basketball), Blacktown (Football), Campbelltown (Cross Country), Dundas (Rugby League Referees), Eastwood (Cricket, AFL, Rugby 10s), Fairfield (Tennis), Greystanes (Touch), Liverpool (Swimming), Parramatta (Athletics), Penrith (Golf), Quakers Hill (Rugby League) and Ryde (Football Referees). The Association also has entered teams in the Softball and Baseball Championships.

In the 41st Year of the MCS Association it has again preformed extremely well by providing a large number of students for NSWCCC representation in the individual sports of Swimming, Athletics and Cross Country. At NSWCCC Championships the MCS representative teams won the Open Football and Open Baseball. Individual school honours went to St Gregory's College in winning the Downie Trophy Open Cricket Championship and the NSW All Schools Cricket Championship, St Dominis's College in winning the Open Basketball Championship and Holy Cross College in winning the Open Football Championship. Strong performances in Rugby League, Rugby Union, Softball, Touch, Golf, AFL and other sports saw many of our students gain NSWCCC, NSW All Schools and National honours this year.

In conclusion I would like to thank the Metropolitan Catholic Schools Sports Coordinators, Coaches / Managers and Convenors. Your professionalism and support has been greatly appreciated.

Joseph Lantz
MCS Secretary / Treasurer
St Gregory's College, Campbelltown

SOUTHERN SYDNEY COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION



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Kim Tregoning	Our Lady of Mercy College Burraneer	
Rick Joyce	St Patrick's College Sutherland	

Southern Sydney has enjoyed another successful year participating in NSWCCC sport. The opportunity for the students to compete at this level against other athletes is priceless in their development as a sports person. I would like to thank Principals, staff, parents and students involved with SSSCC for their continued support of sporting excellence in 2008.

2008 was the second year colleges convened specific sports. Conveners are to be commended on their efforts on ensuring all trials were conducted in a professional manner, giving opportunity to students from all schools. In 2009 SSSCC will continue to use expertise from staff for the various coaching roles.

Development on past performance has been a focus for 2008 to give students the best opportunity in pursuing their sporting dreams. Rugby is a technical and very physical sport. The expertise needed to play this sport limits the number of competitors. SSSCC joined with the Diocese of Wollongong in 2008 to have a combined team to represent at the NSWCCC tournament. This amalgamation assisted the SSSCC players to have a competitive team lifting both their standard of play and the safety level at which they played.

It has been a pleasure to be amongst such committed staff during 2008. This commitment is also reflected by the level of dedication and talent shown by students. SSSCC representation has therefore become an important recognition of higher level achievement for our students.

Yours in Sport,

Aaron Poll
SSCCSA Diocesan Representative
St John Bosco College Engadine

SYDNEY CATHOLIC COLLEGES SPORTS ASSOCIATION

NSWCCC ANNUAL REPORT 2008

The Sydney Combined Colleges (SCC) gained an official pathway to NSWCCC representation for the first time in 2007. In this our second year SCC has just completed a busy yet rewarding year for the over 4000 girls who are students in the schools who make up SCC.

SCC schools competed this year in a majority of NSWCCC diocesan events. The opportunities provided by NSWCCC for our students to compete at representative levels against other schools and school systems is appreciated by our students, teachers and parents. Many students and several teachers were able to progress through to representing NSWCCC this year.

Our highlights included competing at the NSWCCC swimming, cross country and athletics carnivals this year. These carnivals were very well run and students appreciated the chance to compete at such a high level. We also entered teams in football, touch football, volleyball and softball. Many students also attended individual trials throughout the year for a wide range of sports run by NSWCCC. Several students gained representation in NSWCCC teams throughout the year which is the primary purpose of the group gaining SCC representation.

Our goal over the next year will be to increase our level of participation in NSWCCC sports. SCC member schools and principals are fully supportive of the pathway NSCCC offers to our students and staff, and is committed to fulfilling our requirements to NSWCCC. SCC is looking forward to 2009 with much anticipation.

SCC would like to offer it's thanks to all the sports convenors, diocesan representatives and the executive of the NSWCCC organisation. We acknowledge the huge amount of work that goes on frequently unnoticed to make these opportunities available to our students.

Chris Hook
SCC Representative.

DIOCESE OF WAGGA WAGGA

NSWCCC ANNUAL REPORT 2008

Wagga Wagga Diocese has completed another busy sporting year for our students through the Combined Catholic Colleges Sporting Association (CCC).

Our year started off on a high with the following students being awarded with the prestigious NSWCCC Blues Award:

- **Peta Forsyth** (BAR) Mater Dei CC Tennis
- **Justin Gordon** St Francis College AFL

The year continued with some excellent results for the Wagga Wagga Diocese across many sports. We had two students selected in Australian Touch Football teams, congratulations to Alicia Quirk (Kildare Catholic College) and Cameron Breust (Mater Dei Catholic College). We also wish our students competing in the Pacific Schools Games in Canberra every success.

Wagga Wagga was again the host for Southern Zone AFL Trials which were held in Albury. Thanks to Mark Sanson (Xavier High School) and Travis Doyle (St. Francis College) for organising the successful trials. We were also the host for the Southern CCC Basketball Trials, which were again very successful and were held in Albury. Thanks are extended to our coordinator Dale Gleeson (Xavier High School).

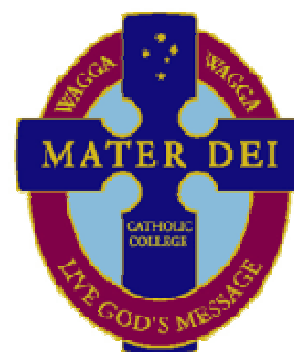
I would like to pass on my thanks to the Wagga Wagga Diocesan Sport coordinators, staff and parents. They all ensured that we were able to consistently run each particular sport at a very professional and efficient level throughout the year. This allowed access to all of our students across the Riverina and MIA to enjoy the great opportunity to test their talents and skills against local, NSW and Australia's best sporting students. Without your hard work and dedication Wagga Wagga Diocese sport would cease to remain the strong sporting body it has become.

Thank you to the Wagga Wagga Diocesan Principals for their great support. They allow their staff and students to spend a great deal of time outside of school in order to provide sporting opportunities for their students. Your support is appreciated by me, all of our parents and your students. They know how generous you all are and they often convey their thanks to me and I am now passing this on.

In closing, congratulations to Kym Skerritt and the CSCC Executive for their continued support of sport in NSW. The Wagga Wagga Diocese Secondary Sporting Association is looking forward to an eventful 2009.

Yours in Sport,

Anthony Hood
Diocesan Secondary Schools Sports Coordinator





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Schools from the Wollongong Diocese have enjoyed another great year of sporting activities through the Combined Catholic Colleges Sporting Association. The opportunities for our students to compete against other Dioceses and Associations from across NSW and the opportunity to access the All Schools arena has been greatly appreciated by students, parents and teachers of our school communities. Sport is such a valuable product in the life of our secondary students and we should never underestimate its importance.

I would like to take this opportunity to acknowledge the work of the Catholic Sports Coordinating Committee, Diocesan/Association representatives and the individual Sports Conveners. Your efforts throughout the year have been outstanding and on behalf of the Wollongong Sports Council thank you for your contributions. To Kym Skerritt our Executive Officer for 2008, your work and support have again been inspirational and certainly the driving force behind the professionalism of the NSWCCC Sports Association. I have appreciated your professionalism, good nature and willingness to support all aspects of secondary sport. Thankyou!

Wollongong had NSWCCC Conveners in Kay Southall (Tennis) and Brett Moran coordinated the Southern Country NSWCCC cricket trials. Belinda Sparks (Basketball), Stacey Walsh (Touch) and Bob Cooper (Volleyball) all from St. Mary's College, Wollongong officiated as NSWCCC coaches and managers. Dean Merola from Holy Spirit College, was involved with NSWCCC Boys cricket selections. The work of our conveners in promoting sport across NSW was first-class and certainly provided opportunities for increased student involvement. Over 380 secondary students represented the diocese at CCC events with 68 students from Wollongong going on to represent in NSWCCC teams, 29 in NSW All School/PSG teams and 3 reaching national honours, a great advertisement for our pathways. Wollongong diocese hosted the NSWCCC Volleyball selections, the NSWCCC Tennis Championships and selections and the Senior Basketball Final series.

On a local level I would like to thank our Director of Schools Peter Turner, Secondary Cluster head Netty Broekman, Head of Learning and RE Services Mark Raue and our Senior Professional Officer Anne Maree Creenaune for their continued support for Diocesan Sport. All have been very supportive of sport and it's promotion to the Diocese. Our CEO website continued to be a valued resource with our sporting journal fully on line and downloadable. This year it featured all representative teams, results from major carnivals and links to the NSWCCC, DET and School Sport Australia sites. You might like to pay us a visit at www.ceo.woll.catholic.edu.au and navigate your way through the sport section. Our sports council has formed some close links with Wollongong University and now have students assisting at our carnivals and acting as officials at NSWCCC events. This has been a very productive relationship and one we hope to develop in the future.

Finally to individual Sports Coordinators who are the cornerstone for all sporting activities, congratulations on an outstanding job. Your role is challenging, busy and often unrewarding at times, but again you have met the challenges put to you in fine style. Thankyou!

On Friday November 21 this year our Sports Council staged the 12th Annual CDF Diocesan Sports Awards to recognise the outstanding achievements of both students and teachers from primary and secondary Schools. The evening was proudly sponsored by the Catholic Development Fund and attracted over 500 guests to St Mary Star of the Sea College. The evening was a fitting culmination to a busy sporting year and certainly a positive advertisement for the pathways and structures now available. Zoe Uphill, Beijing Olympian and former award winner was our special guest speaker. The Vince Villa Trophy was awarded to Holy Spirit College as the Champion Secondary School across all sports.

Wollongong Diocese looks forward to our continued involvement in Combined Catholic Colleges Sport. We wish all involved in secondary school catholic sport the best and hope to see you in action again in 2009.

John Sparks
Wollongong Diocesan Representative

SECTION THREE

NSWCCC SPORTS REPORTS

ATHLETICS - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



The NSWCCC Athletics was held at Sydney Olympic Park Homebush on Friday 12 September, 2008.

The carnival ran smoothly thanks to the efforts of all involved special thanks to Kym Skerritt who gave me additional support this year as I had an increased teaching load. Thanks to the Diocesan reps who have managed to better understand the meet manager program for entering their teams and the wildcard system worked a little more equitably this year.

The athletes acquitted themselves admirably and were complimented by the Athletics NSW officials on their manners and fairness, as were all the staff officials involved. The Officials comment of 'what a lovely carnival it is to work at' is a reflection on all who are involved.

There were some gaps in the field events program which have been addressed for 2009 so hopefully there will not be late finishing field events.

Jane Knapinski

NSWCCC Athletics Convener

Age Champions 2008

Age	Boys	Girls
12	Godrey Agyemany SCBS	Amelia Leard SBWF
13	William Tom SWOL	Melissa Farrington SCGS
14	Jake Stein SMCS	Abbie Taddeo SWOL
15	Thomas Soliman SPAR	Hayleigh Davis SCAN
16	Nicholas Perry SPAR	Naomi Burgess SCAN
17+	Hiliary Dube SBWF	Jacqui Fry SPAR

Team Point Score 2008

Team	Score
Parramatta	1512
Wollongong	1284
MCS	1235
Lismore	971
Southern Sydney	827
CGSSSA	714
Canberra/Goulburn	596
Maitland/Newcastle	493
Bathurst/Wilcannia Forbes	451
Wagga Wagga	451
MCC	388
Armidale	343
CBSA	322
SCC	194

For NSWCCC Athletics Results please go to <http://www.cecsw.catholic.edu.au/sport/index.htm>

AUSTRALIAN FOOTBALL - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



NORTHERN TEAM

NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Arron	Brewer	Norwest Christian School	Riverstone
Todd	Considine	Holy Cross College	Ryde
Jack	Davis	St. Ignatius' College	Riverview
Aaron	Duncan	Oakhill College	Castle Hill
Brendan	Hogan	Magdalene Catholic High School	Narellan
Nathan	Kenny	Magdalene Catholic High School	Narellan
Matthew	Lemme	De La Salle College	Revesby
Bryce	McEvoy	St. Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Joel	McInerney	Norwest Christian School	Riverstone
Finian	Neaves	St. Edward's College	Gosford
Heydon	Pallier	Barker College	Hornsby
Jackson	Potter	Redfield College	Dural
Rory	Prior	SCEGGS Redlands College	Cremorne
Tom	Rivers	Oakhill College	Castle Hill
Gabriel	Robbie	St. John Bosco College	Engadine
Jac	Simmonds	Marian College	Kenthurst
Damon	Steer	Norwest Christian School	Riverstone
Oliver	Tweeddale	Wycliffe Christian College	Warrimoo
Lachlan	Urwin	Newington College	Stanmore
Nathan	Vassallo	De La Salle College	Revesby
Luke	Warren	Marist College	Penshurst
James	West	St. Mary's Catholic College	Sydney

NSWCCC Selections Report

There were 122 boys attending the selection trial at Waratah Oval Sutherland. From this 66 were from NSWCCC schools and 56 were from NSWICIS schools. The boys were put into six teams. Each team played 2 x 15 min games.

At the completion of these games a squad of 36 boys (2 x 18) were selected and invited to stay and play a further 2 x 15 min game. The remaining 86 boys were not required to remain.

A selection panel of 6 staff was in place (3 x NSWCCC; 2 x NSWICIS and 1 x AFL). The consultation was very positive and we were all in general agreement of selections. At the completion of the last game I then announced the final 22 players and 5 shadow players and provided them with the appropriate documentation. From the final 22 players coincidentally 11 are CCC and 11 are NSWICIS, and the shadows 3 are NSWCCC and 2 NSWICIS.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Aaron	Duncan	Oakhill College	Castle Hill
Jackson	Potter	Redfield College	Dural
Rory	Prior	SCEGGS Redlands College	Cremorne
Oliver	Tweeddale	Wycliffe Christian College	Warrimoo
Lachlan	Urwin	Newington College	Stanmore
James	West	St. Mary's Catholic College	Sydney

NSW All Schools Report

Even though the playing conditions deteriorated over the 3 days, due to torrential rain, and Council not allowing the use of a second ground, CCC/CIS North still finished first in their pool. This was achieved by beating Sydney 6.9.45 to 5.3.33; Riverina SW 3.4.22 to 2.2.14 and Sth Coast 4.3.27 to 1.0.6 The final was played against CCC/CIS South and they were too strong in the conditions. CCC/CIS North finished second and 6 boys from the team achieved All Schools selection due to consistently playing to a high standard against all opposition. The second tier players who competed well made the Merit Team and were also close to All Schools selection.

Rick Joyce

NSWCCC Northern AFL Convener

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SOUTHERN TEAM 2008

NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Jim	Wilson	Xavier College	Albury
Sam	Milne	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Will	Ryan	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Justin	Gordon	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
Jake	Gregurke	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Willz	van der Vliet	The Scots School	Albury
Jacob	Townsend	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
Hayden	Noldin	McAuley Catholic College	Tumut
Harrison	Cunningham	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Tom	Anderson	TRAC	Wagga Wagga
James	Smith	The Scots School	Albury
Liam	Frazer	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
Chris	Hayes	Xavier College	Albury
Ben	Gaynor	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
Shannon	Boers	Xavier College	Albury
Rory	Feltwell	Xavier College	Albury
Jack	Brooks	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Marshall	MaCauley	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Angus	Trethowan	The Scots School	Albury
Albert	Iannelli	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
Tom	Tiffen	St Francis De Sales High	Leeton
James	Eastoe	The Scots School	Albury

NSWCCC Selections Report

Trials were conducted in Lavington (Albury). 48 boys from 9 schools trialled. Conditions were perfect for football and a good size crowd was on hand to watch some high quality football. Selectors for the day Mark Sanson (Xavier High School Albury), Paul Habel (AFL Development Co-ordinator for Southern NSW) and myself.

A strong side was selected and are very hopeful of performing well at all All Schools.

Travis Doyle

NSWCCC Coach and Selector

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Jack	Brooks	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Justin	Gordon	St Francis De Sales College	Leeton
Liam	Frazer	St Francis De Sales College	Leeton
Tom	Tiffen	St Francis De Sales College	Leeton
Jacob	Townsend	St Francis De Sales College	Leeton
Sam	Milne	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Rory	Feltwell	Xavier College	Albury
James	Eastoe	The Scots School	Albury

NSW All Schools Report

This year's championships were held in Richmond, Sydney. The conditions were great if you were a duck, which not many of our kids are considering some haven't seen rain for a number of years let alone played football in it. But as the results will show they quickly found their webbed feet. The carnival commenced with a get to know you dinner for parents and players. The boys had a good time finding out

information about each other and I believe it helped them bond together. As reigning champions the new Bluetongues were keen to take back to back titles at the all schools carnival. With an impressive display on the first day the Southern Bluetongues had a convincing victory over Northern NSW by 9 goals thanks largely to the efforts by Jack Brooks, Justin Gordon, James Eastoe, Albert Iannelli, James Smith and Liam Frazer. The game was a bit scrappy early but once the team maintained its structure the class of the group shone out. The second day brought the challenge of Riverina Murray. They have won the title four times since the inception of the all schools carnival in 2002 and we have won the other two in 2005 and 2007 so this was going to be a vital match for both teams. The Bluetongues jumped the Murray Greys early and never looked in trouble as they went on to win the match by 7 goals keeping the Greys to 3 points, thanks to a terrific performance by the backline led by James Eastoe, Ben Gaynor and Rory Feltwell. Again Jack Brooks, Liam Frazer, and Justin Gordon were workman like through the middle of the park and Jacob Townsend kicked a couple of vital goals. Sam Milne threw his body into every contest. The Third game was against West Darling (The Pigdogs), the conditions by this stage were very ordinary with the ground mainly mud and puddles of water. But again the boys played extremely well and kicked nine goals while the Pig dogs were kept goalless and added only 2 points. This result put the boys into the final against NSW CCC/CIS Northern. The rain had eased but the ground was still muddy and full of water. We kicked with the wind in the first half and got out to a four goal lead, kicking 3 goals 6 points and kept Northern to no score. The second half was when the side put in there best performance for the carnival holding Northern to one goal with the aid of a strong breeze and kicking two of our own. Tom Tiffen played a starring role in the middle along with defenders Ben Gaynor, James Eastoe, Rory feltwell and midfielders Sam Milne, Justin Gordon, Liam Frazer and forwards Jacob Townsend and Jack Brooks. Jack Brooks was named player of the carnival. Justin Gordon was named Southern CCC/CIS player of the carnival. Jack Brooks, Justin Gordon, Liam Frazer, Tom Tiffen, Jacob Townsend, Sam Milne, Rory Feltwell and James Eastoe were all named in the NSW All Schools team to play at the National Carnival in Melbourne.

Travis Doyle

NSWCCC Southern AFL Convener

NSWCCC Coach



BASEBALL - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Jeremy	Sexton	Trinity College	Lismore
Michael	Picken	St. Paul's High School	Booragul
Joel	Glynn	St. Augustine's College	Castle Hill
Jamie	Bird	St. Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Freddy	Aguilar	John Therry High School	Rosemeadow
Blake	Mitchell	St. John the Evangelist	Nowra
Ryan	Falconer	Marist College	Eastwood
Beau	Sorbello	Marist College	Eastwood
Shaun	Ahearn	St. Joseph's	Baora Point
Aaron	Sooke	St. Dominic's College	Kingswood
Byron	Aird	Gilroy College	Castle Hill
Will	Symons	St. Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Jacob	Younis	Marist College	Parramatta
Guy	Edmonds	Aquinas College	Menai
Alex	Howe	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Joshua	Goldsmith	St. Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Liam	O'Dowd	St. Patrick's College	Sutherland

NSWCCC Selections Report

What a great day for baseball! The sun was shining, the birds were singing and the bats were jumping in the rack! The students comprising the various Diocese were once again wonderful ambassadors. An opening ceremony with all players on the Main Diamond comprising a prayer and resounding rendition of the national anthem kick started the day. From there it was simply a case of PLAY BALL!

The level of play was quite good, although there were a number of individuals unfortunately unavailable due to communication breakdowns within their school sectors. With this being said, seven Dioceses were represented this year, following the withdrawal of MCC. With a seven team format, teams were ranked according to their 2007 results, with both MCS and Broken Bay once again topping the list. Results were very close in the preliminary matches. A strong MCS outfit defeated Broken Bay in the tournament final for the second straight year after the Broken Bay team committed three errors allowing 4 runs.

Round 1: MCS 7 def Wollongong 2, Broken Bay 5 def Lismore 2, Southern Sydney 10 def Parramatta 2

Round 2: Wollongong 5 def Lismore 4, MCS 7 def Southern Sydney 4, Broken Bay 16 def Parramatta 5.

Round 3: Broken Bay 5 def Southern Sydney , MCS 4 def Lismore 1, Wollongong def Parramatta.

Final: MCS 5 def Broken Bay 0. All staff and students are to be commended for their performances. NSWCCC certainly has some wonderfully talented athletes and some very dedicated coaches at both Diocesan and State level.

Thankyou all for being part of this great event.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Aaron	Sooke	St. Dominic's College	Kingswood
Alex	Howe	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Joshua	Goldsmith	St. Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Byron	Aird	Gilroy College	Castle Hill
Michael	Picken	St Paul's High School	Booragul

GIRLS BASKETBALL - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Danielle	Daoud	St Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Ellie	Gleeson	Xavier High School	Albury
Suzi	Walmsley	St Francis Xavier's College	Hamilton
Tahnee	Cannan	Xavier High School	Albury
Emma	Kopcikas	McAuley Catholic College	Grafton
Ellie	Martin	Stella Maris College	Manly
Elise	Pitcher	Stella Maris College	Manly
Cassie	Screen	St Francis Xavier's College	Hamilton
Rebekah	Tong	Caroline Chisholm College	Glenmore Park
Amie	Fox	All Saints College	Maitland

NSWCCC Selections Report

Although the selections started on a low note, with only twenty five players turning up to trial and five Metro girls simply doing an about face and leaving before we began to trial, the rest of the group proved to be a hard working bunch and many more than the ten selected put their hands up to suggest that they desperately wanted to represent NSWCCC. The final selections were made difficult because of the hotly contested final scrimmages. Ultimately the 2008 CCC team consisted of a mix of talented country and metropolitan girls. I would like to thank Sherry Long (Assistant Coach) and Belinda Sparks (Manager) for their assistance and support over the weekend. Both ladies did a first class job in their role and their work was certainly appreciated by me and the girls. Thanks also to Francis Mackay for his support over the weekend and his host role which he carried out beautifully.

Dale Gleeson

Coach – Xavier Albury

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Ellie	Gleeson	Xavier High School	Albury
Suzi	Walmsley	St Francis Xavier's College	Hamilton

NSW All Schools Report

Our first game on Monday saw the team take some time to settle and come together, so throughout the first we always seemed to be playing catch-up basketball. Our poor shooting percentages and lack of real hard work on the boards allowed CHS to take a 13 point lead into the half-time break. The third quarter saw a much better performance from all the girls and we played some inspired basketball to not only close the gap but take a three point lead at one stage of the third quarter, only to give up a couple of easy baskets and be down by four points at the final break. Whilst we continued to play a much better style of basketball in the fourth quarter, our poor shooting continued to haunt us and the energy spent catching up in the third quarter left us without much fight as the game wore on. We managed to hang tough but CHS ended up getting a couple a cheap baskets towards the end that saw them take victory by 13 points. The best part of this game was the even contribution from all members of the team, without an outstanding scorer we got points from every player on the floor and were well lead by our guards throughout the game. Our second game against CIS came after they held on to record their first ever win in the competition by outlasting CHS and gaining victory by three points. They were extremely confident of winning against us, but we started the game with a resolve that never allowed them into the game. In fact we lead the game from the first score and were never headed in the game. Our improved performance came on the back of a much grittier defensive efforts and even though we were much smaller across the floor their bigs, who had caused CHS some concern, never really impacted on the game. Again, our guards did an outstanding job, more particularly Danielle Daoud, who played a dominant role against the CIS guards. But again it was a very even performance from all the girls, where no one player let their team-mates down. It was this element of teamwork that set up a much deserved victory. Congratulations and good luck to Suzi Walmsley and Ellie Gleeson on their selection to the NSW All Schools team which will contest the Pacific Schools Games in Canberra later in the year, I know that both girls will represent the NSWCCC well.

Belinda Sparks - Manager



**CCC WOMEN
2008**

Rear: Manager Belinda Sparks, Susi Walmsley, Danielle Daoud, coach Dale Gleeson, Ellie Gleeson, Tahnee Cannan, assistant coach Shelley Mulligan
Front: Elise Pitcher, Amie Foxx, Rebekah Tong, Casi Screen, Ellie Martin, Emma Kopcikas



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Josh	Black	St Edwards's College	Gosford
Sebastian	Zakrzewski	St Dominic's College	Kingswood
Daniel	Sepokas	Aquinas College	Menai
Adrian	Pachecki	St Columba's High	Springwood
Luke	Griffiths	St John's College	Dubbo
James	Whitby	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
Nick	Kay	McCarthy Catholic College	Tamworth
Curtis	Sardi	St Dominic's College	Penrith
Bobby	Tye	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Chris	Tonks	John Paul College	Coffs Harbour

NSWCCC Selections Report

2008 representative trials were held at Penrith Valley Regional Sports Stadium. This is an excellent venue as it boasts 6 courts and facilities and support from management that is second to none.

Approximately 50 boys were targeted through the regional carnivals to attend trials and a further 15 boys submitted special consideration forms.

From this, final attendance from the boys came to 36. The drop off in selection and attendance can be seen as problematic with a few issues remaining unresolved.

Regardless of this a very competitive team was selected. Whilst the boys were small they trained well on the Sunday and given the lead up were extremely well prepared.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Josh	Black	St Edward's College	Gosford
Daniel	Sepokas	Aquinas College	Menai
Sebastian	Zakrzewski	St Dominic's College	Kingswood

NSW All Schools Report

The All School selection trials for the Boys were played in the correct spirit and the boys performed the best they have possibly in the past 10 years.

In game 1 the side lost to CHS 98-96. This could have gone into overtime with NSWCCC having opportunity after the siren to have 3 free throws converting 1.

Game 2 saw CCC defeating CIS 81-77 an outstanding result.

From these trials Josh Black and Daniel Sepokas were selected for the Pacific School Games Squad. It was unfortunate that Sebastian Zakrzewski and Bobby Tye both missed selection.

Francis Mackay
Manager



**CCC MEN
2008**

Rear: Manager Francis Mackay, Curtis Sardi, James Whitby, coach Brett Murphy,
Adrian Pachecki, Josh Black, assistant coach Leon Hine
Front: Bobby Tye, Chris Tonks, Nick Kay, Luke Griffiths,
Sebastian Zakrzewski, Daniel Sepokas

BASKETBALL REGIONAL TOURNAMENT – ALBURY

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May 3-4 saw Xavier High School once again play host to 35 teams from across southern NSW Catholic High Schools. The introduction of teams from Carroll College, Broulee for the first time proved healthy for the tournament and the level of competition with their 7/8 Girls making their way to a semi-final playoff and the 9/10 boys team upstaging most opponents to play off for a title in their first year.

Other results saw the regular contenders Xavier – Albury, St. Francis – Leeton and Trinity – Goulburn dominate most pool games to find themselves all in the mix for finals spots.

Xavier proved dominant in all but one Grand Final, relegating other contenders to runners-up positions with a range of impressive performances. A 38 point turn around by Xavier's 7/8 boys team against St. Francis Leeton being the most notable final result from the earlier round games.

Results of Grand Finals

7/8 Boys - Grand Final	Xavier (1) – Albury (49)	def	St Francis – Leeton (31)
7/8 Girls - Grand Final	Xavier (1) – Albury (34)	def	St Francis – Leeton (18)
9/10 Boys - Grand Final	Xavier – Albury (60)	def	Carroll – Broulee (38)
9/10 Girls - Grand Final	Xavier (1) – Albury (60)	def	Trinity – Goulburn (36)
11/12 Boys - Grand Final	Trinity – Goulburn (42)	def	St Francis – Leeton (25)
11/12 Girls - Grand Final	Xavier - Albury (47)	def	St Francis – Leeton (23)

Falling entries and late withdrawals continue to impact the attraction of the carnival for all teams, as does the commitment required to be in 48 hours of constant care of students for the weekend.

BASKETBALL REGIONAL TOURNAMENT – MAITLAND

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Results

7/8 Boys

XO Semi - MCC Tamworth (1) defeated St John's Dubbo
XO Semi – JPC Coffs Harbour (1) defeated St John's Woodlawn

Final – MCC Tamworth (1) 47 defeated JPC Coffs Harbour **41**

7/8 Girls

XO Semi – JPC Coffs Harbour (1) defeated MCC Tamworth (1)
XO Semi – Port Macquarie defeated St John's Dubbo

Final – JPC Coffs Harbour 57 defeated Port Macquarie **14**

9/10 Boys

XO Semi – JPC Coffs Harbour (1) defeated Port Macquarie (1)
XO Semi – MCC Tamworth (1) defeated Trinity College Lismore (1)

Final – MCC Tamworth (1) 87 defeated JPC Coffs Harbour (1) **32**

9/10 Girls

XO Final – Port Macquarie (1) defeated JPC Coffs Harbour
XO Final – MCC Tamworth (1) defeated St Mary's Gunnedah

Final – MCC Tamworth 47 defeated Port Macquarie **26**

11/12 Boys

XO Final – Trinity College Lismore (1) defeated St John's Dubbo
XO Final – St Joseph's Port Macquarie defeated MCC Tamworth

Final – Trinity College Lismore (1) 63 defeated St Joseph's Port Macquarie **43**

11/12 Girls

XO Final – St John's College Woodlawn forfeited to JPC Coffs Harbour
XO Final – MCC Tamworth defeated Port Macquarie

Final – JPC Coffs Harbour 66 defeated MCC Tamworth **38**

Graeme Mully

Maitland Tournament Convener

BASKETBALL - 30TH ANNUAL SENIOR FINALS REPORT

WOLLONGONG 23 & 24 June 2008

The 2008 senior finals were characterised by a great standard of play, sportsmanship and cooperation from all attending teams. The quality of refereeing was very good with positive feedback from coaches and team staff. The senior finals call for experienced referees and I did entice them by allocating \$20 per game and employing a referee's coordinator. (Not sure if this was above budget but I believe quality, organised referees is a key component in ensuring a smooth tournament).

All game results are attached with game sheets being distributed to schools on request. I utilised 3 experienced court controllers who kept games on time and in fact ahead of time on occasions. Our first aid trainer (Sports Medicine Australia) was kept very busy and illustrated the need to have a qualified person in this role.

The **Boys** (10 teams) were played in 2 pools of 5 with the top two teams from each pool qualifying for cross over semi-finals with the winners progressing through to the final. The final between Mt Carmel Varroville and St. Dom's Penrith went down to the final seconds with Dom's getting the victory by only one point 53-52. It was a thrilling finish to the boys tournament. Interesting to note that Mt. Carmel were a last minute wild card entry into the competition.

The **Girls** (10 teams) were played in a similar format producing some close pool games and quality semi finals. The final was played between SFX Hamilton and Xavier Albury with Albury finishing the stronger 20 point victory.

SENIOR MEN

POOL A		POOL B	
1. St Dominic's, Penrith		6. St Gregory's, Campbelltown	
2. Patrician Brothers, Blacktown		7. Edmund Rice, Wollongong	
3. Mt. Carmel, Varroville		8. Trinity College, Lismore	
4. Trinity College, Goulburn		9. St Francis Xavier, Leeton	
5. St Francis Xavier, Hamilton		10. St Edward's Gosford	

SENIOR WOMEN

POOL A		POOL B	
11. Stella Maris College, Manly		16. Gilroy College, Castle Hill	
12. Caroline Chisholm, Penrith		17. St Mary's, Wollongong	
13. St. John's, Nowra		18. John Paul, Coffs Harbour	
14. Xavier College, Albury		19. St Francis Xavier, Leeton	
15. St Francis Xavier, Hamilton		20. St Mary's, Maitland	

NSWCCC BASKETBALL - SENIOR FINALS MONDAY

TIME	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4	BYES
8.30 Boys	1 v 2	6 v 7	4 v 5	9 v 10	3, 8
9.45 Girls	13 v 14	15 v 16	17 v 18		
11.00 Boys	2 v 3	7 v 8	1 v 5	6 v 10	4, 9
12.15 Girls	16 v 18	14 v 17	13 v 15		
1.30					

Boys	3 v 4	8 v 9	2 v 5	7 v 10	1, 6
2.45 Girls	14 v 18	13 v 16	15 v 17		
4.00 Boys	1 v 4	6 v 9	3 v 5	8 v 10	2, 7

NSWCCC BASKETBALL - SENIOR FINALS
TUESDAY

TIME	COURT 1	COURT 2	COURT 3	COURT 4	BYES
8.30 Girls	13 v 17	15 v 18	14 v 16		
9.45 Boys	1 v 3	6 v 8	2 v 4	7 v 9	5, 10
11.00 Girls	14 v 15	16 v 17	13 v 18		
12.15 Boys	Boys Semi-Final 1st Pool A V 2 nd Pool B	Boys Semi-Final 2 nd Pool A V 1 st Pool B			
1.30 Girls	Girl's Grand Final 1 st v 2 nd				
	Presentation				
2.45 Boys	Boy's Grand Final				
	Presentation				

The timing of games seemed to work well (Games of 4 x 10 minute quarters with 2 minute quarter time breaks and a 3 minute break at half time. Games had a running clock with stop clocks for ALL time-outs and every whistle in the last 3 minutes of the fourth quarter. Thanks to Jeff, regional tournament organisers and all final teams for their cooperation and good spirit.

John Sparks
Senior Finals Coordinator

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Mitchell	Bates	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Shane	Gassel	Parramatta Marist High School	Westmead
Ryan	Gibson	St Dominic's College	Kingswood
Paul	Gooley	Bede Polding College	Windsor
Brad	Maguire	John Therry Catholic High School	Rosemeadow
Jordan	Matthews	St John the Evangelist High School	Nowra
Dain	Morton	St John's College	Woodlawn
Mark	Morley	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Declan	O'Donahue	St Edward's College	Gosford
Andrew	Page	St John's College	Dubbo
Shayne	Smith	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Ryhs	Whitton	St Clare's High School	Taree

NSWCCC Selections Report

Students are invited to nominate to trial by completing comprehensive player information form of which the player sends a clear description of their playing style. From this a support document is required from an accredited coach supporting the players application.

The number of players is then reduced to 35 to 40 for a two day trial at the SCG Nets. This was done through consultation with Level 2 Metropolitan, Regional and Emerging Blues Coaches.

The trial was co-ordinated by Tim Spain. It was very thorough and extensive.

The Selectors were Tim Spain – St Dominic's College Kingswood, Dean Merola – Holy Spirit College Bellambi and David Crawford –

A strong squad of thirteen players were selected.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Ryan	Gibson (Captain)	St Dominic's College	Kingswood
Jordan	Matthews	St John the Evangelist High School	Nowra
Andrew	Page	St John's College	Dubbo

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Allan	McGregor	St Dominic's College	Kingswood
Andrew	Kealey	All Saints College	Maitland
Angus	Robson	Marcellin College	Randwick
Ben	Bourke	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Brodie	Smith	St Joseph's High School	Aberdeen
Christian	Samuels	St Dominic's College	Kingswood
Jake	Mitchell	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Joel	Brockley	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Kurt	Roughley	Terra Sancta College	Marayong
Luke	Stewart	All Saints College	Maitland
Nick	Prell	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Sam	Mullens	Bede Polding College	Windsor

NSWCCC Selections Report

Trials for the NSWCCC this year were held in Coffs Harbour and with the abundance of talent on we were very confident we had chosen a strong team.

The NSWCCC team this year was a very balanced blend of fine young cricketers which showed results in this year's Lord Tavenors carnival.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Sam	Mullens	Bede Polding College	Windsor
Angus	Robson	Marcellin College	Randwick
Ben	Bourke	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown

NSW All Schools Report

Carnival Placings

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| 1. CHS | 4. CCC |
| 2. CHS | 5. GPS |
| 3. CSC | 6. CAS |

NSWCCC Team Results

Day 1 Cook Park St Mary's.

CHS 2 **9 – 178** (K. Roughley 3/27) **def**

CCC **6 – 177** (A Robson 77, L. Stewart 36)

Day 2 (Raby No3 - Campbelltown)

CCC **4 – 120** (C. Samuels 54*, N.Walker 30*) **defeated**

CAS **119** (B.Bourke 1/5, A Kealey 5/22, K .Roughley 3/22)

Day 3 (Benson's Lane No1 - Richmond)

CCC **6 - 248** (L. Stewart 40, A .Robson 79, J Brockley 79*) **defeated**

GPS **206** (B . Bourke 4/31, A McGregor 2/21)

Day 4 (Newington College)

CHS 1 **4/161** (J. Mitchell 2/37) **defeated**

CCC **10/147** (A. Robson 37, J.Mitchell 37*)

Day 5 (Rosewood Oval – Barker College 2)

CSC **5/141** (J.Mitchell 2/24, A.Kealey 1/10) **defeated**

CCC **140** (B.Smith 26)

Players selected for the NSW Schoolboys Team to tour Queensland in Term 4 2008:
Sam Mullins, Angus Robson, Ben Bourke.

The 'Spirit of Cricket' Award – Sam Mullens

Our bowling attack comprised of opening quicks Ben Bourke, Andrew Kealey and Jake Mitchell. All bowled well on their day and from the stats all starred in at least one match. Andrew featuring with a great spell against CAS with 5 – 22, Ben Bourke bowling extremely economically with 1/5 off 10 overs (CAS) and 4/31 off 10 overs (GPS). Jake Mitchell bowling well with best bowling figures against the eventual winners CHS1 with 2/ 37.

We also had great support from our medium paced and spin bowlers. Both Nick Prell and Alan McGregor had strong games against GPS and Kurt Roughley taking 7 wickets in 4 games. Our batsman also shared the workload with Angus Robson leading the way with 200 runs in total opening the batting. Partner Luke Stewart also with a handy 36 and 40.

Christian Samuels batted well for 54* against CAS and Joel Brockley 79* against GPS were some of the other standouts.

Special thanks to our Skipper Luke Stewart who did a great job leading by example and to all the parents who helped out during the week. Congratulations to Sam, Angus and Ben who were selected for the NSW schoolboys.

Results as we all agreed were a little disappointing and we just weren't good enough to win the week. We had so many chances losing a few close games that just didn't go our way but I guess that's cricket. I'm sure everyone will agree it was a great week and all played the game with enthusiasm and spirit. It was a thoroughly enjoyable week and on behalf of Marc and myself we would like to congratulate you all and thank you for making our job so much easier.

It has been a pleasure to work with you all and good luck in your futures wherever the game may take you.

Justin Smith
NSWCCC Manager



GIRLS CRICKET - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Angela	Reakes	Xavier Catholic College	Skennars Head
Brode	Neems	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Sharon	Dass	St Mark's	Stanhope Gardens
Cailyn	Fountain	Bethany College	Hurstville
Eliza	Gawthorne	St Columba's High School	Spingwood
Tayla	Kafoa	Bede Polding College	Windsor
Alicia	Newton	Loyola Catholic College	Mt Druitt
Celeste	Raack	Mt Carmel High School	Varroville
Jessica	Stoll	St Francis De Sales College	Leeton
Jessica	Toomey	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
Leslie	Turner	Mt Carmel High School	Varroville
Bridget	Webster	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga

NSWCCC Selections Report

Girls Cricket experienced excellent growth this year with 54 players attending the trials at the SCG in February. From the trial a squad of thirteen players were selected to represent CCC at the All Schools Carnival hosted by CIS at Barker College Hornsby in March. The squad consisted of 7 current or former NSW Cricket state players and players from the NSW Cricket Emerging Breakers talent identification and development programs. Girls were selected from Metropolitan and Country dioceses.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Brodie	Neems	Mackillop Catholic College	Warnervale
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NSW All Schools Report

The team was a combination of experienced representatives and younger players, with a view to developing those players for coming seasons. The girls met prior to the carnival and participated in a very positive practice session on the eve of play.

The team performed admirably in the All Schools Championships, and represented CCC with great distinction. The tournament draw saw CCC scheduled to play all matches on Rosewood Oval, and the pitch and outfield proved to offer little support for batting and run scoring. As a result, all matches were low scoring, but proved to be good contests between the participating teams. CCC were able to dismiss the eventual competition winners, CIS – the first time this has been achieved by any team at the All Schools Championships in recent years. Whilst not winning any of their 3 games, the girls competed well and the team looks set for success in future years.

Brodie Neems was selected in the All Schools Honour Team in recognition of her efforts throughout the tournament.

All girls who participated in the NSWCCC Girls Cricket program are to be congratulated for their efforts and also all parents and schools are thanked for their ongoing support of their girls in their chosen sport. NSWCCC look forward to hosting the 2009 All Schools Championships at Raby Oval in Campbelltown in March.

Ross Gawthorne

NSWCCC Girls Cricket Convener

CROSS COUNTRY - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



The CCCSA Cross Country selection trials were held at the Eastern Creek Raceway on the 13th June in conjunction with the Catholic Primary Schools Cross Country Championships.

With the support of officials from the various Dioceses/Associations the day ran smoothly and in particular very professionally. Many thanks go to Troy Moran the Championships co manager and the Course Managers, Craig Beacroft, Tony Bye and Heath Borg. A special mention to Wendy Breen and Lance Smith for their tireless efforts in ensuring the new Meet Manager program worked efficiently.

From the CCCSA event, athletes were selected to represent CCCSA at the NSW All Schools Cross Country Championships held at Eastern Creek Raceway on Friday 25th July 2008.

Some remarkable results were:

Students placing in the top 3

14 Boys:		
Deng Wamwien	Trinity Catholic College Auburn	1
17 Boys:		
Cameron Page	St Edward's College Gosford	1
Todd Wakefield	St Gregory's College Campbelltown	2
18 Boys:		
Matthew Cox	St Gregory's College Campbelltown	3
AWD Boys 12 – 15 years:		
Mitchell Pink	Xavier College Ballina	1
AWD Boys: 16 – 19 years		
Sam Petterson (T38)	Xavier College Ballina	1
12 Girls:		
Megan Isbester	St Marys High Gunnedah	3
14 Girls:		
Emily Mantle	McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains	3
15 Girls:		
Emily Esposito	Mt St Joseph High Milperra	3
16 Girls:		
Natalie Van Coevorden	John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow	1
17 Girls:		
Jessie O'Brien	St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga	3
AWD Girls:		
Anneliese Brunskill	St Joseph's College Gosford	1

The following students went to represent NSW at the School Sport Australia Cross Country Championships in Melbourne:

U/14 Girls:
Erica Sweeney O'Connor Catholic High Armidale

U/16 Girls:
Emily Esposito Mt St Joseph High Milperra
Emily Mantle McCarthy Catholic College Emu Plains

U/18 Girls:
Natalie Van Coevorden John Therry Catholic High School Rosemeadow
Jessie O'Brien St Leo's Catholic College Wahroonga

U/20 Girls:
Kerrie Simpson St Patrick's College Sutherland

AWD Girls:
Anneliese Brunskill St Patrick's College Sutherland

U/14 Boys:
Brent Anderson Xavier High School Albury

U/18 Boys:
Cameron Page St Edward's College Gosford
Todd Wakefield St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Kevin Batt St Edward's College Gosford

U/20 Boys
Matthew Cox St Gregory's College Campbelltown
Barton Mcpherson Lumen Christi Catholic College Pambula
Kyle Wormington St Francis Xavier College Hamilton
Ryan Hennessy Holy Spirit College Bellambi

AWD Boys:
Sam Petterson Xavier College, Ballina
Mitchell Pink St John the Evangelist High School Nowra

Overall it has been an outstanding year for CCCSA. All athletes must be commended for an outstanding effort in 2008.

Liz Gale
NSWCCC Cross Country Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Emily	McKinnon	St Andrew's College	Marayong
Elena	Chapman	St Mary's High School	Gateshead
Elise	Cummins	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Anna	Power	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
William	Smith	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Sophie-Louise	Sprod	Aquinas College	Menai
Kelsey	Baxter	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Owen	Gilbert	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
Matthew	Ludowici	St Augustine's College	Broken Bay
Kate	Rickards	St Pius X College	Kotara
Monique	Austin	Mount Saint Joseph High	Milperra
Morgan	Baxter	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Lisa	Smoleniec	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Megan	Blake	Catherine McAuley	Westmead
Clara	Lavermicocca	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield

NSWCCC Selections Report

NSWCCC Diving Championships 2008 Sydney Olympic Park Aquatic Centre May 2nd. The competition began at 9am with a one hour warm up and 24 keen, yet nervous divers. They all trained hard, utilizing every second until the boards were closed for the competition. At 10am the 12 yr girls and 13 yr girls competition commenced. Emily McKinnon from St Andrews College was the youngest and only 12yr old diver and took out the first springboard medal. Elena Chapman (St Marys Gateshead), Elise Cummins (Santa Sabina) and Anna Power (Santa Sabina) won the three 13yr medals respectively in a close competition. The 14 yr girls, 14 yr boys, 15 yr girls and 15 yr boys then had their individual warm up. The 14 yr girls Kelsey Baxter (Santa Sabina) and Sophie Louise Sprod battled it out with Kelsey running between diving and swimming events. Will Smith was the only male 14 yr diver, but nonetheless, put on a great performance diving from both the 1m and 3m boards. The 15 yr girl's event was the most hotly contended age group with 7 very talented divers who all dived beautifully. Kate Rickards (St Pius X) won the age group followed closely by Monique Austin (Mount St Joseph's) and Morgan Baxter (Santa Sabina) who, like her sibling was involved in CCC swimming. The 15 yr boys saw Matthew Ludowici (St Augustine's) and Owen Gilbert (McCarthy) match each other dive for dive with high degrees of difficulty. Owen edged out Matthew in the end and took gold. The final age groups 16 yr girls, 17+ yr girls and 17+ yr boys didn't have many competitors due to the difficulty of having to perform 8 different dives, however, the 4 divers Lisa Smoleniec (Santa Sabina, 16 yrs), Megan Blake (Catherine McAuley, 17+ yrs), Clara Lavermicocca (Santa Sabina, 17+ yrs) and the only male Tyler Hodsoll (St Andrews College, 17+ yrs) can all be proud of their achievements. The final competition was the Open Platform competition which saw dives from the 5m, 7.5m and 10m platforms. Megan Blake was outstanding as the only female platform diver and Owen Gilbert won his 2nd gold of the day with a spectacular forward somersault half twicst from the 10m platform. Special mention goes to William Smith, who really stepped up to compete in such a difficult event. While CCC diving was running, CGSSSA held their annual competition and congratulations goes to Santa Sabina for winning that trophy. All competitors are a credit to their schools with impeccable behaviour and an outstanding display of talent. I hope to see them all back next year and wish the medalists good luck in the All School's Championships / PSG Trials on the 21-23/5/08.

Students Selected in the NSW All Schools Team:

Owen	Gilbert	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
William	Smith	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown

Anita Holland

NSWCCC Diving Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Pat	Disalvo	Marcellin College	Randwick
Mitchell	Duke	All Saint's College	Casula
Franco	Farac	St Paul's Catholic College	Greystanes
Antony	Golec	Aquinas College	Menai
Matthew	Jenkin	Aquinas College	Menai
Alex	Johnson-Young	St Francis Xavier's College	Hamilton
Adrian	Karakolevski	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
Lukas	Lebic	Patrician Brothers' College	Fairfield
Alexander	Leon	Marist College	Kogarah
Bill	Machol	De La Salle College	Ashfield
Ryan	Norval	St John Bosco College	Engadine
Mitchell	Stamatellis	Marcellin College	Randwick
Domenic	Trimboli	Freeman Catholic College	Bonnyrigg
Marc	Villaescusa	Christian Brothers High School	Lewisham
Luke	Virgili	St FrancisXavier's College	Hamilton
Joel	Wakefield	Aquinas College	Menai

NSWCCC Selections Report

The 2008 NSWCCC Selection Carnival was held over a night and day session at Valentine Park, Glenwood in Sydney. The success of such carnivals is entirely dependent upon the entrants of who represented their Diocese/Association with great distinction and pride culminating in a fantastic two days. The NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Sports Association is extremely fortunate to have a venue such as Valentine Park with brilliant facilities such as lighting and beautifully manicured playing fields. This opportunity is only brought about by the generosity of Soccer NSW who sponsors the Selection Carnival. On behalf of the NSWCCC and all the diocesan representatives a sincere thanks for your gratitude. After a total of 30 matches involving 12 teams, MCS were victorious defeating the Southern Sydney in the final while MCC defeated Maitland/Newcastle to finish in the 3rd and 4th respectively.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Adrian	Karakolevski	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
Franco	Farac	St Paul's Catholic College	Greystane

NSW All Schools Report

The NSWCCC Boys team acquitted themselves strongly at the All Schools Championships in 2008. The large amount of rain that Sydney received during late June made it extremely difficult to prepare team effectively due to a lack of facilities available due to the weather. In the first game against CCC successfully accounted for CHS (2). Unfortunately, in the second game CCC had a player sent off very early and was forced to play with ten players for a large part of the game. The physical expectations arising from playing with ten players took its toll. As a consequence suffered defeat to CIS. In their final game CCC played CHS (1) in a tight affair CCC were defeated. All members of the team should be commended for the way they represented the NSWCCC with great pride and distinction regardless of the obstacles they faced. Thank you to David Mamo (Coach) and Michael Ronchetti (Manager) need to be commended for their professionalism and diligence in preparing the team for the NSW All Schools Schools Championships. The NSWCCC are extremely fortunate to have individuals such as you as members of the association in whom the association entrusts with the NSWCCC Boys Football Team.

Students Selected in an Australian Team

Adrian	Karakolevski	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
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John Carnabuci

NSWCCC Football Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Carla	Monforte	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Claire	Walsh	St Patrick's College	Campbelltown
Shelby	Fenech	St John the Evangelist	Nowra
Louise	Darwin	Stella Maris College	Manly
Marie	Svinos	Domremy College	Five Dock
Sophie	Svinos	Domremy College	Five Dock
Nicola	Bulger	Freeman Catholic College	Bonnyrigg
Carlie	Ikonomou	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Natasha	LoGuidice	Monte Sant' Angelo Mercy College	North Sydney
Samantha	Speckman	Magdalene Catholic College	Narellan
Emma	Sloan	St Columba's High	Springwood
Anna	Collier	St Columba's High	Springwood
Jessica	Seaman	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Emma	Stewart	St Patrick's College	Dundas
Rhali	Dobson	St Joseph's Catholic College	Port Macquarie
Eleanor	Rugg	Gilroy Catholic College	Castle Hill

NSWCCC Selections Report

The NSWCCC Girls Football Carnival and Selection Trial was held at Valentine Park Glenwood on Tuesday 13th and Wednesday the 14th May 2008. Girls representing Catholic Colleges from all over the State participated in the Carnival and were greeted with fine weather conditions. The standard of Football over the two days was exceptional and congratulations must go to all teams and respective coaching and managerial staff. The competition itself initially followed a group format with both group winners playing in a final to determine the 2008 NSWCCC Football Champions. Group winners Wollongong and Parramatta fought out a very tense final which could not be settled in regulation time. Extra time came and went with the teams deadlocked. A penalty shoot out was needed to separate these sides with Wollongong prevailing in what was a highly entertaining game. CGSSSA defeated Lismore to claim 3rd place. Congratulations must go to Wollongong for their win which was based around an immaculate defensive line. The Carnival was also a Selection Trial for the NSWCCC Team which will compete at the NSW All Schools Tournament in June. Selectors believe the squad selected is of a very high quality which should perform strongly at the All Schools Tournament.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Jessica	Seaman	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Carlie	Ikonomou	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Samantha	Spackman	Magdalene Catholic High	Narellan
Nicola	Bulger	Freeman Catholic College	Bonnyrigg

All Schools Report

The NSWCCC Girls Football Squad competed at the NSW All Schools Football Tournament at Valentine Park on Monday 23rd and Tuesday 24th of June 2008. The standard of Football was of the highest quality and the girls can be extremely proud of their achievements. The NSWCCC Squad were runners up in a very competitive tournament. The first game saw the girls face the Combined High Schools 2nd Team. The game ended in a 1-1 draw after the girls had dominated the game. Tuesday morning saw the girls take on the might of the Combine High Schools 1st Team. A 3-2 loss was seen as very unlucky by those who watched the game, particularly as the winning goal was scored by a skewed shot which was meant as a ball into the 18 yard box. This was an immense performance, considering the quality of opposition. The last game of the tournament saw the team totally outclass the Combined Independent Schools team 2-0. Final standings in the tournament were; CHS 1 - 9 Points NSWCCC - 6 Points CHS 2

- 5 Points and CIS 4 Points. As a result of the squads fine performances 4 girls were selected in

the NSW All Schools Team; Team Captain Carlie Ikonomou, Jessica Seaman, Nicola Bulger and Samantha Spackman. Claire Walsh and Emma Stewart were selected as shadow players. Congratulations to all girls for their performance and commitment to the NSWCCC Girls Football Team.

Students Selected in the Australian Team

Jessica	Seaman	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Carlie	Ikonomou	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Emma	Stewart	St Patrick's College	Dundas

Janeen McCrorie
NSWCCC Girls Football Convener



Back Row: Aaron Poll (Manager), Anna Collier, Carlie Ikonomou, Emma Stewart, Louise Darwin, Sophie Svinos, Eleanor Rugg, Marie Svinos, Samantha Spackman, Lee McCrorie (Coach)
Front Row: Claire Walsh, Nicola Bulger, Natasha Lo Guidice, Carla Monteforte, Rhali Dobson, Emma Sloan, Shelby Fenech.
Absent: Jessica Seaman

NSW ALL SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIP REPORT

September 15 and 17 2008 saw the celebration of Football in New South Wales Schools with the inaugural NSW All Schools Championship being contested at Melita Stadium.

All the participants embraced the event and by doing so ensured that it was a smashing success. The Championships were designed to have preliminary finals with representatives from the different sporting associations; Combined Catholic College (CCC) , Combined Independent Schools (CIS) Combined High Schools both Comprehensive and Sports (CHS) playing off culminating with the respective preliminary final winners challenging for the title of NSW All Schools Champions.

In the girls division Pymble Ladies College (CIS) played St Johns College Nowra (CCC). In a tightly contested match in which St Johns came away victorious by one goal to nil. The victory propelled St Johns into the final against Hill Sports High (CHS). The Boys division saw Holy Cross Ryde (CCC) lock horns with Newington College (CIS). It was definitely a game of two halves with Newington dominating the first in doing so grabbed an early goal. Holy Cross fought hard in the second but unfortunately was unable to score and as a consequence Newington progressed to the final. The other Boys preliminary final was contested between Epping Boys (CHS Comprehensive) and Hills Sports (CHS Sports). It was clear from the outset that Epping had their work cut out. Although trying valiantly Epping Boys were defeated to the tune of two goals to nil.

The stage was now set for both the Boys and Girls Final. Hills sports class and ability was evident from the outset in the girls final. St Johns tried extremely hard to contain Hills but unfortunately was unable to sustain the necessary pressure to contain such talented side. Hills were crowned NSW All Schools Girls Champions. All the teams competing in the girls division must be commended for the manner in which they conducted themselves and the skills they displayed. In fact they were a great advertisement for girl's football.

The Boys final was a highly entertaining and tightly contested match. Newington's tenacious and never say "die" attitude unfortunately was not enough to contain the might and power of Hills Sports High who were victorious by a margin of one goal to nil. Both teams must be commended for the manner in which they represented their respective schools. Newington was gracious in defeat while Hills were humble in victory.

The NSW All Schools Championships would not have been possible without the efforts of various individuals who worked tirelessly to organize such an historic event. Two people in particular need to be recognised Mr Ron Pratt (NSW CHS Convener/NSW All Schools President) and Mr George Jackson (Director of Football NSW). These two men took an idea and developed it into something very special. With the continued help of Football NSW the NSW All Schools Championships will continue to grow in stature and become the envy of other sporting codes. A sleeping giant in NSW Schools has been unearthed and the future is bright.

John Carnabuci
NSWCCC Football Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Ashley	Ona	St. Mary's College	Maitland
Carly	Beck	Stella Maris College	Manly
Lucy	Sacco	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Molly	Lavercombe	Cerdon College	Merrylands
Dimi	Papadatos	MacKillop College	Warnervale
Jake	Higginbottom	St. Mary's College	Gateshead
Jake	Parkinson	St. Joseph's College	Albion Park
Daniel	Bringolf	Casimir Catholic College	Marrickville
Sam	Newbrun	St. Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Luke	Gaegler	St. Mary's College	Maitland
Luke	Humphries	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn

NSWCCC Selections Report

Perfect weather conditions and a very well presented Camden Valley Golf Course greeted competitors in this year's NSWCCC Championships on the 17th March in Sydney's south west. The depth of talent always results in great scoring and strong competition for the much coveted places in the NSWALLSCHOOLS Championships field to be held at New Brighton early in May. Newcomer to the girl's ranks Ashley Ona blitzed the Camden Valley layout shooting an amazing 6 under par to win the NSWCCC title by 13 shots. Ashley who attends All Saints in Maitland will start as one of the favourites in the NSW Schoolgirls Championship this year. Runner-up was the consistent Carly Beck from Stella Maris College with Lucy Sacco from Mater Maria College in 3rd place this year. The Diocesan/Association event was won by Broken Bay with Elizabeth Elmassian from Mercy College Chatswood combining with Carly and Lucy to win the girl's teams event this year. Molley Lavercombe(Cerdon College) and Millie Kohen(St. Mary's Wollongong) will join Ashley, Carly and Lucy at this year's Allschools Championships. As usual the boy's event was a hotly contested affair with many talented golfers in the field playing regular senior pennants for Sydney clubs. Former Allschools representative Dimi Papadatos from McKillop College Warnervale played superb golf shooting 5 under to force state junior captain and Trinity Goulburn student Luke Humphries into second place. Casimir College's 2007 Allschools representative Daniel Bringolf finished in 3rd place. James Thomas from St. Paul's Manly along with Sam Newbrun who attends St. Leo's College Wahroonga combined with Dimi to secure the Diocesan/Association teams title for Broken Bay. Boys to represent NSWCCC at this year's Championships include Dimi, Luke, Daniel, Sam, James, Sam Gervinas(McCarthy Emu Plains), Matt Sear(St. Patrick's Sutherland), Mitch Davis(St. Gregory's Campbelltown), Conner Walton(St. Peter's Maitland), Jake Higginbottom(St. Mary's Gateshead), Lachlan Crowl(Bede Polding Windsor), Jake Parkinson(St. Joseph's Albion Park), Luke Gaegler(St. Mary's Maitland), Jamie Hook(St. Paul's Kempsey) and Mitchell May(Marist College Eastwood). Students from all the schools who participated are to be congratulated not only for their golfing prowess but for the manner in which they represented their schools and clubs. A big thank you also to Greg Kay, Paul Meani, Sam Wigan and the rest of the staff At Camden Valley who ensured our students had a rewarding experience at the NSWCCC Championships in 2008.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Carly	Beck	Stella Maris College	Manly
Dimi	Papadatos	McKillop College	Warnervale
Luke	Humphries	Trinity College	Goulburn
Daniel	Bringolf	Casimir College	Marrickville

NSW All Schools Report

The NSW All Schools Championships were held at New Brighton Golf Club during week 2 of term two.

Ex CCC representative Danny An showed his class to win the event by 6 shots shooting 5 under around the tricky layout. Seven CCC players finished in the top 20 including Luke Humphries who carded a tournament best 68 in round two. Daniel Bringolf, Sam Newbrun, Dimi Papadatos, Jake Higginbottom, Jake Parkinson and Luke Gaegler have qualified for the NSW All Schools selection trials to be held in Coffs Harbour in July.

Ashley Ona, Carly Beck, Lucy Sacco, Mille Kohen and Molly Lavercombe will join the boys in Coffs Harbour in their quest to gain coveted positions in the NSW All Schools team that will compete in the School Sport Australia Championships in Yeppoon in August.

Selection in the NSW All Schools team involves two events with the 36 hole qualifying tournament held at New Brighton this year followed by the 54 hole Selection Trials in Coffs Harbour during the final week of term 2. Luke Humphries' second round 68 was a highlight. Luke, Sam Newbrun, Daniel Bringolf and Dimi Papadatos were well positioned after 36 holes leading into the Coffs Harbour trials. Manly's Carly Beck led the way for the young CCCGirls team with two solid rounds to see her in 4th place heading to the North Coast.

The NSW All Schools selection trials were held at a superbly presented and challenging Coffs Harbour Golf Club layout during the first week of July. After 54 holes in perfect weather conditions a team of 6 boys and 6 girls were selected to represent NSW All Schools at the School Sport Australia Championships at Yeppoon (near Rockhampton) late in August. Dimi Papadatos led the boys' scoring to secure selection for the second time in 3 years. He will be joined by Luke Humphries and Daniel Bringolf who were rewarded for consistent golf with places in a very strong NSW Boys Team captained by ex NSWCCC player Danny An who now attends Marsden High in Sydney's inner north. A "hole in one" on the last hole by NSW player Alex Peade secured victory for their side in 2007 and the boys are very determined to successfully defend their title this year in Qld. The maturity displayed by Carly Beck in shooting a two under par second round to force her way into the girls team was very pleasing. Carly's scores have become far more consistent recently and her performances at New Brighton and Coffs Harbour impressed the selectors and was the third player picked in the 6 girl team.

The high level of talent was only matched by the exemplary manner by which all 11 NSWCCC players conducted themselves both on and off the course during their stay in Coffs Harbour. All players are a credit to their home clubs, their respective schools and of course their families. Host families billeting students were full of praise for the players.

A huge thank you to the members and staff of the Coffs Harbour Golf Club and the billeting families from John Paul College for the way in which they embraced the Allschools Trials and ensured that the players had a positive and rewarding experience whilst in Coffs Harbour.

Leroy Conroy
NSWCCC Golf Convener

HOCKEY CHAMPIONSHIPS - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT



The NSWCCC Hockey Championships were held in Armidale from 28th - 30th May. The weather was cold but mostly fine. There were insufficient nominations to have 16 boys A division

Results:

Open Boys A:	Armidale	defeated	Coffs Harbour 3-1
Open Girls A:	Goulburn	defeated	Lismore 2-1
U16 Girls A:	Bathurst	defeated	Orange 3-0
U16 Boys:	Adamstown	defeated	Armidale 4-3 (golden goal in extra time)
Open Girls B:	Murwillumbah	defeated	Tamworth 1-0
U16 Girls B:	Lithgow	defeated	Armidale 4-1

Problems leading up to the Championships: Local problems securing sufficient grass fields

- The draw was redone many times due to:
 - Last minute withdrawal of teams.
 - Late nomination of teams
 - Changes in field allocations from UNE
- Providing competent umpires for teams who said they could not bring an umpire
- Providing sufficient local umpires to cover the 8.00am games (Our local umpires were terrific and gave their time voluntarily, reorganised work schedules etc to help us out)
- It was impossible with only two turfs to fit all A division games on Turf

Suggestions for 2009:

- A penalty needs to be imposed on teams withdrawing.
- Maybe Division A competitions need to begin Wednesday morning to allow all games to be played on turf
- The organization of the carnival takes 100's of hours – money needs to be allocated from the CCC budget for relief time for the carnival convener
- Requesting accommodation details and team colours worked well and I would recommend this continues.
- A mobile phone number (for school hockey organizer) needs to be added to the nomination form in the yellow journal, so the convener can easily contact hockey organizers when necessary.
- Communication via email worked well for the 2008 Championships – I would recommend this continues.
- The nomination fee should be higher for A division teams to cover turf fees. (I forgot to take this into consideration this year)
- Providing sufficient umpires for semis / final is difficult because they are all played at the same time - thought needs to be put into this before carnival.
- There were 2 complaints received:
 - a) Re girls playing in boy's teams – a definite ruling needs to be made before the carnival next year (it does appear that one team abused the use of girls in boys team this year so maybe the meetings decision to allow girls to play in boys teams with parental decision needs to be revisited before May 2009)
 - b) Umpires neglecting to notice coaches sub players on a corner – (maybe coaches could be reminded of this rule prior to 2009 carnival)

Denise Fittler
Carnival Convener
O'Connor Catholic College Armidale



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Scott	Butz	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Scott	Cleary	Marcellin College	Randwick
Kyle	Eichorn	O'Connor Catholic High	Armidale
Alexander	Frost	O'Connor Catholic High	Armidale
Scott	Govers	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Matthew	Harmon	John Paul College	Coffs Harbour
Lindsay	Heath	St Gregory's Catholic College	Campbelltown
Landon	Morley	Mount Carmel High	Varroville
Ben	Redding	La Salle Academy	Lithgow
Daniel	Sekulich	All Saints College	Maitland
Ben	Urquhart	All Saints College	Maitland
Luke	Witchard	MacKillop College	Port Macquarie
Michael	Woods	St Pius X High School	Adamstown

NSWCCC Selections Report

The NSWCCC Selections process ran smoothly. There were no injuries or mishaps. The Venue and date seem to be perfect...there were no complaints from boys or parents. We had an extraordinary number of goalkeepers this year (10 or 11) making it a very difficult position to select...big range in ability. All in all... I was very pleased with the process.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Scott	Cleary	Marcellin College	Randwick
Kyle	Eichorn	O'Connor Catholic High	Armidale
Matthew	Harmon	John Paul College	Coffs Harbour
Ben	Redding	La Salle Academy	Lithgow
Ben	Urquhart	All Saints College	Maitland

NSW All Schools Report

Game 1 NSWCCC V NSW CIS The team met for the first time for just half an hour before their first game. Coach Dave Harmon and Manager Mark Stevens gave the boys a quick training session, describing how they would like them to play the game. Positions were finalised and short corners practiced.

The first game against CIS did have us at a disadvantage in that CIS had several games together the day before, however NSWCCC went into the game full of passion and determination. The boys started the game off well although it took a little while for the backs and halves to push forward strongly. Ben Urquhart made a penetrating run allowing the ball to be moved around through the forwards. Scott Cleary's penetrating run resulted in a short corner which led to a great flick goal by Ben Urquhart. Another short corner attempt was saved by the CIS goalie diving to the right. Fullback Ben Redding made a great tackle stopping an attacking raid into our 25. Another attacking short corner saw Matt Harmon score from a good deflection into the top of the net. Score 2 – 0 our way at half time. An outstanding aspect of the first half was the manner in which the NSWCCC team controlled the ball and was able to switch play at will, particularly in defense. It was also a tribute to the team the way in which they kept their positions and troubled the CIS team in both attack and defense. The team was given an inspirational and encouraging talk by their coach and manager; however a rare lapse in concentration saw CCC concede a penalty corner. This was converted by CIS, score 2 – 1. This goal did not quell the enthusiasm of the NSWCCC team, as they continued to work hard and pepper the circle and goal of the opposition. The halves and forwards all worked tirelessly to supply good ball to our hard working striker who was rewarded with a great intercept and shot on goal. A great save by the CIS keeper kept it out. Ben Urquhart, Scott Cleary and Luke Witchard all created space for the hard working forwards. Ben Redding and Kyle Eichorn combined well in the backs and regularly turned defense into attack. Matt Harmon got himself in good position with several leads that led to several shots on goal. The second half saw our backs and halves playing stronger. With 1 minute to go on the clock one of our players had to leave the field, this pushed a striker out of position with 1 missed tackle leading to a successful shot on goal. It is not an exaggeration to say we had most of the play through both halves of the game with a goal to CIS in the last minute of play giving them a 2 all draw. The NSWCCC team was quite clearly the better team in this game, but the lack of preparation clearly went against us in the late stage of the

match. Nonetheless, NSWCCC were a very potent team, with strong defense and penetrating attack that never stopped working from the entire game. The team also played with great passion, and with excellent sportsmanship. The team was a credit to the school they represented, but also the NSWCCC banner. Well done on a very creditable performance in game 1. Game 2 NSWCCC V NSWCHS From the first game minor changes to positions were made in preparation for our Game against a very strong CHS team. NSWCCC led the attack in the first 10 minutes. Ball transfers from backs to halves working well, with good discussions at the top of their circle on corners. Luke Witchard, Matt Harmon and Scott Cleary working well out of defense and into attack. The NSWCCC team had more structured plays overall in the first half with attack happening more often from controlled ball in the half line. This control of the ball led to the CHS team being quite frustrated and making simple, but costly errors. NSWCCC capitalised on the CHS mistakes by putting pressure on their defense, but NSWCCC were unable to convert these opportunities into goals. With the defense working well, Kyle Eichorn was able to pull off some great tackles. This aspect of defense was extremely well supported by the goalie (Lindsay Heath) who made some wonderful saves on goal. Landon Morley stamped his authority on this game and linked well with both halves and forwards at every opportunity. The team had a great first half, with the highlight being teamwork and extreme commitment to their personal work rate. The first half was tough Hockey with each team having their chances. Half Time score 0 - 0. With the second half whistle NSWCCC went straight into attack with good leads by the strikers putting pressure on CHS. The 20th minute saw CHS convert a corner against the run of play. This did not stop the NSWCCC team fighting for the ball and putting even more pressure on the CHS team. With such determined play and control of the ball, it wasn't long before NSWCCC were rewarded with a great goal. A wonderfully crafted overhead by Ben Urquhart saw Matt Harmon on the ball and put a clean shot past the CHS keeper. This was to be the best goal of the game. At the very late stages of the game, the CHS team and its obvious team cohesion started to wear the NSWCCC down and scored off a short corner. Not long after they were awarded a penalty stroke that was successful. The game continued to be a tight contest until around 10 minutes to go in the game at which point CHS were able to exploit our tired players. The final score of 4 – 1 was not a true indication of the game. NSWCCC played extremely well as a team, especially never having played together before. They possessed excellent structure throughout the tournament. Coach Dave Harmon commented that it was the best he had seen a CCC team play against a CHS team. Dave was extremely impressed by the boy's commitment and desire to play well. Each player did what was asked of them and played to the best of their ability. It was certainly a step up for many of them. This game had the NSWCCC team fired up and wanting to take the game to CHS. While CHS may have had more skill across the park they could not match our enthusiasm. Both Coach and Manager were very proud of the way the NSWCCC Boys Open Hockey Team played and in particular the way in which they conducted themselves in both games. The Tri-series was a wonderful exhibition of quality Hockey from all teams. Congratulations to the following NSWCCC team members who were named in NSW All Schools Open Boys Hockey Merit team for 2008: Kyle Eichorn Mt Carmel High, Varroville Matthew Harmon John Paul College, Coffs Harbour Ben Urquhart All Saint's College – St Mary's Campus, Maitland Scott Cleary Marcellin College, Randwick Thank you to all NSWCCC team members who played with great passion and determination throughout the day and showcased wonderful hockey skills throughout the tournament. Thank you to the many parents who travelled long distances to be a part of this Tri-series and witness a very talented and courageous NSWCCC team play.

Mark Stevens

NSWCCC Opens Boys Hockey Manager

Dave Harmon

NSWCCC Opens Boys Hockey Team Coach

NSM Combined Catholic Colleges



OPEN BOYS HOCKEY, 2008

Back Row: MARK STEVENS (Manager), SCOTT BELTZ, SCOTT GOVENS, LUKE WITCHARD, MICHAEL WOODS, ALEXANDER FROST, LANDON MORLEY, DAVE HARMAN (Coach)
 Seated: KYLE EICHORN, BEN REDDING, BEN DIRQUHART, LINDSAY HEATH, MATTHEW HARMON, SCOTT CLEARY, DANIEL SEKULICH

2008 Open Boys
 Hockey
 Team
 Photo

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Madeleine	Bell	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Abbey	Cambridge	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Mathilda	Carmichael	Monte Sant' Angelo	North Sydney
Jodie	Danvers	McAuley Catholic College	Grafton
Rachel	Griffin	Mackillop Catholic College	Bathurst
Emmeline	Hickey	Loreto College	Kirribilli
Sally Jane	Loy	McAuley Catholic College	Grafton
Samantha	Milligan	Mackillop Catholic College	Bathurst
Shannon	Purdy	McCarthy Catholic College	Tamworth
Adrianna	Purdy	McCarthy Catholic College	Tamworth
Sophie	Rodda	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
Johanna	Rowlands	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Tessa	Royle	St Mary's Star of the Sea College	Wollongong
Rhiannon	Russell	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Emma	Sheekey	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Cara	Simpson	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Amy	Symons	James Sheehan Catholic College	Orange

NSWCCC Selections Report

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Madeleine	Bell	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Abbey	Cambridge	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn
Sophie	Rodda	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
Johanna	Rowlands	Trinity Catholic College	Goulburn

NSW All Schools Report

2008 was definitely a year for rebuilding. The team only had 2 existing players from the 2007 team. This year we were not as strong as the CIS and CHS teams and the team had a number of injuries throughout the tournament which also depleted our strike power. Due to the number of injuries Sophie Rodda was added to the team during the tournament. The team displayed great determination and their improvement over the tournament was fantastic. The winning team for the 2008 Tournament was CIS. All Schools Merit Team: Congratulations to Johanna Rowlands and Abbie Cambridge who were selected in the NSW All Schools Honour team.

Bev Smith

NSWCCC Hockey Convener

NSW Combined Catholic Colleges

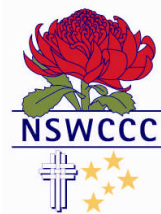


OPEN GIRLS HOCKEY, 2008

Back Row: EITHANNON RUSSELL, RACHEL GRIPPIN, ABBEY CAMBERIDGE, ADRIANNA PURDY, MATILDA CARMICHAEL,
 First Row: FIONA CROCKER (Coach), SHANNON PURDY, CARA SIMPSON, EMMA SHEEKY, MADELINE BELL, DEB SIVYER (Manager)
 Seated: SAMANTHA MULLIGAN, JUDIE DANVERS, AMY SYMONS, JOHANNA ROWLANDS (Captain), TESSA ROYLE, EMMELINE HICKEY, SALLY JANE LOY

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Katie	Andrews	St Joseph's High School	Aberdeen
Madeleine	Bell	Mackillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Mathilda	Carmichael	Monte Sant' Angelo Mercy College	North Sydney
Kate	Davis	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
Hayley	De La Monte	Trinity Catholic College	Auburn
Ruth	Ford	Mackillop Catholic College	Bathurst
Shanae	Pyne	La Salle Academy	Lithgow
Sophie	Rodda	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
Tessa	Royle	St Mary's Star of the Sea College	Wollongong
Rhiannon	Russell	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Cara	Simpson	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Amy	Symons	James Sheehan Catholic College	Orange
Ellora	Thwaite	Catherine McAuley College	Westmead
Nandita	Ward	St Patrick College	Campbelltown
Zoe	Watts	Mackillop Catholic College	Bathurst
Sarah	Whiley	James Sheahan Catholic College	Orange
Kelsey	Willott	Mackillop Catholic College	Bathurst

NSWCCC Selections Report

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

NSW All Schools Report

After the Monday (the first day of Selections) the following girls made it through to the next level (Tuesday and Wednesday) Madeleine Bell, Kate Davis, Ruth Ford, Shanae Pyne, Sophie Rodda and Cara Simpson. Congratulations go to Madeline Bell and Sophie Rodda who were selected in the NSW All Schools team to compete at the Pacific School games. Because of the Pacific School Games, selections for 2008 was different than previous years. On Monday the girls played as a team against CIS and two CHS teams. Later in the day the teams were rearranged and then a squad of 2 teams was selected to play against the Open teams on Tuesday and Wednesday. At the completion of the 3 days the NSW All Schools team was announced. Next year we would like to extend the selection to a Tri-Series the same as the Opens.

Bev Smith
NSWCCC Hockey Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Bridget	Abbot	Monte Sant' Angelo	North Sydney
Anita	Blanco	Bethany College	Hurstville
Jessica	Brooks	St John Bosco College	Engadine
Lisa	Carlton	Stella Maris College	Manly
Jessica	Chiefari	Freeman Catholic College	Bonnyrigg
Samantha	Davis	Mackillop Catholic College	
Karlee	Grayson	All Saints College - St Peter's Campus	Maitland
Lucy	Jackson	St Paul's High School	Port Macquarie
Alexandra	Little	Aquinas College	Menai
Kailyne	Watson	All Saints College - St Peter's Campus	Maitland
Olivia	White	St John Bosco College	Engadine

NSWCCC Selections Report

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

NSW All Schools Report

Students Selected in an Australian Team



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Nicola	Gray	Mercy Catholic College	Chatswood
Kellyann	Grayson	All Saints College - St Mary's Campus	Maitland
Devon	Halligan	Stella Maris College	Manly
Jennifer	Hassatt	St Peter's Catholic College	Tuggerah
Kayle	Leathem	Stella Maris College	Manly
Katie	Maguire	St Joseph's Catholic College	East Gosford
Alix	McDermott	St Patrick's College	Campbelltown
Lauren	Penfold	De La Salle College	Cronulla
Nikki	Robson	All Saints College - St Mary's Campus	Maitland
Megan	Styles	John Therry Catholic High School	Rosemeadow
Alexa	Wilkinson	St Mary's College	Gunnedah

NSWCCC Selections Report

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

All Schools Report

NSW Catholic School Girls Open Team – All Schools Challenge 2008

The Open Team went into the All Schools Challenge without three senior members of the team, as they were representing the NSWIS in Melbourne. Kayle Leathem (who was selected in Team but unable to come to Adelaide) and Emma Hoyle (a squad Member) came along for the day to help us out. The girls committed themselves to the task well, playing CHS in the first game. We started strongly finishing the quarter only three goals down but unfortunately the CHS team proved to be too strong, beating us 52 – 31. Against CIS the girls really rose to the challenge, with the game proving to be a fight till the end with CIS winning the game by 3, 37 – 34. Unfortunately we lost our GS, Alix McDermott to an ankle injury in this game. All girls showed a great deal of improvement over the day and displayed a positive attitude, good sportsmanship, a desire to learn and a commitment to this team. There were lots of positive signs looking forward to the Australasian Championships in Adelaide.

Gabrielle Grahame
Coach

NSWCNA SECONDARY SCHOOLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Tuesday 19th August 2008 Final Results

CHAMPIONSHIP DIVISIONS

Senior Div 1

1 st	Albury	18
2 nd	North Sydney	13
3 rd	Hamilton	12
4 th	Strathfield	12
5 th	Manly	8
6 th	Parramatta	8
7 th	Rosemeadow	6
8 th	South Windsor	6
9 th	Maitland St Mary's	5
10 th	East Gosford	2

Senior Div 2

1 st	Varroville	15
2 nd	St Ives	14
3 rd	Orange	11
4 th	Waniassa	11
5 th	Normanhurst	10
6 th	Pennant Hills	9
7 th	Engadine	8
8 th	Lismore	7
9 th	Schofields	3
10 th	South Windsor	0

Intermediate Div 1

1 st	North Sydney	16
2 nd	East Gosford	12
3 rd	Manly	12
4 th	Albury	10
5 th	Rosemeadow	10
6 th	Orange	6
7 th	South Windsor	4
8 th	Engadine	2
9 th	St Ives	0

Intermediate Div 2

1 st	Pennant Hills	13
2 nd	Parramatta	12
3 rd	South Windsor	12
4 th	Varroville	11
5 th	Schofields	7
6 th	Waniassa	7
7 th	Goulburn	6
8 th	Normanhurst	4
9 th	Merrylands	0

Junior Div 1

1 st	Pennant Hills	9
2 nd	Parramatta	9
3 rd	North Sydney	9
4 th	Manly	8
5 th	Strathfield	5
6 th	Engadine	2
7 th	South Windsor	0

Junior Div 2

1 st	Waniassa	14
2 nd	Merrylands	13
3 rd	Normanhurst	12
4 th	Orange	9
5 th	Albury	8
6 th	East Gosford	7
7 th	Schofields	7
8 th	St Ives	2
9 th	Rosemeadow	0

Tuesday 19th August 2008 Final Results

MINOR DIVISIONS

Senior Div 1

1 st	Woodlawn	16
2 nd	Wollongong	14
3 rd	Aberdeen	10
4 th	Wahroonga (1)	9
5 th	Glenmore Park	8
6 th	Westmead	7
7 th	Dickson	4
8 th	Wagga Mater Dei	4
9 th	Schofields	0

Senior Div 2

1 st	Coffs Harbour	14
2 nd	Woolwich	13
3 rd	Gateshead	12
4 th	Dubbo	11
5 th	Sutherland	10
6 th	Goulburn (1)	6
7 th	Marayong	4
8 th	Emu Plains	2
9 th	Warner Vale	0

Senior Div 3

1 st	Springwood	14
2 nd	Tamworth (1)	10
3 rd	Broulee	9
4 th	Maitland St Peter's	9
5 th	Merrylands	8
6 th	Burraneer	4
7 th	Gunnedah	2
8 th	Lithgow	0

Senior Div 4

1 st	Forbes	15
2 nd	Albion Park	14
3 rd	Five Dock	12
4 th	Cronulla	10
5 th	Canberra	8
6 th	Nowra	7
7 th	Adamstown	4
8 th	Lithgow	2
9 th	Granville	0

Senior Div 5

1 st	Menai	14
2 nd	Taree	12
3 rd	Dickson	10
4 th	Mayfield	7
5 th	Goulburn (2)	7
6 th	Wahroonga (2)	4
7 th	Young	2
8 th	Armidale	0
9 th	Kemps Creek	Did Not Play

Senior Div 6

1 st	Bathurst	14
2 nd	Booragul	12
3 rd	Leeton	9
4 th	Lochinvar	8
5 th	Hinchinbrook	6
6 th	Maitland St Mary's	5
7 th	Tamworth (2)	2
8 th	Pambula	0
9 th	Casula	Did Not Play

MINOR DIVISIONS

Intermediate Div 1

1 st	Maitland St Peter's (1)	18
2 nd	Mayfield (1)	16
3 rd	Woolwich	12
4 th	Broulee	11
5 th	Wollongong	8
6 th	Emu Plains	7
7 th	Canberra	4
8 th	Wahroonga	4
9 th	Gateshead	4
10 th	Strathfield	4

Intermediate Div 2

1 st	Adamstown	14
2 nd	Sutherland	14
3 rd	Bathurst	10
4 th	Wagga Wagga Kildare	10
5 th	Westmead	10
6 th	Albion Park	6
7 th	Tamworth (1)	6
8 th	Kemps Creek	1
9 th	Schofields	1

Intermediate Div 3

1 st	Wagga Mater Dei	15
2 nd	Aberdeen (1)	14
3 rd	Dubbo	10
4 th	Dickson	10
5 th	Tuggerah	8
6 th	Young (1)	7
7 th	Five Dock	4
8 th	Marayong	4
9 th	Gunnedah	0

Intermediate Div 4

1 st	Springwood	14
2 nd	Glenmore Park	12
3 rd	Forbes	10
4 th	Taree	8
5 th	Aberdeen (2)	6
6 th	Goulburn	4
7 th	Stanhope Gardens	2
8 th	Granville	0

Intermediate Div 5

1 st	Cranebrook	16
2 nd	Lithgow	13
3 rd	Menai	12
4 th	Nowra	9
5 th	Armidale	8
6 th	Booragul	6
7 th	Mayfield (2)	6
8 th	Young (2)	2
9 th	Hassall Grove	Did Not Play

Intermediate Div 6

1 st	Leeton	16
2 nd	Hinchinbrook	14
3 rd	Burraneer	11
4 th	Rooty Hill	8
5 th	Maitland St Peter's (2)	8
6 th	Warner Vale	6
7 th	Pambula	6
8 th	Lochinvar	5
9 th	Tamworth	0

MINOR DIVISIONS

Junior Div 1

1 st	Woolwich	14
2 nd	Wollongong	10
3 rd	Canberra	10
4 th	Wagga Mater Dei	6
5 th	Manly	6
6 th	Warner Vale	4
7 th	Emu Plains	2
8 th	Hassal Grove	0

Junior Div 2

1 st	Burraneer	14
2 nd	Mayfield	12
3 rd	Cranebrook	12
4 th	Lochinvar	12
5 th	Bathurst	8
6 th	Albion Park	5
7 th	Gunnedah	4
8 th	Five Dock	3
9 th	Pambula	2

Junior Div 3

1 st	Sutherland	14
2 nd	Tuggerah	12
3 rd	Dubbo	12
4 th	Dickson	12
5 th	Aberdeen	8
6 th	Wagga Wagga Kildare	8
7 th	Westmead	4
8 th	Nowra	2
9 th	Marayong	0

Junior Div 4

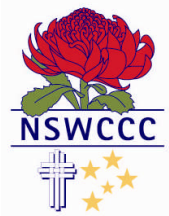
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Junior Div 5

1 st	Maitland St Peter's	16
2 nd	Glenmore Park	14
3 rd	Broulee	12
4 th	Rooty Hill	10
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Junior Div 6

1 st	Taree	14
2 nd	Kemps Creek	11
3 rd	Forbes	11
4 th	Wahroonga	8
5 th	Mayfield (2)	5
6 th	Schofields	4
7 th	Armidale	2
8 th	Waniassa	1



RUGBY LEAGUE - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT

2008 saw the administration of NSWCCC unchanged from 2008; President – Simon Huntly (Kildare Catholic College, Wagga Wagga), Secretary – Stephen Hooper (Red Bend Catholic College, Forbes), – Santo Passarello (Patrician Brothers, Blacktown), Vice resident: Country – Mark Falkenmire (McCarthy Catholic College, Tamworth), Vice President: City – Barry Walsh (St.Dominic's College Kingswood), Purchasing and Publicity-James Clancy (De La Salle College, Revesby), MCC – Frank Azar (Marist College, Kogarah), MCS – Lyneene Orsini (Terra Sancta College, Quakers Hill), CBSA – James Clancy (De La Salle College, Revesby), Northern Country-Mark Falkenmire (McCarthy Catholic College, Tamworth), Southern Country – Stephen Hooper (Red Bend Catholic College, Forbes), SICC – David Credaro (Gilroy College, Castle Hill).

Catholic Schools see Rugby League as a worthwhile sport and a legitimate career pathway for many of our students. NSWCCC, in conjunction with the NSWRL, conduct many weekly and knockout competitions as well as compete in the Arrive Alive Cup competition. On behalf of the NSWCCC Rugby League Executive I would like to thank all of those teachers and volunteers for their ongoing support and commitment to schoolboy rugby league.

The State selection trials were this year conducted at The Crest Sporting Complex in Bankstown. These trials were a resounding success due to the work of carnival convenor, Mr Barry Walsh, the staff and students of St.Dominic's College Kingswood, Bankstown Council, Bankstown Sports Club, and the Bankstown Sports District Junior Rugby League Football Club. A vote of thanks also to the NSWRL Development Academy and The NSWRL Referees Association for their ongoing support with these selection trials.

Our representative sides for the 15 Years and 18Years ASSRL championships had mixed results. The 15's finished in third place with the 18 Years team placing as runners up at the championships in Wynnum and Darwin respectively. Congratulations to the Hosts of these championships, Queensland and the Northern Territory Rugby League and also to Queensland and NSWCHS for taking out the Championships.

The development and promotion of Rugby League among Catholic Schools and Colleges cannot be continued without the efforts and support of Principal's, Sports Co-ordinators, Teachers, and Parents at all levels. To them, we are greatly indebted for their voluntary time. Unfortunately, this is becoming more difficult with the restrictions being placed on schools with regards to staff release and most notably upon individual associations in terms of funding for release days. This cost has bitten significantly into the budget over the past two years and is an area that needs to be seriously addressed if we are to keep player levies and contributions to various levels of our organisation as they currently stand.

Again the New South Wales Rugby League has provided much needed financial and administrative support to our organization. Thank you greatly to Martin Meredith, Steve Hewson, and to John Coates at the Australian Rugby League for their help. Thanks also to the ASSRL Executive and members of the ASSRL Council for the ongoing work that they do towards the ongoing promotion and development of Rugby League in our schools.

I would also like to thank Clive Nettleton (Canterbury International – Australia) for the wonderful job and product that he provides with our gear at State and National level. Finally to the NRL clubs who donated prizes for player awards at the State Trials and to the NSWRL and CRL Referees Associations for their continued support.

Simon Huntly
President
NSWCCC Rugby League

16 YEARS RUGBY LEAGUE - 2008 ANNUAL REPORT

NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

MCS #13	Jason Antonelli	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
Northern #10	Caleb Binge	St John's College	Woodlawn
MCS #16	Ben Bridekirk	St Dominic's College	Penrith
Northern #14	Adam Clydesdale	St Joseph's College	Aberdeen
Northern #8	Nic Crompton	St Joseph's College	Banora Point
Northern #11	Jack Durheim	St John's College	Woodlawn
MCS #17	Joelee Foai	St Dominic's College	Penrith
MCS #20	Jakiel Fuimaono	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
Southern #6	Todd Graham	Red Bend Catholic College	Forbes
MCS #5	Ben Heterick	St Dominic's College	Penrith
MCS #15	Samisoni Langi	Trinity College	Auburn
MCS #21	Soane Manumoa	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
Southern #12	Moahoni Lelei	Marian College	Griffith
Northern #18	Heath McIlveen	St Mary's College	Gunnedah
Northern #7	Shay Padberg	All Saints College (St Joseph's)	Lochinvar
SICC #13	Reece Regan	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
Northern #1	Nathaniel Regueria	St John's College	Woodlawn
Southern #16	Ben Toussis	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
SICC #9	Luke Vescio	Mater Maria College	Warriewood
SICC #8	Zac Wedesweiller	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Coach:	Mr Michael Lewis	La Salle College	Bankstown
Manager:	Mr John McKnight	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
Trainer:	Ms Sonya Ratcliff	St Dominic's College	Penrith
Tour Manager:	Mr Stephen Hooper	Red Bend College	Forbes

NSWCCC Selections Report

Day 1 – Friday 23rd May

Northern Country 18 (Nathaniel Regueira 2, Anthony Kiem, Nathan Fowler Tries; Nick Ritter Goal) **defeated Metropolitan Catholic Schools 4** (Joelee Foai Try)

Southern Country 36 (Moahoni Lelei 4, Simon Lienesch, Cameron Clarke, Joseph Gunne Tries; Kyle Baxter 3, Tobia Evans Goals) **defeated Christian Brothers Sporting Association 8** (Chris Assad, Justin Casey Tries)

Metropolitan Catholic Schools 42 (Soane Manumoa 2, Ben Heterick 2, Risati Vincent, Joey Touma, Joelee Foai

Tries; Ben Heterick 7 Goals) **defeated Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 10** (Morrie Toum, Anthony Politoni Tries; Daniel Hayward Goal)

Sydney Independent Catholic Colleges 38 (Luke Vescio 2, Adam McInnes, Joseph Drinkwater, Reece Regan, Jake Webb, David Pasqualino, Adam Thorogood Tries; Jake Webb 3 Goals) **defeated Christian Brothers Sporting Association 0**

Northern Country Catholic Colleges 46 (Anthony Kiem, Nick Rutter, Shay Padberg, William Clarke, Nathaniel Regueira, Andrew Malouf, Jack Durheim, Nic Crompton Tries; Nick Ritter 6, Nathaniel Regueira Goals) **defeated Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 4** (Morrie Toum Try)

Southern Country 22 (Todd Graham 3, Cameron Clarke Tries; Kyle Baxter 2, Daniel McGookin Goals) **drew with Sydney Independent Catholic Colleges** (Reece Regan 2, Luke Vescio, Jesse Newton Tries; Jake Webb 3 Goals)

Day 2 – Saturday 24th May

Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 24 (Guy Megrossi 2, Jack O'Brien, Michael Christie, Morrie Toum Tries; Daniel Hayward 2 Goals) **defeated Christian Brothers Sporting Association 0**

Metropolitan Catholic Schools 22 (Elhag Sabir 2, Soane Manumoa, Ben Heterick Tries) **defeated Southern Country 18** (Jared Constable, Matthew Tran, Bayden Schubert Tries; Tobias Evans 3 Goals)

Northern Country 24 (Caleb Binge, Anthony Kiem, Jye Knox, Tom Rouse Tries; Nick Ritter 4 Goals) **defeated MCS**

18 YEARS AUSTRALIAN RUGBY LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIPS

After the conclusion of the 2008 Australian Secondary Schools Rugby League Championships the team to contest the Corporate Sports Australia International series was announced.

NSWCCC players dominated selection, occupying 8 of the 17 positions.

Congratulations to:

NSWCCC 12 **Tim Auremi** St Paul's Greystanes
NSWCCC 4 **Jamal Idris** La Salle College Bankstown

NSWCCC 6 **Albert Kelly** Patrician Brother's College Blacktown
NSWCCC 1 **Junior Roqica** Holy Cross College Ryde

NSWCCC 17 **Neenan Simpson** La Salle College Bankstown
NSWCCC 11 **Jarrold Thompson** St Gregory's College Campbelltown

NSWCCC 10 **Aaron Woods** Holy Cross College Ryde
NSWCCC 3 **Matthew Wright** Patrician Brother's College Blacktown

The team will play two Test matches against the the England Academy and one Test against the French team.

Corporate Sports Australia International Test Series

First Test – England Academy Dairy Farmers Stadium, Townsville Saturday 2 August 5.20 pm

Second Test – England Academy Kougari Oval, Wynnum Saturday 9 August 7.00 pm

Test – French Juniors Kougari Oval, Wynnum Wednesday 13 August 5.00 pm



NSWCCC 18YEARS RUGBY LEAGUE TEAM



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

MCS #19	Tim Auremi	St Pauls College	Greystanes
Northern #11	Chris Binge	St John's College	Woodlawn
SICC #11	Nick Boland	Oakhill College	Castle Hill
Northern #18	Boyd Cordner	St Clare's College	Taree
Northern #3	Scott Dunn	St Joseph's College	Aberdeen
MCC #6	Kieran Foran	Marist College	North Shore
Northern #9	Liam Higgins	All Saints College	(St Mary's) Maitland
MCC #3	Jamal Idris	La Salle College	Bankstown
MCS #6	Albert Kelly	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
SICC #7	Brad Murray	Holy Spirit College	Lakemba
MCS #2	Kyle O'Donnell	St Gregory's College	Ryde
MCC #1	Neenan Simpson	La Salle College	Bankstown
SICC #9	Sam Stanford	St Augustines College	Brookvale
Northern #13	Jay Stevens	All Saints College	(St Mary's) Maitland
MCS #12	Jarrod Thompson	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
MCS #11	Alan Tuiala	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
SICC #2	Ratu Tagive	Holy Spirit College	Lakemba
MCS #8	Aaron Woods	Holy Cross College	Ryde
MCS #3	Matthew Wright	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
Coach:	Mark Morrison	St Paul's College	Kempsey
Manager:	Mr Mark Ross	Patrician Brothers College	Blacktown
Trainer:	Mr James Clancy	De La Salle College	Revesby Heights
Tour Manager:	Mr Simon Huntly	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga

*Kieran Foran withdrew from the team and was replaced by Northern # 7 Taylor Matthews

NSWCCC Selections Report

Day 1 – Friday 23rd May

Metropolitan Catholic Schools 32 (Kyle O'Donnell 2, Albert Kelly 2, Matthew Wright, Jake Mullaney Tries; Matthew Wright 2, Fred Latulipe, Jake Mullaney Goals) **defeated Sydney Independent Catholic Colleges 6** (Sam Stanford Try; Sione Ala Goal)

Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 34 (Neenan Simpson 2, Tim Bennett, Stefan Soltoudis, Daniel Abousleiman, Kyle Mallyana Tries; Brendan Barnes 3, Aiden Sezar 2 Goals) **defeated Southern Country 16** (Brendan O'Rourke, Sebastian Cottam, Ryan McBriarty Tries; Cameron Breust 2 Goals)

Northern Country 34 (Chris Binge 2, Justin Smith, Tom Merritt, Scott Dunn, Ethan McKenzie Tries; Michael Gavan 4, Justin Smith Goals) **defeated Metropolitan Catholic Schools 14** (Albert Kelly, Sam Williams, Patrick Polotini Tries; Jake Mullaney Goal)

Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 30 (Neenan Simpson 2, Jamil Idris 2, Brendan Barnes Tries, Brendan Barnes 2, Aiden Sezar, Neenan Simpson, Finn McDonough Goals) **defeated Sydney Independent Catholic Colleges 28** (Ratu Tagive 2, Brad Meaney, Sam Duggan, Sione Ala Tries; Sione Ala 4 Goals)

Northern Country (Tom Merritt 3, Michael Gavan 2, Shaun Carney 2, Chris Binge, Justin Smith Tries; Ethan McKenzie 3, Michael Gavan 2, Chris Binge Goals) **defeated Southern Country** (Mitch Rein Try, Cameron Breust Goal)

Day 2 – Saturday 24th May

Metropolitan Catholic Schools 52 (John Feiloakitau 3, F. Latulipe 2, Jake Mullaney 2, Kris Freeman, Kilifi Tia-Kilifi, Patrick Polotoni Tries; Jake Mullaney 6 Goals) **defeated Southern Country 10** (Tom Morrison, Cameron Miller Tries; Cameron Breust Goal)

Northern Country 28 (Justin Smith 2, Tom Merritt, Hayden Crouch, Jay Stevens Tries; Michael Gavan 2, Ethan McKenzie, Shaun Carney Goals) **defeated Sydney Independent Catholic Colleges 20** (Mitchell Davidson 2, Sam Stanford, Ryan Morgan Tries; Sione Ala 2 Goals)

Metropolitan Catholic Colleges 32 (Lota Fiaalii, Matt Wright, Aaron Woods, Jake Mullaney, Kyle O'Donnell, Kilifi Tia-Kilifi Tries; Matthew Wright 4 Goals) **defeated Metropolitan Catholic Schools 30** (Jack Dawson 2, Neenan Simpson 2, Brendan Barnes, Jamie Idris Tries; Brendan Barnes 2, Aiden Sezar Goals)

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Blake	Birmingham	St Mary's High	Casino
Ethan	McDonough	John Paul College	Coffs Harbour
James	Forrest	Marist College	Eastwood
James	Dargaville	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Boyd	Killingworth	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Alec	Gibbon	St John's College	Woodlawn
Pat	Murphy	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Tom	Kelly	St John's College	Woodlawn
Stephen	Berkley	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Branston	Brewer-Charles	St John's College	Woodlawn
Brendan	O'Cleary	St Paul's Catholic College	Greystanes
Elliot	White	St Mary's High School	Gateshead
Ketoni	Toutaki	St Peter's College	Tuggerah
Adrian	Totola	Holy Cross College	Ryde
Jordan	Lantry	ASC - St Peter's Campus	Maitland
Alex	Sullivan	Marist College	North Shore
James	Cardow	St John's College	Woodlawn
Daniel	Moroko	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Mitchell	O'Neill	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Mitchell	Cullen	All Saints College - St Peter's Campus	Maitland
Joseph	Toleafoa	De La Salle College	Revesby
James	McCrombie	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Kirk	Taylor-Brown	St John's College	Woodlawn

NSWCCC Selections Report

On Tuesday and Wednesday the 27th and 28th of May the NSWCCC Rugby Union U/16 and U/18 Selection Carnivals were held at UWS Hawkesbury. The carnival was a great success and as convener I would like to thank all the Diocesan/Association Representatives, coaches and managers who made the carnival so successful. Carnival Attendance The attendance at the carnival was one of the biggest we have seen with some 16 teams and over 340 boys attending the carnival. In the U/18 division we had 7 teams and in the U/16's 9 teams. The presence of a Barbarians team in both draws enabled all students to perform in front of the selectors and certainly allowed all boys to feel that they had received a fair trial. Carnival Format and Venue The carnival format of 4 matches for all teams over 2 days was widely praised by coaches and players. This format certainly makes travelling to the carnival more attractive for all teams as they perceive that all players will receive a fair hit out at the carnival. The venue was also widely praised as excellent with UWS Hawkesbury doing a fine job of hosting the carnival. The ease of accommodation on campus for country teams was certainly welcomed. The Hawkesbury also put on two fantastic days of weather which made everything just that little bit easier. Carnival Results Attached are the carnival results in both divisions and congratulations to Broken Bay who were victorious in both the U/16 and U/18 divisions! Also well done to Lismore in the U16's and the Country Cavaliers in the U18's who pushed Broken Bay hard in both divisions and to MCS who ended up runners up in both divisions. It was fantastic to see many of these Country fellas win selection in our CCC teams. The strength and depth of our representative squads are a reflection of the sheer number of boys who attended the trials this year from such a wide geographic area of NSW. Convenors Awards If I had a couple of other trophies to award for team spirit I would give my convenors award to CBSA in the U/18's and Wagga Wagga in the U/16's. Although these two teams finished near the bottom of their respective competitions the spirit and enthusiasm that they displayed over the two days was excellent. They (along with all the boys) were a credit to their teams. Carnival Selections Our selectors had a very difficult job over the 2 days with a fantastic depth of talent on display. Special Thankyous The Referees: We had wonderful support from many referees especially the SWRA (Sydney West Referees Association) but we also had support from referees from the Hawkesbury, Central West, and Mid North Coast. Coaches & Managers: It's great to work with passionate volunteers and well done to all the coaches and managers. Especially with the rubbish (I don't think many principals would believe it took 1 person with 1 bin to clean up after 350 boys on day 1!!) The selectors: The selectors did a

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NSWCCC Rugby Convener



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Vaitu	Tautai	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Cameron	Kesby	St Mary's High	Gunnedah
Cody	Buck	St John's College	Woodlawn
Robert	Wells	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Nick	Wilkinson	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
James	Beaufils	St John Bosco College	Engadine
Zach	Fell	St Edward's College	Gosford
Daniel	Alley	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Nick	White	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Jayden	Dallalana	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
Shane	Jeffrey	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Dean	McGlinchey	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Andrew	Barnes	St Mary's High	Casino
BJ	Hartman	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Dion	Kelly	Marist College	Kogarah
Ben	Soutter	St Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga
Ben	Lamaro	St Dominic's College	Penrith
Harry	Bergelin	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Tum	Silipa	Patrician Brothers' College	Blacktown
Liam	Gallagher	O'Connor Catholic College	Armidale
Nathan	O'Regan	Aquinas College	Menai
Alex	Del Moro	St Leo's Catholic College	Wahroonga

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NSWCCC Rugby Convener





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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Joel	Wakefield	Aquinas College	Menai
James	Bird	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Nathan	Dickinson	De La Salle College	Revesby
Mitchell	Brownlow	De La Salle College	Revesby
Benjamin	Green	Aquinas College	Menai
Blake	Mitchell	St John the Evangelist	Nowra
Justin	Bruni	All Saint's Catholic Senior College	Casula
Daniel	Ardill	St Joseph's College	Banora Point
Samuel	Bonfield	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Sam	Brown	St Francis Xavier College	Hamilton
Samuel	Luke	St Francis Xavier College	Hamilton
Ryan	O'Driscoll	John Therry Catholic High School	Rosemeadow
Patrick	Schipp	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown

NSW All Schools Report

The 2008 Invitational Boys' Softball Championship were held on Thursday, September 25, at Aquilina Park, Blacktown, home of Softball NSW and one of the venues for this sport at the Sydney Olympics. Originally scheduled as a two-day event, the withdrawal of the ACT meant that NSWCCC and NSWCHS contested proceedings in a revised one day format, playing three games against one another.

Thirteen boys formed the squad, with a mixture of rookie (as young as Yr 8) and experienced talent (with four Yr 12's). Previous years' contests had resulted in some huge, lop-sided scorelines, so some of the players were, understandably, a little apprehensive.

As it turns out, despite the scores and a three to nil result (9-1, 7-1 and 8-1), the team was thoroughly committed to the job in front of them and really quite competitive. Overall, the boys were able to match their bigger, older and much more experienced opposition (boasting a number of U/19 State representatives) in all aspects of fielding and base running (where they even, perhaps, excelled).

In the battery, our three young pitchers weren't terribly far behind their opposite numbers. Their accuracy, pace and perseverance were more than obvious, and the fact that they are only in Years 8, 9 and 10 augurs well for the next few years should they remain in the squad. In the meantime, if they were to work on their variation, then our chances of success would certainly improve. And our two catchers performed creditably, controlling both the ball and general proceedings the way you would hope and expect.

This leaves the batting which, it is fair to say, was the obvious difference between the two sides. Despite being able to limit CHS's potent attack in lengthy stages from innings to innings, game to game, the fact of the matter is that their line-up was studded with just too many individuals capable of tearing into any pitcher. If there was an assignment for our boys over the next twelve months it would be to strengthen this aspect of their game. Having said that, they were fearless in the batter's box in their attempts to get themselves on base and the team on the scoreboard. At the pace they were facing, it would have been understandable if they were seen to back away a little, but this was not the case.

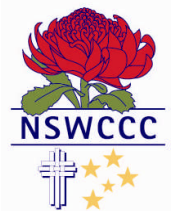
Finally, a sincere thankyou must go to Glenys Fallick (Trinity College, Regents Park) for her tireless efforts over a number of years in various positions as Convener, Coach and/or Manager. She and her daughter, Samantha, have worked overtime doing all that is required behind the scenes and on the diamond for the good of the game and those who play it. Given that they are having a well earned rest...a huge thanks once again!

Peter Garty

Manager

St Paul's College, Kempsey

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Rachel	Sechi	Brigidine College	St Ives
Gemma	Nelson	Brigidine College	St Ives
Natalie	Steele	Brigidine College	St Ives
Rachael	Devlin	Mountt St Joseph	Milperra
Lisa	Carlton	Stella Maris College	Manly
Georgia	Casey	Mt St Benedict College	Pennant Hills
Paige	Hyslop	Mt St Benedict College	Pennant Hills
Caitlin	Pobjie	Terra Sancta College	Quakers Hill
Simone	Freeman	Gilroy College	Castle Hill
Michelle	Bell	St Patrick's College	Campbelltown
Kimberley	Wright	Emmaus College	Kemp Creek
Cassandra	Wright	Mount St Joseph	Milperra
Lasche	Richardson	Cerdon College	Merrylands

NSWCCC Selections Report

I would like to congratulate all the diocese teams and individuals students who trialled this year. It was a great carnival and all players showed great pride and respect for all the officials including the first aid officer canteen staff and groundsmen. We were sent a lovely letter from the first aid company (John Conway) saying that all the students that were at the carnival were a credit to their schools and colleges I also would like to thank all parents coaching staff for the professional way they conducted themselves and the students all day. Both Male and Female teams from the following Association competed were Lismore Wollongong Female teams were SCC, Parramatta, Broken Bay Male teams MCS, Conveners Squad. Winners of the girls were Parramatta and the Boys were the Conveners Squad. I would like to thank the selectors, Mr Burrough, Mr Freeman, Mrs Deegan, Miss S. Fallick also would like to thank all the umpires for a great day.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Simone	Freeman	Gilrpy College	Castle Hill
Natalie	Steele	Brigidine College	St Ives
Kimberley	Wright	Emmaus College	Kemps Creek

NSW All Schools Report

This team performed very well against CHS and CIS teams the results were as followed we won our first game 4-3. We played a very good game. Game 2 we lost 3-1 game 3 bye game 4 we lost 2-1 and we won game 5 17-0. I would personally like to thank Samantha Fallick and Chris Starr for their hard work organising the girls. Also I hope Carol is recovering from her accident. We would like to congratulate each and every player. All the girls gave 110% for the whole carnival some very good games were played in game one our pitcher catcher combination were very good Rachel Sechi caught extremely well to our very talented pitcher Simone Freeman Georgia Casey pitched and battered very well, all carnival. I was very impressed with all the girls as they followed all signals and instructions. Natalie Steele bunted well, Lisa Carlton showed that she is a very quick runner on a couple occasions and scored. After the success of this carnival we had 5 students make the possibles verses probables Michelle Bell Georgia Cassey Simone Freeman Natalie Steele Kimberly Wright from these students we had 3 girls make the NSW All Schools Team The selectors gave a very good report for one of our younger players Georgia Cassey who missed out on the team this year but performed very well congratulation must also go to Michelle Bell unfortunately missed out but is a great team player and her attitude towards other team members is a credit to her she has shown she is a gracious in defeat as well as a great sports person, she has the ability to mature as a good player thank you Michelle. The three girls who were selected to the next carnival showed great skill and motivation in their nominated positions Simone is a very talented pitcher and achieved some very good results. Natalie played short stop and Kimberly played 3rd base all these girls played well all carnival and we would like to wish them all the best at All Schools carnival and hoping for a good carnival for each of the girls.

Glenys Fallick – NSWCCC Softball Convener

NSW ALL SCHOOL TRIAL 2008 NSW CCC SOFTBALL TEAM

TUESDAY 11th MARCH 2008, AQUALINA PARK, BLACKTOWN



FRONT ROW L to R: CASSANDRA WRIGHT, KIMBERLEY WRIGHT, GEORGIA CASEY, CAITLIN POBJIE, RACHAEL DEVLIN;
SECOND ROW L to R: GLENYS FALLICK, SAMANTHA FALLICK, LISA CARLTON, NATALIE STEELE, LASCHE RICHARDSON,
RACHAEL SECHI, KRIS STARR; THIRD ROW L to R: PAIGE HYSLOP, SIMONE FREEMAN, MICHELLE BELL, GEMMA NELSON;

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SWIMMING 2008 - ANNUAL REPORT



The 2008 NSWCCC Swimming Championships were held on Friday 2nd of May at the Sydney Aquatic Centre. After the initiation of a seeded carnival for the past few years, it was evident that this years carnival was going to the strongest field for all races and that the standard of competition was continuing to improve as it had from years gone by.

Every Diocese had entered their strongest teams with many being allocated extra lanes due to the new seeding rules. It was great to see that we had a large increase in the number of additional entry applications, which led to very full heats and quite a full days racing.

The standard of competition was very high and there were a number of significant performances. I would like to commend all of the athletes who competed on their individual achievements and the good spirit in which they competed. I would especially like to mention the performances of the following swimmers who not only excelled at this carnival but also continued this at the All Schools Carnival. There performances are as follows:

NAME	CCC RESULTS	ALL SCHOOLS RESULTS
Kieran Casey – 17 years	200m Im – 1 st 200m Fr/s – 2 nd 400m Fr/s – 2 nd 50m Br/s – 3 rd 100m But/f – 3 rd 100m Fr/s – 4 th 100m Br/s – 4 th 50m Bk/s – 4 th 50m Fr/s -5 th	400m Im – 1 st 200m Br/s- 2 nd 200m Fr/s – 2 nd 200m Im – 2 nd 200m But/f – 4 th 200m Bk/s- 8 th
Tim Schofield- 17 years	50m Bk/s- 1 st 100m Bk/s – 1 st 50m Fr/s – 2 nd 50m But/f -2 nd 100m Fr/s -2 nd	50m Fr/s – 1 st 100mBk/s – 1 st 100m Fr/s- 1 st 200m Bk/s – 2 nd 50m Bk/s- 3 rd 50m But/f – 3 rd
Sarah O’Neill- 17 years	200m Fr/s- 1 st 50m Br/s- 1 st 100m But/f- 1 st 100 Fr/s-3 rd 50m Fr/s- 4 th	400m Fr/s- 1 st 200m Fr/s- 2 nd 200m But/f- 2 nd 100m Fr/s- 4 th 100m But/f- 5 th
Toneya Price- 14 years	100m Bk/s- 1 st RECORD 50m Bk/s- 1 st RECORD 200m Im- 1 st 50m But/f- 1 st 50m Br/s- 1 st 50m Fr/s- 3 rd 100m Br/s- 3 rd	100m Bk/s- 1 st RECORD 50m Bk/s- 1 st 50m Br/s- 3 rd 200 Bk/s- 4 th 50m But/f- 5 th 100 Br/s- 5 th 50m Fr/s- 8 th

For NSWCCC Swimming results please go to <http://www.cecsw.catholic.edu.au/sport/index.htm>

I would like to continue to encourage every Diocese to submit extra times for the spare lanes. This has been an exciting innovation that has taken the NSWCCC Swimming Championships to a new level. I would also like to extend my biggest thank you to all of the people behind the scenes who help to make this the fantastic event that it is. Without you my role as Convener would not be as enjoyable.

I am looking forward to next year’s carnival and the fine performances that it will bring.

Wayne Gillard
NSWCCC Swimming Convener

TENNIS 2008 - ANNUAL REPORT



NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Robert	Howe	John Therry Catholic High School	Rosemeadow
Adam	Taylor	McKillop Senior College	Port Macquarie
Scott	Browne	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Michael	McKee	St Francis Xavier College	Hamilton
Mark	Bailey	St Joseph's College	Banora Point
Bijan	Abdollahi	Mt Carmel High	Varroville
Jason	Taylor	St Paul's High	Port Macquarie
Patrick	Ryan	St Edward's College	East Gosford
Brooke	Bustolin	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Prue	Hancock	Hennesy Catholic College	Young
Simone	Ludeke	St Clare's High School	Taree
Karlie	Carmichael	St Patrick's College	Wollongong
Sarah	Hecimovic	St Patrick's College	Wollongong
Elise	Blight	Mt Carmel High	Varrville
Brianna	Kostovski	St Mary's Star of the Sea College	Wollongong
Stella	Crick	St Mary's Star of the Sea College	Wollongong

NSWCCC Carnival Report

Pizzey Cup – On Tuesday 11th March trials were held at Wollongong to select the NSWCCC tennis team to compete at the All Schools Selection trials on March 25th- 26th. The trials were held in fine weather and 30 boys and 20 girls entered. The girls number was a little disappointing but our girls team from last year were year 12 so the opportunity was there for a compete new team. Also disappointing was the fact that once the team was selected 3 girls and 1 boy notified me later that they were unable to attend All Schools. It is important for students to look at the All Schools dates before trialling.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Robert	Howe	John Therry Catholic High School	Rosemeadow
Adam	Taylor	McKillop Senior College	Port Macquarie
Scott	Browne	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Brooke	Bustolin	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Simone	Ludeke	St Clare's High School	Taree

NSW All Schools Report

At the NSW All Schools Trials, 5 students from the NSWCCC team were selected to represent in Perth - Robert Howe, Adam Taylor, Scott Browne, Brooke Bustolin and Simone Ludeke. Robert was unable to represent in Perth due to overseas commitments but Adam, Scott, Brooke and Simone were in the NSW team which finished 2nd in the Pizzey Cup (Australian All Schools Titles).

Tennis Team Championships Report

Once again this event was held in Bathurst on Monday 2nd June. The weather was fine and cool but with no frost play was able to start on time. This event has proved very popular and I would like to thank Diocesan representatives and their tennis convenors for supporting this event. Nine boys teams and Seven girls teams contested the event.

Boys participating schools

Diocese	School
Newcastle	St Francis Xavier Hamilton
Bathurst	James Sheehan Catholic High Orange
Canberra / Goulburn	Carroll College Broulee
M.C.S.	Marist College North Shore
Lismore	St Joseph's Port Macquarie
Parramatta	Bede Polding College Windsor
Wagga Wagga	Xavier High Albury

Armidale	St Mary's College Gunnedah
Wollongong	Mt Carmel High Varroville

The Boys final was played between Marist College North Shore and St Joseph's Port Macquarie. This is the 2nd year both these teams have made the final. St Joseph's Port Macquarie were successful in a hard fought match.

Girls participating schools

Diocese	School
Bathurst	James Sheehan Catholic High Orange
Broken Bay	Brigidine College, St Ives
Canberra / Goulburn	Hennessy Catholic College Young
Parramatta	Bede Polding College Windsor
Wollongong	St Patrick's College, Campbelltown
Armidale	McCarthy Catholic College Tamworth
Wagga	St Francis De Sales Regional High Leeton

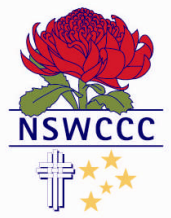
The final of the Girls was played between Hennessy College Young and St Patrick's College Campbelltown. Hennessy College were successful and at the time of writing this report they had played MLC the CIS winner and defeated them as well.

As this is my last year as Convener can I thank everyone who has supported tennis in the NSWCCC sector and enabled us to compete as a separate sector in our own right. My special thanks to Kym Skerrit who has guided me through the years with her assistance and advice. Linda Densmore from the Bathurst Diocese has always been willing to host the team final and the schools who participate in this final have indicated their preference for Bathurst. To Warren Southall, Tennis Wollongong and Bathurst Tennis Association I thank you for your continued support of school tennis.

At the All Schools level I need to thank Errol Carney (CHS Convener) and Richard Hart (CIS Boys Convener) who have always put tennis first and endeavoured to select the best possible All Schools Team. I wish Rachael Redman all the best in her role as the new convenor and hope she receives from all dioceses and associations the support I have received.

Kay Southall
NSWCCC Tennis Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Carl	Jones	Australian Technical College	Port Macquarie
Daniel	Mahoney	Patrician Brothers' College	Blacktown
Cameron	Breust	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Scott	Daley	Patrician Brothers' College	Blacktown
Sam	Brisby	St Augustine's College	Brookvale
Daniel	Chiddy	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Alex	Franklin	St Augustine's College	Brookvale
Simon	Lang	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Daniel	Saggus	Mater Maria Catholic College	Warriewood
Allan	Eisenhuth	St Columba's High School	Springwood
Karnunny	Pearce	John Paul College	Coffs Harbour
Brendan	Barnes	Marist College	Pagewood
Daniel	Robins	St Joseph's Hastings Regional High	Port Macquarie

NSWCCC Selections Report

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NSW All Schools Report

This years National Youth League Touch Football championships, saw for the first time the Under 18's and 20's playing at the same venue, the BCU International Stadium in Coffs Harbour.

The week began with two tough days of training and the establishment of some solid friendships that would ultimately prove to be beneficial in the tournament that began on Wednesday. Coach, Steve Roberts was more than impressed with the boys and their attitude to training. It was by far the most promising side that we had taken to the Nationals.

Wednesday saw the boys play the first of their four pool games against a very fleet footed Northern Eagles side. After a close first 5 minutes the boys began to gel and play some very exciting touch football and prevail 10-2.

Thursday was to be an important day in deciding where we would finish at the conclusion of the pool stage. Our second game was against 2007 champions the Sydney Mets. This game was sure to be close with boys from both teams playing against each other on a weekly basis in the Sydney championships. Again after a close start, and at one point trailing 2-1, the boys backed their ability and prevailed 7-4. Winning this game would go a long way to securing top spot in our pool. Thursday night saw us play against a seemingly inexperienced Western Tigers outfit. To their credit the Western Australia side played some tremendous touch and will be a force to be reckoned with in years to come. The CCC boys were comfortable in winning this game 10-4.

Friday was an important day for the CCC boys as they needed to maintain their momentum from the previous three games and remain focused on the quarter final later in the day. Our last pool match was against the Sydney Rebels. This also proved to be a close match with the score seesawing in the initial stages. After some tense moments where the boys seemingly relaxed, the CCC boys were again victors winning 7-4. This result meant that we completed the pool stages undefeated and were drawn to again play the Mets in the quarter finals. The quarter was a carbon copy of the pool games with CCC boys

proving to be too skillful when the game was on the line, scoring some outstanding team tries. The final result 6-3.

Saturday was championship day and CCC had drawn public school cousins Combined High Schools in the semi finals. On paper and form our boys should have had the wood over CHS, however, in what would prove to be our least polished performance of the week and CHS scoring three opportunistic tries, they proved too strong winning 8-4. The long and tiresome week had taken its toll on this outstanding group of touch players and with heads down were knocked out of the championship race. Getting the boys motivation up for the playoff game was going to be a tough ask however to their credit the boys came out firing opening up a 3 try advantage against arguably the best team in the tournament, the North Queensland Cyclones who had surrendered a three try lead to eventual championship winners Queensland Secondary Schools in the other semi. In an extremely entertaining game the CCC boys fell short of third place 10-8 with the Cyclones scoring the last 5 tries of the game. I am sure that if the boys played the same game against CHS than the championship would have been a real possibility.

Congratulations to all the boys who played so well throughout the week and thankyou to the outstanding group of parents who supported the CCC teams with such enthusiasm. The week was made so much more enjoyable because of all people involved. Special mention must go to Scott Daley who received the boys players' player at the tournament, to Daniel Chiddy who was the recipient of the sides Most Valuable Player for the tournament and to Steve Roberts who did a tremendous job in coaching the CCC boys to their first semi final in a long time. Hopefully next year we can go all the way to the title. Congratulations also to Louise Winchester and Virginia Baggio for their outstanding efforts in also taking the CCC girls to third place playoffs. It was a pleasure to see two of Australia's best touch players in Steve and Louise coaching our CCC teams. Their effort, knowledge and commitment to developing touch football is truly refreshing and a pleasure to watch.

Adam Kelly
Opens Boys Manager

Students selected in Australian Team

Daniel Chiddy	St Paul's Catholic College	Manly
Sam Brisby	St Augustine's College	Brookvale
Cameron Breust	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga

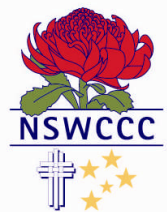
Kym Skerritt
NSWCCC Touch Convener

**2008 X-BLADES NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS
NSW COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES 18's BOYS TEAM
COFFS HARBOUR**



FRONT ROW (left to right) Scott Daley, Simon Lang, Carl Jones, Alan Eisenhuth(Captain), Dan Mahoney(Vice Captain), Karrnunny Pearce, Sam Brisby, Adam Kelly(Manager), Daniel Robins, Alex Franklin, Daniel Saggus, Brendan Barnes, Cameron Breust, Daniel Chiddy, Steve Roberts.

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Alex	Langbridge	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Cade	Price	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Tobias	Evans	Red Bend Catholic College	Forbes
David	Ogenovski	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
Trent	Schubach	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Seth	Meares	Emmaus Catholic College	Kemps Creek
Mitchell	Newman	St Clare's High School	Taree
Andrew	Heffernan	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Josh	Rozairo	De La Salle College	Revesby
Jake	Webb	St Columba's High School	Springwood
Rogan	Price	Mater Dei Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Tom	Broughton-Rouse	St Mary's High	Gateshead
Luke	Vella	De La Salle College	Revesby
Adrian	Moussa	St Paul's Catholic College	Greystanes

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Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Cade	Price	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Alex	Langbridge	MacKillop Catholic College	Warnervale
Tobias	Evans	Red Bend Catholic College	Forbes
David	Ognenovski	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong
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Tom	Broughton-Rouse	St Mary's High	Gateshead
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NSW All Schools Report

The NSW All Schools Selections was held at the Narrabeen Academy of Sport on the 26th-27th of July. The CCC boys played great football and were undefeated in the pool rounds against CHS and CIS. In a tightly contested final, the NSWCCC found themselves down 3-2 midway through the second half. The boys fought back strongly and dominated the back end of the game with the scores level at 5 a piece at the end of time. With the drop off rule in place, NSWCCC scored the winning try with both teams having three players on the field. All the squad are commended on how well they came together as a team, the effort they put in and the exciting football they played. Congratulations to all involved!

Player of the tournament: Cade Price

Craig Beacroft
Coach

NSW Combined Catholic Colleges



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UNDER 15 BOYS TOUCH, 2008

Back Row: TOBIAS EVANS, DAVID OGNENOVSKI, JAKE WEBB
First Row: MICHAEL ABOOD, SETH MEARES, TRENT SCHUBACH, ADRIAN MOUSSA, ALEX LANGBRIDGE, CRAIG BEACROFT
Seated: JOSHUA ROZAIRO, ROGAN PRICE, LUKE VELLA, CADE PRICE, TOM BROUGHTON-ROUSE, ANDREW HEFFERNAN, MITCHELL NEWMAN

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Haylee	Henderson	Caroline Chisholm College	Glenmore Park
Grace	Ryanhart	Trinity Catholic College	Auburn
Tara	Boland	Caroline Chisholm College	Glenmore Park
Melissa	Edwards	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Lauren	Rynehart	Trinity CKildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Alicia	Quirk	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Lauren	Simpson	Terra Sancta College	Schofields
Ashley	Dyer	Mater Maria College	Warriewood
Jessica	Suckling	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Rachel	Halpin	McCarthy Catholic College	Tamworth
Elle-Maree	Farrington	Trinity Catholic College	Auburn
Tyla	Gambell	McCarthy Catholic College	Emu Plains
Emma	Ryan	Brigidine College	Randwick

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NSW All Schools Report

On 15th September 2008, the players of the 18's NSWCCC girls team met in Coffs Harbor for a training camp for the Youth National Touch League.

The girls were excited and very enthusiastic and trained to perfection. This was then followed up with a shorter training run on the Tuesday and Wednesday. Having three consecutive training sessions was a huge benefit for the team and they were able to fine tune their plays and skills.

The first day of the tournament was a huge success. After a long wait the girls played Hornets and won 8 -1. On the second day they played Cobras and won 8 -1 and also played Eagles and won 3 - 2 in a close match. On Friday the girls played an early game against South West Queensland and won 5 -1. These four great wins put them at the top of their pool and they met Northern Territory in the quarter final, the girls won convincingly 15 – 3. On day four, the final day, the girls played their semi final against Combined High schools and unfortunately lost 4 – 8. The girls played well and were ready to play their final for 3rd and 4th. The girls lost 5 – 3 in a hard game and ended up coming 4th overall. With 15 teams in the tournament the girls played together as a team and were deserving of the 4th placement. It is a fantastic result for NSWCCC and they are to be congratulated on their efforts.

Congratulations to Sarah Peattie who was voted by the girls as 'player's player' and also to Alicia Quirke who was awarded with Girl's 18's Player of the Series 2008. We also farewell two of our senior players, Tara Boland and Haylee Henderson who have played with NSWCCC over the last few years.

Thank you to Louise Winchester for coaching the girls and Virginia Baggio for her role of Assistant Coach/Manager.

Students selected in Australian team

Haylee	Henderson	Caroline Chisholm College	Glenmore Park
Alicia	Quirk	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga

Kym Skerritt NSWCCC Touch Convener

2008 X-BLADES NATIONAL YOUTH CHAMPIONSHIPS
NSW COMBINED CATHOLIC COLLEGES 18's GIRLS TEAM
 COFFS HARBOUR



FRONT ROW (left to right) Ashley Dyer, Renee McElduff, Lauren Rynehart, Haylee Henderson(Captain), Jacqui Fry, Tyla Gambell, Grace Ryanhart,
MIDDLE ROW (left to right) Virginia Baggio(Manager), Elle-Maree Farrington, Sarah Peattie, Alicia Quirk, Emma Ryan, Tara Boland, Louise Winchester(Coach),
BACK ROW (left to right) Rachel Halpin, Melissa Edwards.

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Jenna	Hitch	Stella Maris College	Manly
Carla	Wehbe	Our Lady of Mercy College	Parramatta
Brittany	Coe	McCarthy Catholic College	Tamworth
Melinda	Foschi	Marian Catholic College	Griffith
Cassie	Raptis	Magdalene Catholic High School	Narellan
Kate	Coleman	St Joseph's High	Port Macquarie
Melissa	Farrington	Trinity Catholic College	Auburn
Laura	Peattie	Stella Maris College	Manly
Madison	Regan	Nagle College	Blacktown South
Kayla	Hay	Kildare Catholic College	Wagga Wagga
Tamara	Cochrane	Stella Maris College	Manly
Emma	Tonegato	Holy Spirit College	Bellambi
Anna	Leary	St Joseph's High	Port Macquarie

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Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Tamara	Cochrane	Stella Maris College	Manly
Kate	Coleman	St Joseph's High	Port Macquarie
Jenna	Hitch	Stella Maris College	Manly
Laura	Peattie	Stella Maris College	Manly
Madison	Regan	Nagle College	Blacktown

NSW All Schools Report

Kym Skerritt

NSWCCC Touch Convener



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UNDER 15 GIRLS TOUCH, 2008

Back Row: TAMARA COCHRANE, JENNA HITCH, MELISSA FARRINGTON
First Row: FIONE STUART (Manager), BRITTANY COE, CARLA WEHBE, KAYLA HAY, ANNA LEARY, STACEY WALSH (Coach)
Seated: MADISON REGAN, EMMA TONEGATO, KATE COLEMAN, CASSIE RAPTIS, LAURA PEATTE, MELINDA FOSCHI, ALANA LAMERTON

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Ryan	Murphy	St John the Evangelist College	Nowra
Joshua	Murphy	St John the Evangelist College	Nowra
Mitchell	Zirilic	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
Antonio	McCredie	St Gregory's College	Campbelltown
John	Kim	St Mary's Cathedral College	Sydney
John	Markowski	LaSalle Catholic College	Bankstown
Kevin	Lee	Christian Brothers' College	Lewisham
Sam	Leneham	St John the Evangelist College	Nowra
Brendan	Zacharias	Marcellin College	Randwick
Charlie	Dang	Casimir Catholic College	Marrickville
James	Taylor	Marist College	Eastwood
Anthony	Gigliotti	Edmund Rice College	Wollongong

NSWCCC Selections Report

Again there was an outstanding level of Volleyball skills displayed by all the players who trialed this year. Each year more schools and individuals enter raising the standard which is great even if it does make the selection process more difficult. Although there is still a need to improve the level of U16s Boys Volleyball at the NSWCCC Level. This was not the case in the Opens where we welcomed the first team from Metropolitan Combined Colleges, St Gregory's Campbelltown and individual players from De La Salle College Revesby, St Coloumba's High Springwood and Magdalene College Narellan as well as welcoming back teams from St John's Nowra, Christian Brothers' Burwood and Edmund Rice College Wollongong. Throughout the day a high standard of volleyball was played with improvements seen throughout the day from relatively inexperienced players who took on coaching advice. The result was a mix of new and old players from a wide variety of schools selected which is excellent for the development of NSWCCC Volleyball. Special thanks to Bob Cooper who helped with the running of the day and set up of the venue. John Sparks for his input as the Wollongong Diocesan Representative and NSWCCC Chairperson. Also Daniel Gauci (Vince Villa Recipient 2007) for giving back to NSWCCC Volleyball as a selector and Assistant Coach Open Boys.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Open

Sam	Leneham	St John the Evangelist	Nowra
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U16

Jeremiah	Pele	DeLaSalle Catholic College	Revesby
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NSW All Schools Report

Tri Series - June 2008 Going into this year's Tri Series was always going to be a tough battle with Daniel Gauci's big shoes left to be filled and the untimely elbow injury which prevented Anthony Gigliotti from playing. He was a potential Merit All Start Six player and would have made a huge difference to the team with his playing ability and experience as a NSWCCC player. Nonetheless the team were well prepared and with the enthusiasm of the new players and the experience of the likes of Josh Murphy and Sam Leneham to lead the team through. Josh showed great leadership as the captain and Sam kept the team in the games with some excellent all round play which was rewarded in his selection into the Merit All Schools Team. Unfortunately, this year was not be NSWCCC year. We were beaten by both CHS in 3 sets and CIS in four sets. Whilst the defeats were disappointing the team represented CCC excellently and with four of the team available again for next year, they provide a sound base to build on for the future of NSWCCC Volleyball. Thank you to all the parents and players for your commitment this year and a special thanks for Carla Ruggeri for all her help as Open Boys Manager.

Clare Roden

NSWCCC Volleyball Convener

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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Chloe	Carver	Our Lady of Mercy College	Parramatta
Emily	Mattick	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Johanna	Tibbertsma	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Natasha	Fox	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Claire	Walker	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Anna	Hines	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Gabrielle	Galavassy	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Sophie	Miller	MacKillop Senior College	Port Macquarie
Catherine	Stalmachowski	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Kate	Monger	Monte Sant' Angelo Mercy College	North Sydney

NSWCCC Selections Report

This year saw an increase in the number of trialists as well a further improvement in the standard of play in NSWCCC Girls Volleyball. We welcomed players from Mackillop Senior College Port Macquarie for the first time in recent history which means that the NSWCCC Girls Volleyball is spreading across the whole of NSW which is great for the game. It was also welcome back to NSWCCC stalwarts Santa Sabina, Monte Sant' Angelo and St Mary Star of the Sea. Special thanks to Bob Cooper who helped with the running of the day and set up of the venue and was also selector/coach for the Open Girls, John Sparks for his input as the Wollongong Diocesan Representative and NSWCCC Chairperson and Anika and Stefanie Lalic (former NSWCCC players) for giving back to NSWCCC Volleyball as selectors and 15 Years Girls and Open Girls manager respectively.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Open

Chloe	Carver	Our Lady of Mercy College	Parramatta
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U16

Eilish	Henry	St Johns the Evangelist	Nowra
Anna	Phillips	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Amy	Borden	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Lucy	Phillips	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield

NSW All Schools Report

CCC Open Girls Volleyball Report - Tri Series Following our three Friday night training sessions at Olympic Park Sports Halls we felt that we were coming together as a team. Serves were going in, spikes were beating the blocks and we felt we were ready for the Tri-Series on Saturday 7th June. Our first game was against the strong CHS side with many players who had played for the state over the past few years. We played well at times but several of the CHS players had a serving run of four or five aces which cut a swathe through our team. Our outside hitters Chloe Carver, Alana Hassett and Catherine Stalmachowski did a great job with many powerful spikes. Our setters Anna Hines and Natasha Fox set wide, set quicks for Joanna Tibbertsma, Sophie Miller and Emily Mattick. We even had the backset attack hit called CCC. Our back court players did a great job. Kate Monger, Gabrielle Calavassey and Claire Walker passed well and had some great back court attack as well. However the CHS team were too strong on the day and we were beaten 3-0. Our second match was against the CIS team which was much stronger than in previous years. This was a hard fought match with many close rallies and strong play by both teams. The final result was a win to CCC 3 to 1. With the naming of the All Star Six at the end of the day it was exciting to hear Chloe Carver from Our Lady of Mercy- Parramatta called out. Chloe was an outstanding player on the day.

The team was greatly assisted by our Asst. Coach/ Manager Stefanie Lalic. Bob Cooper Coach

Clare Roden

NSWCCC Volleyball Convener

BOYS WATER POLO –2008 ANNUAL REPORT



NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Firsts Team

Adam	Rindfleish	St Pius X High Schools	Adamstown
Guy	Boland	All Saints College – St Mary's Campus	Maitland
Eli	Deloraine	All Saints College – St Mary's Campus	Maitland
Patrick	Falson	De La Salle College	Cronulla
Matthew	Hay	Marist College	Eastwood
Oliver	Steel	St John's College	Woodlawn
James	Duffy	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
Mason	Fettell	Trinity Catholic College	Lismore
James	Mulholland	St John's College	Woodlawn
Ashley	Boyle	Marist College North Shore	North Sydney
Lucas	Hardy	St Peter's Catholic College	Tuggerah
Daniel	Simpson	St John Bosco College	Engadine

Seconds Team

Adam	Kalms	St Pius X High School	Adamstown
Jack	Boyd	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Rhys	Dempsey	Xavier High School	Albury
Joshua	Heinrich	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Hayden	Lando	Marist College	Eastwood
Ryan	Lindblom	St John's College	Woodlawn
Zachary	Lohman	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Michael	May	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Declan	Read	De La Salle College	Caringbah
Matthew	Roberts	All Saints College – St Joseph's College	Lochinvar
Jimmy	Scannell	Xavier High School	Albury
Jessie	Deloraine	All Saints College – St Joseph's College	Lochinvar

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Eli	Deloraine	All Saints College – St Mary's Campus	Maitland
Patrick	Falson	De La Salle College	Cronulla

NSW All Schools Report

These two competed ably against CHS and CIS but were unable to secure a victory against the Firsts teams on the day. Our team lacked experience at this level having lost many seasoned players last year.

Eli Deloraine and Patrick Falson were selected in the NSW All Schools team after playing very strongly on the day. For Eli this was the second year he had been selected in the team. Both these boys subsequently were selected in the Australian All Schools Water Polo teams.

Considering the inexperience of the squad we that were selected this year and the lack of representative experience amongst the team members, getting two members to the Australian All Schools team was a creditable achievement.

I received invaluable assistance from both Peter Dennis and Wayne Northam on the day and my thanks is given to them.

We look forward to 2009 when the experience gained by the younger members of the team will be of great benefit to them in that years tournament.

Chris Hook

Chris Hook
NSWCCC Water Polo Convener



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NSW Combined Catholic Colleges Team

Serena	Reid	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Devon	Boyle	Marist Sisters' College	Woolwich
Emily	Carr	Stella Maris College	Manly
Louise	Hoban	St Patrick's College	Sutherland
Lauren	Houstan	De la Salle College	Sutherland
Caitlin	Keogh	Bridgidine College	Randwick
Kayle	Leatham	Stella Maris College	Manly
Kate	McGraw	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Ellen	Pitorino	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Hannah	Richardson	St Mary's College	Lochinvar
Gabbi	Saville	St Scholastica's College	Glebe
Lauren	Susans	Stella Maris College	Manly
Rachael	Vosila	St Scholastica's College	Strathfield

NSWCCC Selections Report

The CCC Girls Water Polo Championships are held each year in November for Junior and Senior school based teams. Each year the competition continues to improve both with the number of schools competing and the standard of play. This is reflected in the greatly improved performances of the CCC girls teams at the All Schools Championships. At the same time many players at this tournament are having their first experience playing water polo. The day is always played in good spirit by all involved. The finals in both senior and junior divisions this year was fought out between Stella Maris College Manly and Santa Sabina College Strathfield. The junior division was won for the first time by Stella Maris whilst the senior division saw Santa Sabina victorious for the second year in a row.

Students Selected in NSW All Schools Team

Ellen	Pitorino	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Devon	Boyle	Marist Sisters College	Woolwich
Serena	Reid	Marist Sisters College	Woolwich
Kayle	Leatham	Stella Maris College	Manly
Rachael	Vosila	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield

NSW All Schools Report

NSWCCC Girls displayed a high standard of water polo. They defeated NSW CIS Firsts and Seconds teams comprehensively prior to their match against a powerful CHS side. The winner of this match would decide the overall winner of the day. Unfortunately this was not to be NSWCCC. Despite playing to their absolute best and having the chance to score the match winning goal late in the game, CHS proved victorious by one goal. Testimony to the performance of the team five players were selected in the NSW All Schools team. This was the most players ever to make the side from NSWCCC. Their names are listed below. The NSWCCC Seconds team which is considered a development team also competed on the day. This team contained a number of promising young players and bodes well for the future of NSWCCC girls water polo. Many thanks to Yvette Higgins and Zoe Percy for their assistance in 2008. We all look forward with excitement to 2009 and watching the performance of a the ever improving NSWCCC girls.

Students Selected in an Australian Team

Ellen	Pitorino	Santa Sabina College	Strathfield
Serena	Reid	Marist Sisters College	Woolwich

Chris Hook

NSWCCC Water Polo Convener