

SCHOOL SPORT WA

NEWSLETTER

Term 3 - Week 9

WINNING RAFFLE TICKETS

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It may seem like we say this every Newsletter... But boy, oh BOY, has it been a busy term!

Term 3 saw 7 Interstate teams travel for their national competitions and a bucketload of our winter interschool sports head into FINALS! We've also got some big things in the pipeline for the end of this term – remember SHS Country Week? We're running it back! This time for the District High Schools in regional WA. There's no rest for the wicked as Term 3 holidays approach and the 2024 WA Teachers Games draw ever closer... More below!

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Asides from the SSAG we've had seven other interstate teams complete their national championships this term.

The AFL 12s had a sensational time in Geelong, VIC. Both the Boys and Girls team secured a Bronze Medal!

Our Diving team of 6 travelled to Adelaide, SA and proved that size is not a factor as they achieved several medals – even against teams that were significantly larger in size.

The 16s and 18s national Soccer competition was held in Port Kennedy, WA. The 16s Boys fought hard and secured a bronze medal. The 18s Girls weren't as fortunate and missed out on the bronze by one goal difference in the final table.

Our Cross-Country team travelled to Yarra Glen, VIC and brought home a slew of medals in a variety of age groups.

The Hockey 12s flew to tropical Cairns, QLD. The Boys landed the Silver and the Girls 4th place.

The Golf 18s endured bitter cold mornings in Canberra, ACT. This was another championship that saw an assortment of bronze and silver medals achieved by our team across a variety of categories.

Finally, the Tennis 12s won a Silver in 'stinking hot' Darwin, NT.

All our Interstate teams receive ample coverage on our social media. For a more indepth look at each championship please head to our [Facebook](#) or [Instagram](#) or [Results](#) page.



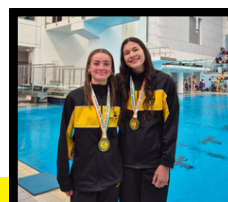
The School Sport Australia Games (held in the Gold Coast in Week 3) feels like an eternity ago, but our teams had a great experience taking part in the first ever SSAG and it would feel amiss not to mention some of our notable results.

AFL 15s Boys – GOLD, for the first time in 14 years!

Hockey 15s Girls – Silver!

Basketball 16s Boys – GOLD! This is the second time in history that WA has won gold in the National Senior Championships – the last time being 24 years ago.

Basketball 12s Girls – Bronze!



CHAMPION SCHOOLS COMPETITIONS

This term has also seen a large amount of our winter sports host and complete their finals!

The Volleyball Grand Final event culminated in a Champion of Champions Cup - winners for A-division from each region were invited to a best of the best one-day carnival. Our Netball tournament spanned three separate day carnivals and an elimination day before concluding with a Finals Day. Our Primary Netballers competed in their finals, 'The West Coast Fever Cup.'

SSWA also hosted an Upper School Touch Football carnival in Week 7 and the Badminton Middle School Tournament concluded last week.

Our Secondary Soccer tournament drew to a close in week 8 with a series of final days at the Sam Kerr Football Centre. Secondary Soccer is an enormous competition with games played across two terms involving 49 schools and over 2400 students.

The Senior Basketball Junior Competition is also geared to wrap their tournament in week 10. This is another huge competition, conducted across 12 separate day carnivals and a variety of metropolitan regions. [Secondary Results](#) [Primary Results](#)



DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOLS - COUNTRY WEEK

12 weeks on and we're doing it all again! DHS kicks off next week and we sure are excited to host 28 District High Schools from all over regional WA for another fantastic week of sport and opportunity. There are 6 sports on offer, across 4 days of fixtures: Badminton, Basketball, Futsal, Hockey, Netball and Volleyball. [More Info.](#)

2024 WA Teachers Games

While term 3 may be coming to an end, the road to the [2024 WA Teachers' Games](#) is fast approaching!

During the second week of the schools holidays, SSWA hosts a three-day event of sport, community and development in Mandurah.

These games are a great way to build relationships among members of the teaching community, within and beyond of, one's own circles. There is a bounty of sports and social events to choose from! Some schools are even paying for their staff's participation as part of their wellbeing initiatives!

How much is [registration](#)? \$40

Who can join in on the fun?

- Anybody employed by a school in WA - including support staff
- TRB registered teachers, casual & retired
- DoE corporate staff
- Registered Volunteers and Sponsors

-CALENDAR-

Date	Event
16th Sep	DHS Country Week Commences
17th Sep	Secondary Champion Schools Junior Basketball Grand Final
18th Sep	South West Year9/10 Winter Carnival
1st Oct	2024 WA Teachers Games Commences
7th Oct	Term 4 Commences
11th - 22nd Oct	Track and Field Carnivals commence



The primary school skipping challenge that turns kids into Heart Heroes.

Being active is one of the most important ways that children can improve their health and wellbeing.

Unfortunately, three out of four primary school-aged kids don't meet physical activity guidelines, leaving them at greater risk of heart disease as adults.

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Jump Rope for Heart gets kids excited about exercise and eating well, teaching them to form heart-healthy habits that can last a lifetime. What's more, by seeking donations for their skipping achievements, our Heart Heroes raise funds for lifesaving research and see firsthand how their actions can make a difference to the lives — and hearts — of others.

5-Week Program

- An easy-to-run fundraising and skipping challenge.
- All fundraising managed online.
- Just one action and activity each week.
- Ready-made resources to run a successful program.

[More Info](#)

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