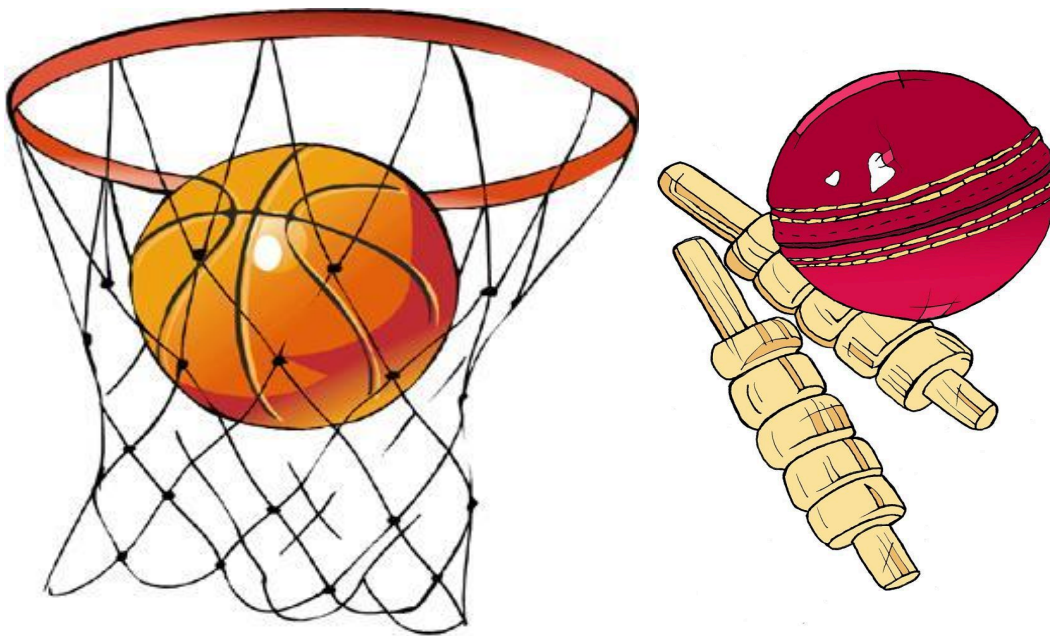




Mosman Church of England Preparatory School

Summer Sports Information



Term 1, 2025



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Term 1, 2025 Summer Sport at Mosman Prep

Dear Parents,

Please find enclosed important information regarding Term 1 Summer Sport at Mosman Prep. There are three main components to Sport: Friday afternoon Sport Training, Midweek After-School Training and Saturday games. This information outlines expectations regarding attire, punctuality and behaviour as well as scheduled arrangements for practice and games.

In addition to this, the IPSHA Codes of Behaviour for School Sport and the Term 1, 2025, Mosman Prep Saturday Fixture List are available on the School Website, on the Sport/Sport Fixtures and Training page.

After-School Summer Sport Training will commence in Week 2 of Term 1. There will be internal training on Saturday, 8 February for all Senior Primary (Year 3-6) boys.

Saturday 8 February- Internal Games

Please see below for times and venues:

Sport	Year	Venue	Time	Coaching Staff
Junior Basketball	Yr 3/4 Game 1	MISC	7:30am-8:20am	TBC
	Yr 3/4 Game 2		8:25am-9:15am	
Senior Basketball	Yr 5/6 Game 1		9:20am-10:10am	TBC
	Yr 5/6 Game 2		10:15am-11:05pm	
	Yr 5/6 Game 3		11:10am-12:00pm	
Cricket	Yr 3/4	Balmoral Oval	7:30am-9:30am	TBC
	Yr 5/6		9:30am-12:00pm	TBC

[MISC](#) = Mosman (Marie Bashir) Indoor Sports Centre - Cross Street, Mosman. Off Bradley's Head Road and next to Rawson Oval.

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PLEASE NOTE- Senior Year 5/6 (1sts-4ths or 5ths-6ths) Basketball training squads will be advertised on Monday 10 February after the internal Saturday training sessions on 8 February.

Midweek After-School Training

Please note the Term 1 After-School Summer Sport Training Days below.

After-School sports training in Term 1 will commence in Week 2. For after-school training, boys are to be collected from their allocated venue at 4:30pm.

Weekday	Sport	Year	Venue	Commencing	Concluding	Time
Tuesday	Basketball	Yr 5/6 ALL*	School	4 February	18 March	3:00pm-4:30pm
		Yr 5/6 1sts-4ths		11 February		
Wednesday	Basketball	Yr 3/4	School	5 February	19 March	3:00pm-4:30pm
	Cricket	Yr 3/4	Balmoral			
		Yr 5/6	Oval			
Thursday	Basketball	Year 5/6 ALL*	School	6 February	20 March	3:00pm-4:30pm
		Year 5/6 5ths-6ths		13 February		

*In Week 2, all Year 5/6 Basketball will train on both Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Boys will then be allocated to 1sts-4ths (Tues) and 5ths-6ths (Thurs) Squads for training from Week 3 onwards.

Friday Afternoon Sport Training (1:45pm-2:45pm)

Year	Weeks	Commencing	Sport	Venue	Pick Up
Year 3/4	Odd- Wks 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11.	Friday 31 February	Basketball	Mosman Indoor Sports Centre (MISC) or School	MISC by 2:45pm or School by 3:00pm
			Cricket	Georges Heights Oval	Georges Heights by 2:45pm or School by 3:00pm
Year 5/6	Even- Wks 2,4, 6, 8, 10.	Friday 7 February	Basketball	MISC or School	MISC by 2:45pm or School by 3:10pm
			Cricket	Georges Heights Oval	Georges Heights by 2:45pm or School by 3:10pm

At all Friday training sessions boys are required to wear their sports uniform (navy blue polo).

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For training at Georges Heights or Mosman (Marie Bashir) Indoor Sports Centre, boys will travel by school bus to practice on their respective Friday and unless advised otherwise, may be picked up from Georges Heights Oval or MISC by 2:45pm. Alternatively, they will be returned to school by bus for a pick up at 3:00pm (Year 3/4) or 3:10pm (Year 5/6). Pick-up arrangements may change and will be communicated to parents each week.

Saturday Sport

It is the expectation of the School that all boys in Years 3-6 play Saturday sport for the School. School sport is always to take precedence over club sport and allowances will not be made to play club games.

Byes/Unavailability

Should your son be unable to play on a particular day, a request must be made in writing to the Director of Sport (sriddett@mosmanprep.nsw.edu.au) in the previous week. Please note, exemption will not automatically be given as the team is the first priority.

Sickness on a Saturday Morning

In the event of sickness on a Saturday morning, parents should call the parent of another member of their son's team to pass the message on to the team coach. Although appreciated, an email to the Director of Sport or coach is not acceptable on its own.

Punctuality

For Saturday fixtures, boys need to be at the venue thirty (30) minutes prior to the start of their game and ready to warm up twenty (20) minutes before the start of the game.

Please note: ***Late arrival to a fixture, unless unavoidable, will most likely result in reduced participation in the respective game. For example, boys concerned will start the game as a substitute or bat or bowl last, if at all, if they arrive late.***

Sports Attire

All boys are required to wear the correct sports uniform *for all training sessions and Saturday fixtures*. Please refer to more detailed sports uniform information provided on the School website: <https://www.mosmanprep.nsw.edu.au/community/uniform-shop> .

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Shoes- for all School PE lessons and cricket, shoes must be predominantly white with white laces. White socks must be worn for PE, basketball and cricket. Please note in Terms 2 & 3, football and rugby boots must be predominantly black with black laces.

Tracksuit- the School tracksuit is compulsory for all boys in Years 3-6. These tracksuits are to be worn in place of the school fleece on all Saturday mornings in the Winter Season (Term 2 and 3) and as notified in Terms 1 and 4.

Cricket players need to wear plain white cricket pants or shorts, school crested cricket polo shirt and white wide brim School cricket hat.

Basketball players will need to wear the Prep basketball singlet and navy basketball shorts. [2025 Basketball Numbers](#) are on the School website. When parents place their basketball uniform order online, there is provision to make an “order note” where you need to advise of the playing number required.

Please note:

Being a reliable team member, and showing respect and responsibility to yourself and others, is important. *If boys do not have the correct uniform for their respective sport, it is possible that they will not be permitted to take part. In addition, parents will receive communication from the Director of Sport and possibly the Headmaster. This includes both training sessions and Saturday fixtures.*

Repeat offenders for incorrect attire or lateness could lose their place in the team or face other consequences for letting their team and the School down.

IPSHA Saturday Fixtures for Term 1, 2025 are also available on the School’s website. After-school training will commence in Week 2 and there will be internal training on Saturday, 8 February. Round 1 of IPSHA Sport will commence on Saturday, 15 February. Round 1 teams will be announced via the School App on Thursday 13 February.

Weekly Team Notification

All our sporting teams are selected on a weekly basis, with teams being completely fluid and coaches encouraged to move boys between teams as they deem appropriate. Our teams are graded in line with the IPSHA draws that are provided to us. Grading boys allows them to play at a level where they are best suited, thus fostering greater skill development and enjoyment.

Team lists (with finalised venues and times) will be placed on the [Sports Notice Board](#) for the boys to view at school, sent via the [School App](#), and also placed on the [School Website](#) for parents to check on Thursday of each week.

Go to www.mosmanprep.nsw.edu.au , click on ‘Sport’ at the top of the page, then ‘Sports Fixtures and Training’.

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It is imperative that parents check the times and venues on the weekly team lists via the school app and 'Messenger', as these can change from the times advertised on the fixture list at the beginning of term.

MCEPS Information Line Number- 9990 9196

Saturdays- On Saturdays the MCEPS Information Line will be updated by 6:30am. This number has the most up-to-date information the School can provide regarding matters of sport and excursions. Parents are to call this number and not the School Office. After heavy rain, Mosman Council often closes its grounds, so please check with this number for all school sport and excursion cancellations.

Weekdays- In case of inclement weather, please ring the Prep Information Line, which will be updated from 1.00pm. Ovals might be closed by Mosman Council on fine days, if the preceding days have been wet, so it is advised that parents ring the School's Information Line on training days, if there has been rain.

PLEASE NOTE: if the message has not been updated, sport is on as scheduled.

Yours sincerely,

Steve Riddett

Director of Sport