

Water Polo



UNSW WATERPOLO TERM 1 2015 (YEAR 6 – YEAR 12) INFORMATION & REGISTRATION

Registrations - Open 14 October 2014 & Close 3 November 2014

Santa Sabina will be competing in the University of NSW Water Polo Competition. This competition will be conducted during Term 1, 2015. Please read the following information carefully as, in conjunction with the information contained in the College Sports Handbook, it will form the basis for your involvement in Water Polo at Santa Sabina College in 2014.

There is an absolute expectation that all Students fulfil their contractual obligations during the season and that they do so with the active support of their parents. **Areas of particular concern to the College Sports Department are the punctual attendance of students at training and games and appropriate parental notification of absences from these commitments.**

COMPETITION DATES: Term 1, 2015 (Saturdays)

GAME TIMES: Games are played between 8:00am – 12 noon

VENUES: UNSW pool. Other pools will also be used but these cannot be confirmed until closer to the start of the competition in 2015.

UNIFORM: Participants are required to wear the SSC Swimming costume or new SSC Cat Suit costume, as well as a black swimming cap. The College sports attire is to be worn both to and from all Saturday games. The wearing of suitable footwear is also compulsory.

EQUIPMENT: Students are advised to wear a mouth guard. The school will provide all other equipment required, including water polo caps and balls.

TRAINING: All students will have one training session each week, the duration of which will be approximately 1 – 1.5 hours. This session is either after school from 3:30pm or before school from 7:00 – 8:00am. It is expected that students are punctual, dressed in school sports attire and have appropriate safety equipment for all training sessions. **It is essential that players attend all training sessions even if it is raining.**

On the rare occasions that a student is unable to attend training their parent/guardian should email the water polo co-ordinator (Georgia Dirkis) as early as possible.

GAMES: Students are expected to attend all games and must be at the venue **at least 30 minutes prior** to the game so there is adequate time for score sheets to be completed and for students to sign on and warm-up. If a student is for some reason unable to play due to illness or injury it is important that they come to support their team where possible.

On the rare occasions that a student is unable to attend a game the following procedures are to be followed.

- **If the inability to attend IS known in advance** - parent/guardian should email as early as possible the water polo co-ordinator.

- **If the inability to attend IS NOT known in advance** – the parent/guardian of the student should SMS or phone the coach to inform them of the absence and email the water polo co-ordinator.

Please Note

- **Failure to attend training and games without a timely explanation is unacceptable and can jeopardise students' continued involvement in sport at the College.**
- **A member of the sports staff may contact Parents/guardians of students whose non-attendance at training or games is not notified in the correct manner.**

COACHES: Each team will have a coach who is responsible for the ongoing training of the team and the development of the students' skills and knowledge of the game.

COMMUNICATION: Our main form of communication with the students and their parents is email. Information will also be provided via the team coaches, Veritas Voice, Haiku and the sports notice board. Please ensure you regularly attend to these to ensure you are well informed regarding Water Polo 2015.

FEES: A **NON-REFUNDABLE** fee of \$130.00 is charged for participation in Term 1 Water Polo. Fees include registration, insurance, referees expenses, team equipment and coaching fees.

GRADING: All students (**except those already playing in the term 4, 2014 IGSSA water polo competition**) are expected to attend grading. In **extreme** cases where a student is unable to attend parents should note this on the contract or email **Georgia Dirkis** at g.dirkis@ssc.nsw.edu.au as early as possible. Attendance at grading or appropriate notification of the inability to attend is essential to be guaranteed a place in the most appropriate team. Non attendance at grading does not void your contract.

Year Group (2014)	Date	Time	Venue
Sub Juniors: Years 6 & 7	Thursday 6 November 2014	3.30pm – 4.45pm	School Pool
Junior: Years 8 & 9	Thursday 6 November 2014	3.30pm – 4.45pm	School Pool
Seniors: Years 10,11 & 12	Thursday 6 November 2014	4.30pm – 5.30pm	School Pool

If you have any enquiries please contact Georgia Dirkis at the College.

STUDENTS INVOLVED: YR06 – YR12 Girls

HEALTH INFORMATION & FOOD ALLERGIES: To help ensure the safe participation of students in this activity health and allergy information about each participant is requested as part of the registration process. Parents/guardians should ensure this section is completed with all relevant health information and should be aware that this is the health information that will be provided to team coaches, manager and staff with respect to this activity.

CONTACT DETAILS: To facilitate the smooth running of the school sports program, the safe participation of students and in some cases the registration of teams or individuals, **contact information** including, but not restricted to, the mobile numbers, email addresses and residential address (residential addresses are used for registration purposes **ONLY** if required by an Association) for students and their parents/guardian as well as students' DOB may be provided to Sports Associations, coaches, managers, staff, parents and students. The information provided when registering for this activity will be the default information used by the Sports Department. Information on record at the College may be used if required. **If your details change please notify, by email, the Sports Staff member responsible for this activity as indicated in this information.**

REGISTRATION INFORMATION: Please read this carefully BEFORE you begin.

To register your child for this activity please click the link below and complete the online registration process, **which includes payment** for this activity. Once registration is complete an automated confirmation email will be sent to the email address **provided for the PARTICIPANT** at the start of the registration process. When registering **please ensure that the participant email address is the email address to which you wish the confirmation to be sent.** If you do not receive a confirmation email to the participant email address your registration is not confirmed. For optimal browser performance please use google chrome.

Registrations OPEN on 14 October 2014 & **CLOSE** 3 November 2014. Registrations may be reopened if additional players are required.

To register your child [CLICK HERE](#).

We hope that your child finds Water Polo in 2015 an exciting and rewarding experience.

If you would like any more information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Regards,
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